



SOUTH SHORE UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL PRESENTS:

# MODERN MULTIDISCIPLINARY APPROACHES FOR SKULL BASE PATHOLOGIES

**Wednesday, October 19, 2022**  
**8:00am - 12:40pm (EDT)**

Live Interprofessional CE Conference offered  
virtually via Zoom

This activity was planned by and for the  
healthcare team, and learners will  
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**ABO** (American Board of Ophthalmology)  
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Head and Neck Surgery)  
**ABS** (American Board of Surgery)

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## Program Agenda

- 8am**            **Opening Remarks**  
David J. Chalif, MD, FACS, FAANS
- 8:05am**        **Overview and Open Microsurgical Approaches to Skull Base Surgery**  
Georgios Klironomos, MD, MSc, PhD
- 8:35am**        **Endoscopic Approaches to Skull Base Surgery**  
Mark Chaskes, MD, MBA
- 9:05am**        **Role of Interventional Radiology for Skull Base Lesions**  
Ina Terón, MD, MPH
- 9:25am**        **Role of Radiation Therapy for Skull Base Lesions**  
Anuj Goenka, MD
- 9:45am**        **Break**
- 10am**           **Vestibular Schwannomas**  
Mark B. Eisenberg, MD, FAANS
- 10:30am**      **Sellar and Parasellar Lesions**  
Mark Chaskes, MD, MBA  
Georgios Klironomos, MD, MSc, PhD
- 11:30am**      **Craniocervical Junction Pathologies**  
Amir R. Dehdashti, MD, FACS  
Yike Jin, MD
- 12pm**           **Case Presentations and Panel Discussions**  
Amir R. Dehdashti, MD, FACS  
Georgios Klironomos, MD, MSc, PhD
- Panelists**  
Mark Chaskes, MD, MBA  
Mark B. Eisenberg, MD, FAANS  
Kristal Santiago, FNP-BC, CNRN
- 12:30pm**      **Closing Remarks**  
Georgios Klironomos, MD, MSc, PhD
- 12:40pm**      **Conference Adjourns**

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**Statement of Need:** Knowledge deficits continue to exist in the evaluation, treatment, and post-care of patients with skull base pathologies. This activity brings together physicians from various specialties to discuss best practice analysis, breakthroughs, and current advances. New technology and multimodality treatments will be discussed, allowing participants of all disciplines to integrate evidence-based protocols into clinical practice in the management of patients with skull base tumors.

**Program Objectives:** All Northwell Health CME activities are intended to improve patient care, safety, and outcomes. At the conclusion of this conference participants should be able to:

- Recall the utility of skull base approaches to treat complex pathologies of this region.
- Discuss the importance of being able to use both open and endoscopic skull base approaches to deal with pathologies located in anatomically complex regions.
- Identify the endonasal corridors used to approach and treat diverse pathologies of the skull base.
- Describe the importance of a dedicated, multidisciplinary skull base team in the management of complex skull base lesions.

**Target Audience:** Physicians, physician associates, nurse practitioners, nurses, fellows, residents, medical and nursing students, Northwell retirees, and allied health professionals associated with skull base pathologies.

**Joint Accreditation Statement:** In support of improving patient care, Northwell Health is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the healthcare team.



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**American Board of Internal Medicine (ABIM):** Successful completion of this CME activity, which includes participation in the evaluation component, enables the participant to earn 4.5 MOC medical knowledge points in the American Board of Internal Medicine's (ABIM) Maintenance of Certification (MOC) program. It is the CME activity provider's responsibility to submit participant completion information to ACCME for the purpose of granting ABIM MOC credit.



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**Verification of Attendance** will be provided to all professionals.

### Course Offering and Registration Fees:

**No charge** Northwell Health employees, students, residents, fellows and Northwell retirees

**\$25** Non-Northwell physicians, physician associates, nurse practitioners, nurses and allied health professionals

**\$50** Everyone else

**Registration fee includes** all course materials, access to live CE conference and CME/verification certificates.

**Cancellation Policy:** To receive a refund, all cancellations must be confirmed via email to Belinda Spatola, Project Manager, bspatola@northwell.edu, Office of Continuing Medical Education by Friday, October 14, 2022. An administrative fee of \$10 will be kept for all cancellations. No refunds will be made after this date or for "no-shows."

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