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FROM THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

On behalf of the Board of the Directors of the American Society of Interventional Pain Physicians, it is my privilege and pleasure to invite you to attend an exciting, focused, AND comprehensive, didactic and hands-on cadaver workshop covering vertebroplasty, kyphoplasty and sacroplasty on February 8–10, 2008 in Memphis, Tennessee.

We have created a state-of-the-art educational program of didactic courses covering various aspects of vertebroplasty, kyphoplasty and sacroplasty followed by a comprehensive hands-on cadaver workshop to meet the credentialing needs of interventional pain physicians or to perform these procedures or for those who would like to learn more about the procedure.

This intensive review course and comprehensive vertebroplasty, kyphoplasty and sacroplasty cadaver workshop will cover all aspects of these techniques providing a comprehensive overview of the subject, with extensive case discussions and interaction with the faculty. It is planned as a CME activity to prepare physicians seeking credentialing and as an in-depth review of vertebroplasty, kyphoplasty and sacroplasty. Participants will experience a comprehensive and intensive learning opportunity; focusing on all aspects of vertebroplasty, kyphoplasty and sacroplasty. During this 3-day event, you can improve existing skills, learn new skills and improve your standing in the community.

Whether you have been practicing vertebroplasty, kyphoplasty and sacroplasty for many years or you are new to the field with basic skills, we are confident that you will find this comprehensive review course and hands-on cadaver workshop to be beneficial, as it is essential to learn new and relevant information to survive in the new millennium.

We trust you will be as excited as we are about this exceptional opportunity for professional enhancement. The seminar will be conducted at Memphis Marriott Downtown, 250 North Main Street, Memphis TN 38103 and the world famous Medical Education and Research Institute (MERI) in Memphis TN. Make your plans early to attend. We look forward to seeing you in Memphis.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 2831 Lone Oak Road, Paducah, KY 42003, phone: 270-554-8373 ext. 101, fax: 270-554-8987, or e-mail: drm@apex.net

Thank you,

Laxmaiah Manchikanti, MD
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Description

This 2½-day comprehensive review course and hands-on cadaver workshop will describe and demonstrate improved skill levels of vertebroplasty, kyphoplasty and sacroplasty. The desired outcome is for physicians to integrate various aspects of the interventional pain management techniques of vertebroplasty, kyphoplasty and sacroplasty in treating patients in order to provide better outcomes and reduced side effects for patients.

The 1-day cadaver workshop includes hands-on workshop of interventional techniques consisting of vertebroplasty, kyphoplasty and sacroplasty by utilizing cadavers. Participants will experience a comprehensive and intense learning opportunity, focusing on the evolution of vertebroplasty, kyphoplasty and sacroplasty.

This program is designed for interventional pain physicians as a review, skills improvement, or to assist in obtaining credentials. It is the most in-depth, comprehensive, and individualized program available for vertebroplasty, kyphoplasty and sacroplasty training in the United States, featuring maximum hands-on training with cadavers in a state-of-the-art facility and maximum ability to interact with other participants with pre- and post-didactic courses.

Each cadaver station is limited to 6-8 participants. The workshop is limited to 70 participants with 10 cadaver stations. C-arms and state-of-the-art equipment are utilized in this course. Participants are requested to dress in casual attire or scrubs. Leaded aprons and thyroid shields will be provided, however, participants are advised to bring their own protective eyewear.

ASIPP's vertebroplasty, kyphoplasty and sacroplasty review course and cadaver workshop is designed for interventional pain physicians. The seminar is planned as a CME activity to prepare physicians seeking to perform the procedures and credentialing as in-depth review of the subject.

Objectives

After this course, participants should be able to:

- Describe the delivery of multiple aspects of interventional pain management.
- Demonstrate improved skill levels of interventional techniques.
- Describe the techniques of Vertebroplasty, Kyphoplasty and Sacroplasty

Outcome

Improve physician skill levels and knowledge of the interventional techniques of Vertebroplasty, Kyphoplasty and Sacroplasty.

Target Audience/Purpose

The ASIPP Vertebroplasty, Kyphoplasty and Sacroplasty Review Course and Cadaver Workshop is designed for interventional pain physicians. The seminar is planned as a CME activity as an in-depth review of interventional techniques. This review course will be based on the specifications of the cadaver workshop. The cadaver workshop is offered to improve the delivery of multiple aspects of interventional pain management. It is designed to demonstrate improve skill levels and knowledge of interventional techniques, focusing on vertebroplasty, kyphoplasty and sacroplasty so that multiple aspects of interventional pain management can be used when treating patients. The desired outcome is to integrate multiple aspects of vertebroplasty, kyphoplasty and sacroplasty in treating your patients so that patients have better outcomes and reduced side effects.

Accreditation Statement

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with Essential Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint sponsorship of the University of Louisville and the American Society of Interventional Pain Physicians. The University of Louisville is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Category I Credit

The University of Louisville Continuing Health Sciences Education designates this educational activity for a maximum of 20.75 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Cadaver Workshop Site

Medical Education & Research Institute,

44 South Cleveland, Memphis, TN 38104

MERI is a non-profit institute located in the heart of the downtown medical center in Memphis, Tennessee. The 27,000-square-foot facility houses three anatomic teaching laboratories; seven private, high-security research suites; and an auditorium equipped with the most state-of-the-art audiovisual systems available, including 3-D systems for viewing videos. MERI specializes in producing world-class educational programs, offering the most current information on the latest medical techniques and products.

