

# COMPREHENSIVE IMAGING REVIEW

IN INTERVENTIONAL PAIN MANAGEMENT  
AND COMPETENCY EXAMINATIONS

Up to 17.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™

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**June 9-11 | Sheraton Memphis Downtown Hotel**

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Interventional Pain Physicians  
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## FROM THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND CEO, ASIPP®

On behalf of the American Society of Interventional Pain Physicians and the American Board of Interventional Pain Physicians, it is our pleasure to invite you to attend the Comprehensive Imaging Review for Interventional Pain Management and Competency Exam to be held in Memphis, TN, on June 9-11, 2016.

We have revised our program to meet continuing needs of interventionalists, based on input and needs assessment over the years and created a state-of-the-art educational didactic course covering comprehensive imaging review for interventional pain management.

This two day review course will include didactics designed to provide interventional pain physicians with the ability to understand imaging diagnosis, radiation safety, fluoroscopy interpretation, appropriate needle placement, as well as other practice essentials. In addition to the review course, the American Board of Interventional Pain Physicians offers the opportunity for examination in order for physicians to obtain competency certification.

The course is planned to prepare physicians seeking board certification by ABIPP, obtain necessary CME credits and/or as an in-depth review of interventional techniques. Participants will experience a comprehensive and intense learning opportunity focusing on aspects of imaging review. Now examinations are offered at two separate times on Saturday for your convenience; 9:00am and 4:30pm.

This course is an essential component for interventional pain physicians and provides education opportunities to assist you in providing high quality, competent, safe, accessible, and cost-efficient services to your patients. Our faculty consists of many experts in the field of imaging. We trust you will be as excited as we are about this exceptional opportunity for professional enhancement. This course, as with all ASIPP courses, focuses on doing the right things, the right way, and for the right reasons.

We hope you will 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@asipp.org](mailto:drm@asipp.org)

Sincerely,

**Laxmaiah Manchikanti, MD**

## COURSE DIRECTORS



**Laxmaiah Manchikanti, MD**  
Chairman of the Board and  
Chief Executive Officer, ASIPP®



**Sheri Albers, DO**  
Sacramento, CA



**Kent Remley, MD**  
Georgia Pain and Spine Care



**Louis K. Wagner, PhD**  
Professor, UTHealth

## STATEMENT OF NEED

This comprehensive review course is planned as a CME activity to prepare for competency certification or an in-depth review in areas of Imaging for Interventional Pain Techniques. This review course is based on the American Board of Interventional Pain Physicians' specifications for competency certification examinations.

This course will provide in-depth evaluation of the knowledge of the participants with extensive review of subject(s).

## EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES/TARGET AUDIENCE

The review course is intended to present interventional pain management specialists, nurses, and other healthcare providers an in-depth review of multiple areas of imaging for interventional pain techniques.

### EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES:

- Understand evolution and basic principles of imaging specific to interventional pain techniques
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- Understand diagnosis of pain conditions
- Understand radiation regulations and safety
- Fluoroscopic interpretation
- Incorporate or enhance imaging in treating your patients for better outcomes and reduced side effects
- Discuss coding and billing
- Provide high-quality, competent, safe, accessible, and cost-efficient services to your patients.
- Discuss documentation for IPM
- Attain eligibility for ABIPP competency certification
- Discuss coding and billing
- Examine compliance issues

## OUTCOME

Participants in the Imaging Review course should be able to apply the fundamental concepts of imaging for better outcomes and reduced side effects for patients. They should leave with greater knowledge of imaging and interventional pain management as it applies to their patients and practice.

## CATEGORY I CREDIT

The Institute for Medical Studies designates this live activity for a maximum of 17.5 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Physicians of Osteopathic Medicine — the American Osteopathic Association (AOA) accepts *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™* as AOA Category 2-B credit.

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Nurse Practitioners: The American Academy of Nurse Practitioners (AANP) accepts *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™* from organizations accredited by the ACCME.

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Physician Assistants- The American Academy of Physician Assistants (AAPA) accepts *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™* from organizations accredited by the ACCME.

## AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT AND SPECIAL SERVICES

Organizers fully comply with the legal requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act and the rules and regulations thereof. If any participant in this educational activity is in need of accommodations, please contact the organizers at (270) 554-9412 at least 10 days prior to the conference.

## ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of The Institute for Medical Studies and the American Society of Interventional Pain Physicians (ASIPP®). The Institute for Medical Studies is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

*ASIPP® is now an ABA Registered CME Provider.*

## CODING CREDIT

ASIPP® has applied for approval of the American Academy of Professional Coders for the appropriate Continuing Education Units. Granting of this approval in no way constitutes endorsement by the Academy of the program, content or any sponsors.



