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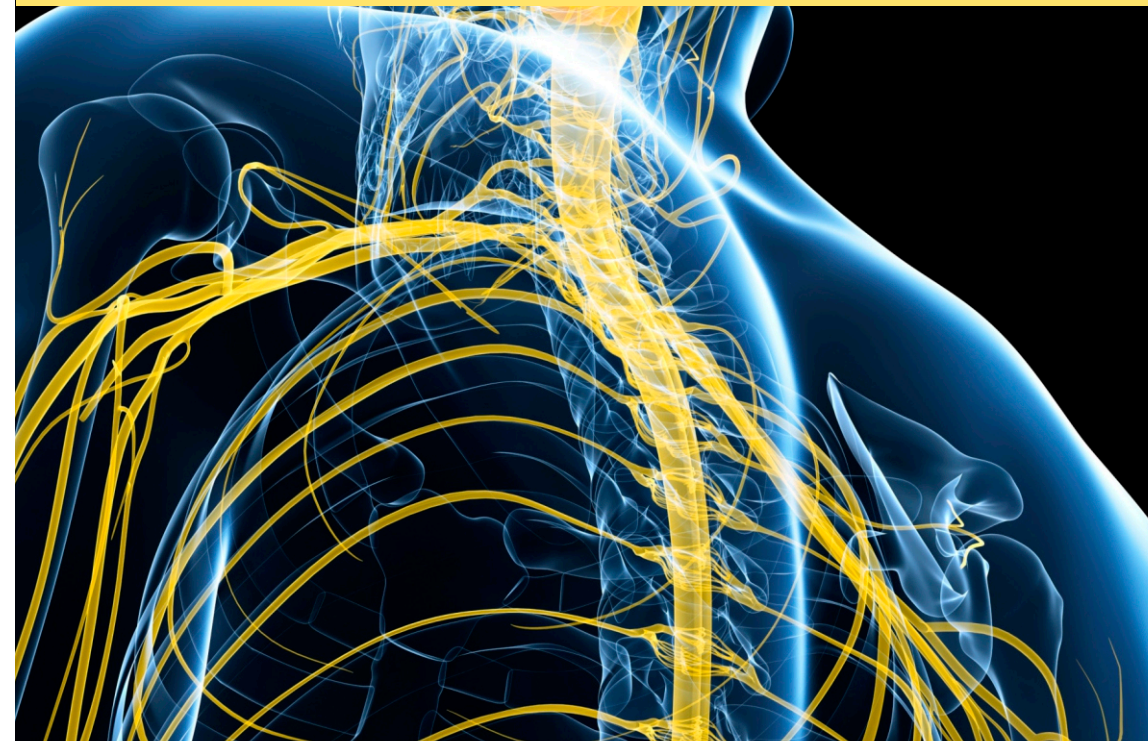
## 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Neuromuscular Disorders Seminar

Focus on COVID19 Related Neuromuscular Disorders and Utilization of Teleneurology.

**April 23, 2022 • 7:30 am-5:15 pm**

**Baylor St. Luke's Medical Center McNair Campus**

**Course Director: Aziz Shaibani, MD, FACP, FAAN, FANA**



### Overview

Neuromuscular disorders comprise at least 50 percent of the neurological diseases, which are responsible for common symptoms, such as fatigue, weakness, numbness, dizziness, loss of balance, and blurred vision. These disorders impose constant diagnostic and therapeutic challenges to the practicing and academic neurologists alike. Several new medications were approved for neuromuscular disorders over the last 2 years, and new genetic testing panels and diagnostic methods have become commercial. Also many new challenges to the practice of neurology were created by COVID19 infection and teleneurology. This seminar is designed especially for the busy neurologist who desires to remain current on the diagnosis and treatment of neuromuscular disorders.

### Target Audience

Physicians, Nurses, Nurse Practitioners, Physician Assistants, Fellows and Residents in the Neurological Sciences.

### Educational Objectives

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

- Identify signs of neuromuscular disorders during or after COVID-19
- Select the appropriate diagnostic methods to diagnose COVID-19
- Outline necessary preventive precautions from COVID19 in patients with neuromuscular disorders
- List ways to protect the healthcare professionals when handling COVID-19 patients with neuromuscular disorders

### Educational Methods

Lecture, Question and Answer Session

### Evaluation

Evaluation by questionnaire will address program content, presentation, and possible bias.

### Accreditation/Credit Designation

Baylor College of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Baylor College of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 7.00 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*<sup>™</sup>. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

The American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology has reviewed the Annual Neuromuscular Seminar and has approved this activity as part of a comprehensive self-assessment activity, which is mandated by the ABMS as a necessary component of continuing certification.