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There is no commercial support for this course.

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The Vertebroplasty, Kyphoplasty and Sacroplasty review course and cadaver workshop are supported by unrestricted grants from Kyphon, Stryker, and Cardinal Health.

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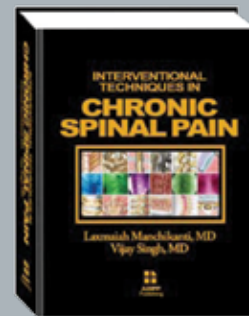
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Interventional Techniques in Chronic Spinal Pain is the premier manual to guide the interventionalist with detailed descriptions of practical techniques in interventional pain management. The book contains short, focused, highly instructional chapters accompanied by color illustrations, tables and radiographic images. A CD version is included.



Friday February 8, 2008

7:00am–8:00am	REGISTRATION & CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST (MARRIOTT)	
8:00am–8:30am	Introduction to ASIPP and Review Course	Laxmaiah Manchikanti, MD
8:30am–9:15am	Fluoroscopy for Vertebral Augmentation Procedures	David M. Schultz, MD
9:15am–9:45am	Epidemiology, Pathophysiology, and Diagnosis of Vertebral Fractures	Peter S. Kosek, MD
9:45am–10:15am	Relevant Anatomy and Biomechanical Considerations of Augmentation	Arthur S. Watanabe, MD
10:15am–10:30am	BREAK	
10:30am–11:00am	Evolution of Vertebroplasty, Kyphoplasty and Sacroplasty	Stephen T. Lester, MD
11:00am–11:30am	What is the Evidence for Vertebroplasty, Kyphoplasty and Sacroplasty?	Arthur S. Watanabe, MD
11:30am–12:00pm	Percutaneous Vertebroplasty: Technique	Ramsin M. Benyamin, MD
12:00pm–1:00pm	LUNCH (provided) (MARRIOTT)	
1:00pm–1:30pm	Balloon Kyphoplasty: Technique	Joshua A. Hirsch, MD
1:30pm–2:00pm	Sacroplasty: Technique	Michael E. Frey, MD
2:00pm–2:30pm	Complications of Vertebroplasty, Kyphoplasty and Sacroplasty	Arthur S. Watanabe, MD
2:30pm–3:00pm	Standards for Performance of Vertebroplasty, Kyphoplasty and Sacroplasty	Arthur S. Watanabe, MD
3:00pm–3:15pm	BREAK	
3:15pm–3:45pm	Documentation, Billing, Coding and Reimbursement	Joanne Mehmert, CPC
3:45pm–5:30pm	Utilization of Various Types of Equipment in Vertebroplasty, Kyphoplasty and Sacroplasty	Moderator: Arthur S. Watanabe, MD
5:30pm	ADJOURN DAY 1	

Saturday February 9, 2008

6:45am–7:00am	SHUTTLES DEPART THE HOTEL TO MERI FACILITY	
7:00am–7:45am	REGISTRATION & CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	
7:45am–8:15am	Introduction to Interventional Pain Management Workshop	Ramsin M. Benyamin, MD
8:30am–12:15pm	Hands-on Cadaver Sessions 10 workstations	
12:15pm–1:15pm	LUNCH (provided)	
1:15pm–5:30pm	Hands-on Cadaver Sessions 10 workstations	
5:45pm–6:00pm	SHUTTLES DEPART FROM THE MERI FACILITY TO HOTEL	

Sunday February 10, 2008

7:00am–8:00am	REGISTRATION & CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST (MARRIOTT)	
8:00am–8:15am	Introduction	Laxmaiah Manchikanti, MD
8:15am–8:45am	Summary of Review Course and Workshop	Arthur S. Watanabe, MD
8:45am–8:55am	Case Presentation: Single-Level Lumbar Vertebroplasty	Andres Betts, MD
8:55am–9:05am	Case Presentation: Single-Level Thoracic Vertebroplasty	Allen W. Burton, MD
9:05am–9:15am	Case Presentation: Multi-Level Lumbar Vertebroplasty	Michael E. Frey, MD
9:15am–9:25am	Case Presentation: Single-Level Lumbar Kyphoplasty	Kent B. Remley, MD
9:25am–9:35am	Case Presentation: Single-Level Thoracic Kyphoplasty	Andres Betts, MD
9:35am–9:45am	Case Presentation: Sacroplasty	Michael E. Frey, MD
9:45am–10:00am	BREAK	
10:00am–12:00am	DISCUSSION FORUM	
12:00pm	EVALUATION AND ADJOURNMENT	

Registration Form

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Approximately **60** participants will be allowed in the Workshop. Please complete the enclosed registration form and return to ASIPP with payment (**your application will not be processed if payment does not accompany registration form**).

ASIPP reserves the right to cancel this Workshop and/or Review Preparation Course upon reasonable notice and will assume no financial obligation to registrants for cancellation of the course for reasons beyond its control. Registration fees will be refunded. However, costs incurred by the registrants, such as airline or hotel fees or penalties, are the responsibility of the registrants.

Registrants who are not accepted into this workshop will receive notice by mail with their returned check.

IMPORTANT. Please answer all the questions:

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- Anesthesiology Psychiatry
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- 09 - Interventional Pain Management
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Percentage of Interventional Pain Management Practice:

- 0% 1-25% 26-50% 51-75% > 75%

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- 0 1-5 6-10 > 10

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