The 43rd Annual Comprehensive Board Review and Update in Internal Medicine is a comprehensive review of Internal Medicine. It specifically targets those physicians that are either completing their first American Board of Internal Medicine (ABIM) certification or preparing for their re-certification exam. It is meant to provide board relevant updates in management and treatment of the spectrum of diseases that span all the sub-specialties in internal medicine. Furthermore, non-medical specialties like Neurology and Dermatology are reviewed as they are needed to care for medical patients, and questions on these topics are asked on the ABIM examination.

At the conclusion of this course, the participant should be able to:

- Identify personal strengths and weaknesses in general internal medicine through didactic and question and answer sessions with faculty.
- Recognize common presentations of uncommon conditions and uncommon presentations of common conditions encountered by internists.
- List approaches to the diagnosis and therapy of common internal medicine conditions.
- Describe current treatment guidelines for common medical ailments.
- Improve competence for independent study in preparation for the ABIM exam.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This course is designed for all physicians preparing for the ABIM Certifying or Re-Certifying Exams. This course also serves as an excellent overview for practicing internists, family physicians, and others interested in refreshing their knowledge in internal medicine.

ACCREDITATION

The Emory University School of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 45 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

TUITION / MEETING MATERIALS

The tuition charge includes continental breakfasts, refreshment breaks, course syllabus, and other amenities involved in making this a rewarding learning experience.

Lunch and dinner are the responsibility of each participant. Cancellations prior July 1, 2018 will be refunded less a $100 administrative fee. No refunds will be given after this date. There are no exceptions.

Meeting Materials: In accordance with Emory University’s sustainability initiative, the course handouts/syllabus will be available on a USB flash drive and via email. We are offering links to the handouts via email ahead of time, so that you have an opportunity to see them before the meeting. Conference handouts can be viewed, downloaded and printed from this email. Registrants will receive an announcement as to when handouts will be available via email.

CONFERENCE LOCATION, LODGING & TRANSPORTATION

The conference and lodging will be held at the JW Buckhead Atlanta, 3300 Lenox Road, NE, Atlanta, Georgia, 30326. The hotel is located within walking distance of Lenox Mall and many restaurants. There is a $10 self-parking rate per vehicle, per night with in and out privileges. Valet parking is standard pricing.

As agent for the conference, Emory University School of Medicine, Office of Continuing Medical Education has secured a block of rooms at the JW Buckhead at a rate of $157 single/double occupancy, plus local and state taxes. For reservations, we are pleased to offer a dedicated website for online reservations. Booking website is: https://aws.passkey.com/e/49357407/

If you prefer phone reservations, please call the Reservation Counter Call Center at 844-230-3918. To receive the group rate, reserve no later than 5pm EST, June 28, 2018, and reference the Emory Comprehensive Board Review in Internal Medicine meeting.

Reservations made after this date will be based on space and rate availability. Demand for rooms is high during our program. It is highly recommended you make your reservations as soon as possible, as this rate is available through June 28, 2018 or until the block is sold out, whichever comes first.

GROUND TRANSPORTATION

For a quick and easy commute to the JW Buckhead Atlanta, use Atlanta’s Rapid Rail Service (MARTA) for only $2.50 each way. Board the North/South train departing from Hartsfield Jackson International Airport to the Lenox Station, conveniently located across the street from the hotel. For more information on MARTA, access the MARTA website. Taxis are available from Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport for approximately $50 one-way. Uber and Lyft are also now allowed to make pick-ups at the airport.

CANCELLATIONS

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MAINTENANCE OF CERTIFICATION

This course provides preparation for the ABIM MOC examination, but does not qualify for ABIM MOC Points.
Day 1: Saturday, July 21, 2018

6:30 A Continental Breakfast and Registration

7:05 A Welcome
Jennifer Lom, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

Cardiology
Section Leader: Divya Gupta, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

7:15 A EKG “Show & Tell”
Michael Hoskins, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine, Emory University Hospital

7:40 A Arrhythmias
Michael Hoskins, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine, Cardiac Electrophysiology, Emory University Hospital

8:00 A Critical Care Cardiology
Neal Dickert, MD, PhD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

8:30 A Acute Coronary Syndromes
Michael McDaniel, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

8:55 A Aortic and Peripheral Vascular Disease
Gregory C. Robertson, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine, Emory Johns Creek Hospital, Chief, Emory Johns Creek Hospital, Medical Director, Cardiac Cath Lab Emory Johns Creek Hospital

9:25 A Break

9:40 A Valvular Heart Disease
Kunal Bhatt, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

10:15 A Heart Failure
Divya Gupta, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

10:50 A Chronic Stable Coronary Artery Disease
Amir Rezvan, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

11:15 A High Yield Cardiology Potpourri
Maan Jokhadar, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

