

Melanoma and Other Skin Cancers:

Biology and Patient Management 2020



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A Virtual Conference

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Course Description

In this interdisciplinary conference, an expert, international faculty will present clinical updates in melanoma biology, staging and early disease management. This includes novel approaches to melanoma detection and risk prediction. In addition, exciting advances in the treatment of patients with high-risk and metastatic disease will be discussed with a special emphasis on the multidisciplinary approach to the care of patients with melanoma. Other sessions will feature new data on the role of neoadjuvant and adjuvant therapy, the management of patients with brain metastases and leptomeningeal disease, duration of systemic therapy, changes in the role of surgery and the impact of various prognostic and predictive biomarkers on patient management. Concluding the day will be a session examining the latest approaches to the management of non-melanoma skin cancers. Case presentations and debates will address complex and controversial management issues in patients with high-risk and advanced melanoma and non-melanoma skin cancer.

Learning Objectives

Physicians

- Analyze and apply new insights in the diagnosis and treatment of advanced melanoma.
- Use appropriate staging modalities correctly gauge patient risk of recurrence and death and choose the most appropriate patient care strategy.
- Discuss evolving research and treatment options for patients with disease resistant to IO +/- BRAF/MEK inhibitor therapy.
- Recognize the value of multidisciplinary evaluation and assessment, in contributing to more effective and expedited patient treatment.
- Assess new data on molecularly targeted therapies and novel immunotherapy in order to develop integrated treatment plans for patients with various molecular subtypes and stages of disease.
- Incorporate salvage surgery and targeted radiation in selected patients to enhance long term outcomes.
- Recognize the changing role in completion lymph node dissection.
- Describe the new data on choice of combination vs. single agent immunotherapy.
- Apply new data on adjuvant and neoadjuvant therapy.
- Recognize new approaches to the management of patients with brain metastases and leptomeningeal disease.
- Analyze and apply new insights in the treatment of non-melanoma skin cancers.

Nurses

- Identify appropriate surgical interventions/indications for patients with melanoma and non-melanoma skin cancers.
- Identify indications for radiographic studies including PET and CT scans in staging and evaluating response.
- Explain the role of radiation therapy in the adjuvant and metastatic settings.
- Recognize systemic treatment modalities for melanomas and non-melanoma skin cancers in the adjuvant and metastatic settings including immunotherapy, targeted agents and vaccines.

Target Audience

This conference is intended for radiologists, dermatologists, oncologists, pathologists, plastic surgeons, radiation oncologists, medical oncologists, residents, fellows, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, nurses, medical students, and other members of the healthcare team interested in the management of melanoma and other skin cancers.

Accreditation



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Credit Designation



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This activity was planned by and for the healthcare team, and learners will receive 6.25 Interprofessional Continuing Education (IPCE) credits for learning and change.

Physicians: MedStar Health designates this live activity for a maximum of 6.25 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Nurses: This activity is approved for 6.25 ANCC contact hours. Nurses should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.



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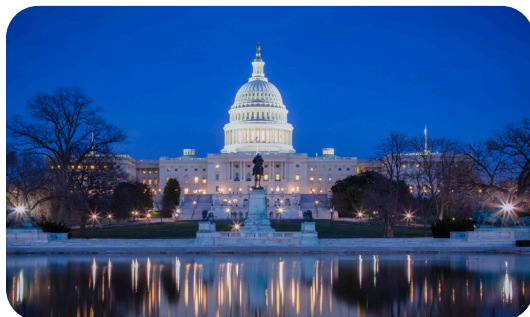
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Agenda

8:00 a.m. **Welcome and Introduction**
Waddah B. Al-Refaie, MD, FACS

SESSION I: Management of Early Stage Melanoma

Session Chair: Waddah B. Al-Refaie, MD, FACS

8:05 a.m. **Clinical Dermatologic Evaluation, New and Future Melanoma Detection Techniques (Melanoma Skin Exams/Artificial Intelligence in Skin Exams)**
Clara Curiel-Lewandrowski, MD

8:25 a.m. **Pathology of Melanoma: Current Status and Prognostic Indicators**
Vesna M. Petronic-Rosic, MD, MSc, MBA

8:45 a.m. **Molecular Prognostic Tests for Melanoma Treatment Decision Making**
Douglas Grossman, MD, PhD

9:05 a.m. **Mohs Surgery for Skin Cancers**
Min Deng, MD

9:25 a.m. **Panel Discussion and Questions**
Moderator:
Waddah B. Al-Refaie, MD, FACS
Panelists: C. Curiel-Lewandrowski, M. Deng, D. Grossman, V. Petronic-Rosic

9:45 a.m. **Morning Break and Visit with the Exhibitors**

SESSION II: Surgical and Neoadjuvant/Adjuvant Therapeutic Approaches

Session Chair: Geoffrey T. Gibney, MD

10:15 a.m. **KEYNOTE LECTURE: Neoadjuvant vs. Adjuvant Therapy: Surgical and Medical Perspectives**
Christian Blank, MD, PhD

11:00 a.m. **Novel Adjuvant Therapy Protocols**
Geoffrey T. Gibney, MD

11:15 a.m. **The Changing Role of Surgery in High-Risk and Metastatic Melanoma**
Waddah B. Al-Refaie, MD, FACS

11:40 a.m. **Panel Discussion and Questions**
Moderator: Geoffrey T. Gibney, MD
Panelists: W. Al-Refaie, C. Blank

12:00 p.m. **Afternoon Break and Visit with the Exhibitors**

SESSION III: Current Challenges in Advanced Disease

Session Chair: Michael B. Atkins, MD

1:00 p.m. **Update on Frontline Systemic Therapy**
Michael B. Atkins, MD

1:20 p.m. **Cellular Therapy Program**
Amod S. Sarnaik, MD

1:40 p.m. **Novel Second/Third Line Treatment Options**
Ryan J. Sullivan, MD

2:00 p.m. **Treatment of Brain Metastases/LMD**
Isabella C. Glitza Oliva, MD, PhD, MS

2:25 p.m. **Update on Systemic Therapies for Non-Melanoma Skin Cancers**
Geoffrey T. Gibney, MD

2:45 p.m. **Panel Discussion and Questions**
Moderator: Michael B. Atkins, MD
Panelists: G. Gibney, I. Glitza Oliva, A. Sarnaik, R. Sullivan

3:05 p.m. **Closing Remarks**
Geoffrey T. Gibney, MD

3:15 p.m. **Adjourn**

Registration Information

Registration is complementary for healthcare providers and professionals!

Physician	\$0
Physician Assistant	\$0
Resident and Fellow	\$0
Nurse Practitioner	\$0
Nurse	\$0
Allied Health Professional	\$0

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Cancellation Policy

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Conference Information

This conference is taking place online with live speakers and Q&A sessions.

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