Overview
General neurologists need periodic and regular updates about many hot topics in neuromuscular disorders. Evidence-based literature grows by the day and indications and contraindications change. Also, new medications are emerging and approved regularly which exacerbates the need to learn about their place in the treatment paradigm and to navigate the high-price dilemma. There is also a need to broaden the scope of the general neurologists on the emerging literature on hereditary neuropathies and idiopathic inflammatory myopathies. There is growing literature on increased utilization of genetic testing in the diagnosis of neuromuscular diseases which need to be addressed. This seminar is designed to have national and world experts talk about emerging therapies and updates on different neuromuscular disorders such as chronic inflammatory demyelinating polyneuropathy, neuromuscular complications of cancer, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, and myasthenia gravis.

At the conclusion of this activity, the participants should be able to:
- Apply new genetic tests to diagnose hereditary neuromuscular disorders
- Identify appropriate medication for the treatment of refractory myasthenia gravis
- Identify the genetic implications of hereditary neuropathies
- Identify the diagnostic waveforms associated with various disorders

Target Audience
Designed for individuals interested in learning about new advances in the diagnosis and treatment of neuromuscular disorders, who are primarily neurologists, physiatrists, physician assistants, nurses, neurology fellows, residents, and students.

Educational Methods
Lectures and Case Study

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

Accreditation/Credit Designation
AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™
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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

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James Orengo, MD, PhD
Associate Professor of Neurology
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Agenda

7:30 am: Registration, Exhibits and Continental Breakfast
8:20 am: Welcome and Introduction
Aziz Shaibani, M.D.
8:30 am: Therapeutic Updates in Neuromuscular Disorders, Tom Lloyd, MD, PhD.
9:15 am: Hereditary Neuropathies: An Update
Jun Li, MD, PhD.
10:00 am: Refreshment Breaks and Exhibits
10:20 pm: CIDP: Therapeutic Paradigm
Said Beydoun, MD
11:05 am: Pitfalls In The Sensory And Motor NCSs
Bassam Bassam, MD
12:00 pm: Lunch
1:00 pm: Artificial Intelligence In The Neurology Practice, James Hillis, MD
1:45 pm: Real Neuromuscular Video Cases
Aziz Shaibani, MD
2:30 pm: Paradigm Shift In The Treatment Of Myasthenia Gravis, Thy Nguyen, MD
3:15 pm: Refreshment Breaks and Exhibits
3:35 pm: Diagnostic Genetic Panels In Neuromuscular Disorders, James Orengo, MD, PhD
4:20 pm: Neuromuscular Manifestations Of Cancer
Sudhakar Tummala, MD
5:05 pm: Course Evaluations
5:15 pm: Adjourned

Seminar Location
Baylor St. Luke’s Medical Center
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 is 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.

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