11:45 A Cardiology Pearls
Rebecca Levit, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

12:15 P Lunch (on your own)

Digestive Diseases
Section Leader: Preeti Reshamwala, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

1:15 P Acute and Chronic Pancreatitis
Saurabh Chawla, MD – Associate Professor of Medicine

1:40 P Biliary Disease
Saurabh Chawla, MD – Associate Professor of Medicine

2:10 P Chronic Liver Disease & Its Complications
Preeti Reshamwala, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

2:45 P Inflammatory Bowel Disease
Meena Prasad, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

3:10 P Diarrhea
Kavya Sebastian, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

3:35 P Break

3:50 P Acute Liver Disease
Joel Wedd, MD, MPH – Assistant Professor of Medicine, Emory Liver Transplant Center

4:15 P Gastrointestinal Bleeding
Emad Qayed, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine, Chief of Gastroenterology, Grady Memorial Hospital

4:40 P Esophageal Disorders
Parit Mekaroonkamol, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

5:10 P Pearls
Digestive Disease Faculty

5:30 P Adjourn

Day 2: Sunday, July 22, 2018

6:30 A Continental Breakfast

7:00 A Common Musculoskeletal Problems
Erica Heiman, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

Nephrology
Section Leader: Jason Cobb, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

7:40 A Acute Renal Failure
Sarah Johnson, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

8:10 A Chronic Kidney Disease
Anju Oommen, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

8:40 A Glomerulonephritis & Nephrotic Syndrome
Jason Cobb, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

9:10 A Electrolyte Disorders
Ali Kashkouli, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

9:50 A Break

10:05 A Hypertension
Anees Quyyumi, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

10:35 A Acid Base Disorders
Steven Gorbatkin, MD PhD – Associate Professor of Medicine

11:15 A Pearls
Dustin Smith, MD – Associate Professor of Medicine

11:45 A Preventive Medicine
Pamela Vohra-Khullar, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine, Director, Internal Medicine Resident Clinic at 1525

12:15 P Lunch (on your own)

Rheumatology
Section Leader: Jennifer Brandt, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

1:15 P Crystal Arthropathies
Ayesha Iqbal, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

1:45 P Rheumatoid Arthritis
Jennifer Brandt, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

2:10 P Spondylarthropathies
Jennifer Brandt, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

2:35 P SLE
Arezou Khosroshahi, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

3:05 P Scleroderma
Susan Wallis, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

3:35 P Break

3:50 P Inflammatory Myopathies
Prateek Gandiga, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

4:10 P Vasculitis
Athan Tiliakos, DO – Assistant Professor of Medicine, Program Director Rheumatology Fellowship

4:35 P IgG4 Disease/Peals
Arezou Khosroshahi, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

5:00 P Ophthalmology for the Internist
Praneetha Thulasi, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

5:30 P Adjourn

Day 3: Monday, July 23, 2018

6:30 A Continental Breakfast

Hematology
Section Leader: Manila Gaddh, MD – Assistant Professor of Hematology Oncology, Winship Cancer Institute

7:00 A Hematology for the Boards – “The Cytopenias” Anemia, Leukopenia, Thrombocytopenia
Bobby Duc Tran, MD, MSc – Assistant Professor of Hematology and Oncology

7:45 A Hematologic Malignancies
Martha Arellano, MD – Associate Professor of Medicine, Program Director, Hematology and Oncology Fellowship Program

8:15 A Coagulation and Bleeding Disorders
Manila Gaddh, MD – Assistant Professor of Hematology and Oncology

9:00 A Break

Oncology
Section Leader: Nabil Saba, MD – Professor of Hematology and Oncology, Director of the Head and Neck Oncology Program

9:15 A Breast Cancer
Jane Meisel, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

9:55 A Oncologic Emergencies
Stephen Szabo, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine
10:20 A  LUNG AND AERODIGESTIVE MALIGNANCIES
Conor Steuer, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

10:50 A  GASTROINTESTINAL MALIGNANCIES
Walid Shaib, MD – Associate Professor of Medicine

11:15 A  GENITOURINARY MALIGNANCIES
Bradley Carthon, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

11:35 A  CASES IN HEMATOPATHOLOGY
Fuad El Rassi, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

12:05 P  PEARLS  
Giselle Dutcher, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

12:30 P  LUNCH  (on your own)

ENDOCRINOLOGY

SECTION LEADER:  Stephen Brandt, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

1:30 P  DIABETES FOR THE BOARDS  
Sol Jacobs, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

2:05 P  PITUITARY AND ADRENAL DISORDERS  
Adriana loachimescu, MD, PhD – Associate Professor of Medicine and Neurosurgery, Co-Director, The Emory Pituitary Center

3:05 P  CALCIUM DISORDERS  
Francisco Pasqueld, MD - Assistant Professor of Medicine