## Speakers



**James F. Howard Jr., MD**  
Distinguished Professor of Neuromuscular Disease  
Professor of Neurology & Medicine  
Chief, Neuromuscular Disorders Section  
Dept. of Neurology  
University of North Carolina School of Medicine



**Senda Ajroud-Driss, MD**  
Associate Professor of Neurology  
Director of the Lois Insolia ALS Clinic  
Department of Neurology  
Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine



**Tahseen Mozaffar, MD**  
Professor, Neurology, Pathology and Orthopedic Surgery  
School of Medicine  
Director, Division of Neuromuscular Diseases, Neurology  
School of Medicine  
University of California, Irvine



**Anthony Amato, M.D.**  
BWH Distinguished Chair in Neurology  
Chief, Neuromuscular Division  
Brigham and Women's Hospital  
Professor of Neurology  
Harvard Medical School



**Suur Biliciler, MD**  
Associate Professor of Neurology  
Co-Director, Neurology Residency Program  
Department of Neurology  
McGovern Medical School  
Houston, Texas



**Ericka P. Greene, MD**  
The Sumner Family Chair in Neuromuscular Research, Stanley H. Appel Department of Neurology  
Professor of Clinical Neurology,  
Houston Methodist  
Weill Cornell Medical College



**J Eric R. Anderson, M.D., PhD**  
Director of Scientific Affairs, SOC Telemed  
National Director of Epilepsy and EEG service, SOC Telemed  
Medical Director, Corticare



**Sudhakar Tummala, MD**  
Professor of Neurology, Director, Neurophysiology Lab, Department of Neuro-Oncology  
The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston



**Aziz Shaibani, MD**  
Program Director  
Director, Nerve and Muscle Center of Texas  
Clinical Professor of Medicine,  
Baylor College of Medicine,  
Houston



**Michael Newmark, MD**  
Clinical Professor of Neurology  
Baylor College of Medicine  
Associate Program Director

## Agenda

- 7:30am - Registration, Exhibits and Continental Breakfast
- 8:20am - Welcome and Introduction
- 8:30am - COVID19 and Neuromuscular Disorders  
Anthony Amato, M.D.
- 9:15am - Advances in Treating Myasthenia Gravis  
James F. Howard, Jr., MD
- 10:00am - Refreshment Breaks and Exhibits
- 10:20am - Update on Inclusion Body Myositis  
Tahseen Mozaffar, M.D.
- 11:05am - Teleneurology: Maximizing Neurology Exam & Billing Effectiveness  
Eric R. Anderson, M.D., PhD
- 12:00pm - Lunch
- 1:00pm - Advances in Managing Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis  
Senda Ajroud-Driss, M.D.
- 1:45pm - Antibodies Testing in Inflammatory Myopathies  
Suur Biliciler, M.D.
- 2:30pm - Stem Cell Therapy in Neuromuscular Disorders  
Ericka Simpson, M.D.
- 3:15pm - Refreshment Breaks and Exhibits
- 3:35pm - Paraneoplastic Neuromuscular Disorders  
Sudhakar Tummala, M.D.
- 4:20pm - Video Challenges in Neuromuscular Disorders  
Aziz Shaibani, M.D.
- 5:05pm - Course Evaluations
- 5:15pm - Adjourned

## Seminar Location

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McNair Campus  
7200 Cambridge Street  
Houston, TX 77030  
Free garage parking

## Accommodations

Accommodations can be arranged through the suggested hotels within the Texas Medical Center area. Free shuttle service is available by the hotel to the seminar location.

- Houston Marriott Texas Medical Center
- Hilton Houston Plaza/Medical Center

## Attire

Attire for the conference is business casual. Since meeting room temperatures and personal comfort levels vary, it's recommended that you bring a sweater or jacket.

## Registration

Payment is required at the time of registration. Only registrations accompanied with payment will be accepted. Please register in advance. Fees include course materials, continental breakfast, lunch, refreshments, and continuing education credit.

**To register, please visit: <http://tiny.cc/bcm-neuromuscular-2022>**

## Cancellation/Refund Policy

Requests for registration refunds must be in writing and received at least 10 business days before the seminar. Requests received after the refund deadline will not be processed. We reserve the right to cancel activities, not less than 10 business days before the scheduled date. Registrants will be notified at the contact number indicated on the registration forms.

## More Information

For on-site registration and exhibitors, contact Linda Carter, email [hounelc@msn.com](mailto:hounelc@msn.com) or call **281.660.2990** at least 48 hours prior to seminar to confirm activity status and space availability. For more information and to register, please visit:

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