Neurological Emergencies and Stroke

A free educational event for hospital emergency managers, physicians, nurses, hospital employees, EMS, other healthcare professionals and first responders

**Tuesday, January 24, 2012**
5:30 – 9:30 p.m.

**Conference Center**
Maria Fareri Children’s Hospital at Westchester Medical Center

Pre-registration required:
call 1-877-WMC-DOCS
or register online at


**Free Parking**
For more information,
call 914 493 8892

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**Program**

5:30 p.m.

**Registration & Dinner**

5:50 p.m.

**Welcome**

David Markenson, M.D., FAAP, FACEP
Medical Director, Disaster Medicine and Regional Emergency Services
Westchester Medical Center

6 p.m.

**Emergent Neurovascular Intervention**

Michael Stiefel, M.D., Ph. D.
Westchester Medical Center

7 p.m.

**Break**

7:15 p.m.

**Medical Management of the Stroke Patient**

Stephen Marks, M.D.
Westchester Medical Center

8:15 p.m.

**Assessment of the Neuro Patient**

Kathy D’Aquila, R.N.
Westchester Medical Center

9:15 p.m.

**Closing Remarks**

**CME Registration and Evaluation**

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**Target Audience:**
Nurses, Physicians, Paramedics and EMT’s interested in pre-hospital emergency care of stroke patients.

**Goals:**
The goal is to present emergency care providers, physicians, nurses and first responders with the information necessary to improve outcomes in the care of stroke patients.

**Objectives:**

1. Discuss the most current neurovascular interventions for stroke patients.

2. Describe the newest and most important aspects of the medical management of stroke patients.

3. Discuss the challenges of assessing the neuro patient.

**Continuing Education Information:**

An application has been made for 3.25 hours of Continuing Medical Education (CME) contact hours to Hudson Valley and Westchester County Regional EMS Councils.

Continuing Education Credits are made available through the Hudson Valley Regional and Westchester County Regional EMS Councils.

Application has been made for CEUs.

There is no commercial support for this program.
DIRECTIONS

CONFERENCE CENTER is on the lobby floor. When you enter the building you may walk straight to the information desk. Turn left through the Donor Recognition Corridor. Make a left at Little Dream Street and walk to end of corridor. Turn right at Children's Masterpiece Alley and enter Conference Center on left.

FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH
I-287 west to Exit 3 (Sprain Brook Parkway - North). Follow Sprain Brook Parkway to the second exit (Route 100 - Hawthorne). At stop sign at top of exit, make a left. At the next stop sign turn left onto Woods Road. Pass the Westchester Medical Center main entrance and Emergency entrance. Make a right into entrance for the Maria Fareri Children's Hospital.

FROM THE NORTH
Taconic Parkway or Saw Mill River Parkway south to Sprain Brook Pkwy. Exit at Medical Center-Hawthorne exit just past New York State Police Barracks. Make a right at top of exit onto Rout 100 (south). Make a right at first traffic light onto Hospital Road. At the next stop sign turn left onto Woods Road. Pass the Westchester Medical Center main entrance and Emergency entrance. Make a right into entrance for the Maria Fareri Children's Hospital.

FROM THE TAPPAN ZEE BRIDGE
Take Tappan Zee Bridge (I-87 south/I-287 east) and follow signs for the Cross Westchester-Route 287 East. Take I-287 to Exit 4. Make left at top of exit onto Route 100A north, which becomes Route 100 north. Follow 3.2 miles from exit to stop light at Hospital Road. Make left onto Hospital Road. At the next stop sign turn left onto Woods Road. Pass the Westchester Medical Center main entrance and Emergency entrance. Make a right into entrance for the Maria Fareri Children's Hospital.