3:30 P  BREAK

3:45 P  THYROID DISORDERS  
Stephen Brandt, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

4:20 P  REPRODUCTIVE ENDOCRINOLOGY  
Georgia Davis, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

4:50 P  PEARLS  
Sonya Haw, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

5:30 P  ADJOURN

DAY 4: TUESDAY, JULY 24, 2018

6:30 A  CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

PULMONARY, ALLERGY & CRITICAL CARE MEDICINE

SECTION LEADER:  Alvaro Velasquez, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

7:00 A  ALLERGY AND IMMUNOLOGY  
Marissa R. Shams, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine and Allergy/Immunology, Assistant Director Allergy/Immunology Fellowship

7:25 A  SLEEP MEDICINE  
Octavian loachimescu, MD, PhD – Associate Professor of Medicine, Medical Director, VA Sleep Medicine Center, Section Chief – VA Sleep Medicine Section

7:50 A  INTERSTITIAL LUNG DISEASE  
Srihari Veeraraghavan, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine, Director, Interstitial Lung Disease Program

8:20 A  OBSTRUCTIVE LUNG DISEASE  
Alvaro Velasquez, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

8:55 A  PULMONARY HYPERTENSION  
Aaron Trammell, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

9:20 A  BREAK

9:35 A  CRITICAL CARE MEDICINE  
Ashish Mehta, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine, Medical Director, Medical ICU, Atlanta VA

10:15 A  PULMONARY DIAGNOSTICS  
Alex Truong, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

10:35 A  THROMBOEMBOLIC DISEASE  
Micha Fisher, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine, Director, Pulmonary Hypertension Program, Emory University Hospital

11:05 A  PEARLS  
Girish Kalra, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

11:30 A  HIGH YIELD PEARLS FOR PREGNANCY  
Lisa Bernstein, MD – Associate Professor of Medicine

12:00 P  LUNCH  (on your own)

1:00 P  LIPIDS DISORDERS  
Jefferson Baer, MD, MPH – Assistant Professor of Medicine, Director, Preventive Cardiology, Emory University Hospital Midtown

1:30 P  PSYCHIATRY FOR THE INTERNIST  
Marsha Stern, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine and Psychiatry

2:15 P  ETHICS  
Kathy Kinlaw, MDiv – Assistant Professor of Pediatrics, Associate Director, Center for Ethics, Program Director, Ethical Engagement in Health and Science, Director, Healthcare Ethics Consortium

2:45 P  GERIATRICS  
Theodore Johnson II, MD, MPH – Professor of Medicine, Paul W. Seavey Chair in Medicine, Chief, General Medicine and Geriatrics

3:45 P  BREAK

4:00 P  BASICS OF GYNECOLOGY  
Jennifer Wrenn, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine, Department of Gynecology and Obstetrics

4:30 P  DERMATOLOGY FOR INTERNAL MEDICINE  
Justin Cheeley, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

5:00 P  PEARLS  
Anna Kho, MD – Associate Professor of Medicine

5:30 P  ADJOURN

DAY 5: WEDNESDAY JULY 25, 2018

6:30 A  CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

7:00 A  NEUROLOGY FOR THE INTERNIST  
Michael Silver, MD – Asst. Professor of Neurology

7:55 A  MORE NEUROLOGY FOR THE INTERNIST  
Rocio Carolina Garcia Santibanez, MD – Assistant Professor of Neurology

8:50 A  BACTERIAL INFECTIONS – THE – ITIS’S  
Jesse Jacob, MD - Associate Professor of Medicine

9:35 A  BREAK

9:50 A  HIV / AIDS  
Jonathan Colasanti, MD, MSPH – Assistant Professor of Medicine

10:35 A  BACTERIAL INFECTIONS – TICK BORNE DISEASES & TUBERCULOSIS  
Russell Kempker – Assistant Professor of Medicine

11:15 A  PNEUMONIA  
Sheena Kandiah, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine, Director, Antimicrobial Management Program, Grady Memorial Hospital

11:45 A  LUNCH  (on your own)

12:45 P  VIRAL DISEASES  
Frederico Palacio, MD – Associate Professor of Medicine

1:30 P  ANTIBIOTICS  
Mary Beth Sexton, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

2:00 P  STIs  
Anandi Sheth, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

2:45 P  ENT TOPICS FOR THE INTERNIST  
Oswaldo A. Henriquez, MD – Assistant Professor of Neurology

3:15 P  BREAK

3:30 P  PAIN MANAGEMENT  
Jefferson Baer, MD, MPH – Assistant Professor of Medicine

4:15 P  HOSPITAL MEDICINE  
Meredith Lora, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

5:00 P  PEARLS  
Sara Turbow, MD – Assistant Professor of Medicine

5:30 P  ADJOURN
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