## ACCOMMODATIONS

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Inform the agent that you are booking for American Society of Interventional Pain Physicians. We have secured a group rate of \$141. Register early, as all unbooked rooms will be released on May 16, 2016 or until sold out, whichever occurs first.



**Sheraton**

## THURSDAY JUNE 9, 2016

### IMAGING REVIEW FOR IPM TECHNIQUES

#### 8:00 am - 12:00 pm Chairperson: Kent Remley, MD

8:00 am – 8:05 am	Introduction - <b>Kent Remley, MD</b>
8:05 am – 8:30 am	Introduction to Course and Examination - <b>Kent Remley, MD</b>
8:30 am – 9:00 am	Evolution and Basic Principles of X-ray and Fluoroscopy - <b>Louis K. Wagner, PhD</b>
9:00 am – 9:30 am	Billing and Coding for Fluoroscopy - <b>Marvel Hammer, RN, CPC</b>
9:30 am – 10:00 am	Production, Nature, and the Effect of Fluoroscopy - <b>Louis K. Wagner, PhD</b>
10:00 am – 10:30 am	BREAK
10:30 am – 11:00 am	Radiation Regulations and Safety Management for Patients and Protection of Staff - <b>Louis K. Wagner, PhD</b>
11:00 am – 11:30 pm	Contrast Agents for Fluoroscopy: Indications and Risks - <b>Douglas Spiel, MD</b>
11:30 pm – 12:00 pm	Clinical Safety Applications of Fluoroscopy in Interventional Pain Management - <b>Kent Remley, MD</b>
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	LUNCH

#### 1:00 pm – 6:00 pm Lumbar Spine Chairperson: Sheri Albers, DO

1:00 pm – 1:15 pm	Introduction to Lumbar Spine Imaging - <b>Douglas Spiel, MD</b>
1:15 pm – 1:45 pm	Clinical and Technical Considerations of Plain X-rays and Myelography of Lumbar Spine - <b>Douglas Spiel, MD</b>
1:45 pm – 2:15 pm	Clinical and Technical Considerations and Classifications of CT and MRI - <b>Sheri Albers, DO</b>
2:15 pm – 2:30 pm	BREAK
2:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Diagnosis of Disc Degeneration - <b>Sheri Albers, DO</b>
3:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Diagnosis and Nomenclature of Disc Bulging, Protrusion, Herniation, and Extrusion - <b>Sheri Albers, DO</b>
3:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Diagnosis of Miscellaneous Lumbar Conditions - <b>Sheri Albers, DO</b>
4:00 pm – 4:30 pm	Fluoroscopy and Needle Placement - <b>Kent Remley, MD</b>
4:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Diagnosis of Spinal Stenosis - <b>Kent Remley, MD</b>
5:00 pm – 5:30 pm	Assessment of Images (attendees review and write reports)
5:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Review for Assessment of Images: Interactive Discussion - <b>All Faculty</b>

## FRIDAY JUNE 10, 2016

### IMAGING REVIEW FOR IPM TECHNIQUES

<b>8:00 a.m. – 12:00 pm Chairperson: Kent Remley, MD</b>	
8:00 am – 8:10 am	Introduction to Imaging Cervical and Thoracic Spine - <b>Kent Remley, MD</b>
8:10 am – 8:40 am	Clinical and Technical Considerations: Plain X-rays and Myelography of Cervical and Thoracic Spine - <b>Kent Remley, MD</b>
8:40 am – 9:10 am	Clinical and Technical Considerations of CT and MRI - <b>Douglas Spiel, MD</b>
9:10 am – 10:10 am	Diagnosis of Cervical Spinal Disorders - <b>Kent Remley, MD</b>
10:10 am – 11:10 am	Diagnosis of Thoracic Spinal Disorders - <b>Kent Remley, MD</b>
11:10 am – 11:40 am	Fluoroscopy for Needle Placement in the Cervical and Thoracic Spine - <b>Douglas Spiel, MD</b>
11:40 am – 12:00 pm	Evolution and Basic Principles of CT and MRI Scanning - <b>Louis K. Wagner, PhD</b>
12:00 pm – 12:50 pm	LUNCH
<b>12:50 a.m. – 6:30 pm Chairperson: Douglas Spiel, MD</b>	
12:50 pm – 1:20 pm	Assessment of Images (attendees review and write reports)
1:20 pm – 2:20 pm	Review of Assessment of Images: Interactive Discussions - <b>All Faculty</b>
2:20 pm – 2:50 pm	Head, Neck, Chest, and Abdominal Imaging - <b>Frank Falco, MD</b>
2:50 pm – 3:10 pm	BREAK
3:10 pm – 3:40 pm	Head and Neck Fluoroscopy and Needle Placement - <b>Frank Falco, MD</b>
3:40 pm – 4:10 pm	Thoracic, Chest, and Abdomen Fluoroscopy and Needle Placement - <b>Douglas Spiel, MD</b>
4:10 pm – 4:40 pm	Imaging of Upper and Lower Extremities - <b>Sheri Albers, DO</b>
4:40 pm – 5:10 pm	Fluoroscopy and Needle Placement for Upper and Lower Extremities - <b>Frank Falco, MD</b>
5:10 pm – 5:40 pm	Review of Images of Head, Neck, Thoracic Spine, Chest, Abdomen, and Extremities - <b>All Faculty</b>
5:40 pm – 6:30 pm	Review and Discussion of Images: Interactive Discussion - <b>All Faculty</b>

## SATURDAY JUNE 11, 2016

### COMPETENCY EXAMINATIONS

(Select from the following. Same exams at different times)

#### o IMAGING REVIEW FOR IPM TECHNIQUES

<b>9:00am REGISTRATION</b>	
9:15am	Test Instruction and Examination Begin (You will have 2 hours to complete the 100 question examination)

#### o IMAGING REVIEW FOR IPM TECHNIQUES

<b>5:30pm REGISTRATION</b>	
5:45pm	Test Instruction and Examination Begin (You will have 2 hours to complete the 100 question examination)



# REGISTRATION FOR PHYSICIANS

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

Please type or print your information clearly

NAME	(FIRST)	(MIDDLE INITIAL)	(LAST)
ORGANIZATION			
ADDRESS			
CITY	STATE		ZIP
PHONE	CELL	FAX	
E-MAIL			

## PHYSICIAN INFORMATION

Please answer all the following questions.

**MEDICAL DEGREE:** ☐ MD ☐ DO ☐ PhD ☐ Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**PRIMARY PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE SETTING** (please check all that apply):

☐ Ambulatory Surgery ☐ Hospital ☐ Office ☐ Academic ☐ University ☐ Administrative ☐ Military ☐ VA

☐ Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

PHYSICIAN REGISTRATION INFORMATION	
REGISTRATION FEES	
<b>2-day Imaging Review Course</b>	<input type="radio"/> \$1,200 (Physician Member) <input type="radio"/> \$1,500 (Physician Non-member)
<b>Competency Examinations</b> <input type="radio"/> 9:00am <input type="radio"/> 4:30pm	<input type="radio"/> \$600 (Physician Member and Non-member)
<b>Fellows and Residents Receive a 50% Discount</b>	<input type="radio"/> 50% Discount

**PAYMENT METHOD** (Please check one):

☐ MASTERCARD ☐ VISA ☐ AMERICAN EXPRESS ☐ DISCOVER

CREDIT CARD NUMBER EXPIRATION DATE SECURITY CODE

NAME ON CARD

☐ CHECK CHECK NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ ENCLOSED (Payable to ABIPP)  
(Your application will not be processed if payment does not accompany registration form)

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

**RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO:**

ASIPP®, 81 Lakeview Drive, Paducah, KY 42001 or  
Fax to 270-554-5394

**CANCELLATION POLICY:**

ASIPP reserves the right to cancel this course upon reasonable notice and will assume no financial obligation to registrants for cancellation 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. ASIPP requires a 30-day notice of cancellation. Cancellations must be submitted in writing by May 10, 2016. Cancellations after May 10, 2016 but prior to May 26, 2016 will forfeit 50% of their registration fee. No refunds can be made after May 26, 2016

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## REGISTRATION FOR NON-PHYSICIANS



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### NON-PHYSICIAN INFORMATION

Please answer all the following questions.

**PERSONAL DATA:** (for statistical purposes only) Date of birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ ☐ Male ☐ Female

**HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED:** \_\_\_\_\_

CERTIFICATIONS: ☐ JD ☐ MBA ☐ MA ☐ CPA ☐ CPC ☐ CPE ☐ PA ☐ NP ☐ CRNA ☐ RN ☐ RT ☐ ST ☐ Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS/EXPERIENCE IN THE FIELD:**

☐ Coding \_\_\_\_ years ☐ Billing \_\_\_\_ years ☐ Compliance \_\_\_\_ years ☐ Practice Management \_\_\_\_ years

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**2-day Imaging Review Course**

☐ \$800 (Non-physician Member)  
☐ \$1,000 (Non-physician Non-member)

**Competency Examinations** ☐ 9:00am ☐ 4:30pm

☐ \$500 (Non-physician Member and Non-member)

**PAYMENT METHOD** (Please check one):

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