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COURSE DESCRIPTION

This conference is designed to present current clinical management issues in surgical patients for the general surgeon in practice. This year’s program focuses on recent advances and current recommendations for particularly problematic clinical issues. Registration is limited to allow personal contact with the faculty in order that each participant will be able to tap the resources available for his/her own clinical scenarios.

ACCREDITATION

The University of Vermont College of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians. The University of Vermont College of Medicine designates this educational activity for a maximum of 10 Category 1 credits toward the AMA Physician’s Recognition Award. Each physician should claim only those hours of credit that he/she actually spent in the activity.

REGISTRATION & CANCELLATION

All course materials, coffee breaks and reception are included. Refunds, less a $50 administrative fee, are available if cancellation is made prior to January 9, 2004. No refunds are possible after that date.
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Assistant Professor of Surgery

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Thursday, January 29, 2004

Morning Session
7:15 am  Registration & Continental Breakfast

8:00  Management of Retroperitoneal Hematomas
      Steven Shackford, MD

8:30  Pelvic Fractures
      Frederick Rogers, MD

9:00  Duodenal and Pancreatic Injuries
      William Charash, MD

9:30  Panel Discussion

10:00  Adjourn for Recreation

Afternoon Session
4:00 pm  Assessment of the Patient Who Needs Hemodialysis Access
         Michael Ricci, MD

4:30  Choice of Complex Fistulas
      Andrew Stanley, MD

5:00  Complications of Hemodialysis Access
      Georg Steinthorsson, MD

5:30  Panel Discussion

6:00  Adjourn

Friday, January 30, 2004

Morning Session
7:30 am  Continental Breakfast

8:00  Colon Cancer - What's New?
      Neil Hyman, MD

8:30  Transanal Endoscopic Microsurgery for Rectal Tumors: Smart Bomb or Scud Missile
      Peter Cataldo, MD

9:00  Management of Metastatic Colon Cancer
      Laurence McCahill, MD

9:30  Panel Discussion

10:00  Adjourn for Recreation
Friday, January 30, 2004 (continued)

**Afternoon Session**

4:00 pm  Gallstones - Who needs ERCP?  
James Vecchio, MD

4:30  Laparoscopic Approach to Common Duct Stones  
Edward Borrazzo, MD

5:00  Bile Leaks and Bile Duct Injuries  
James Hebert, MD

5:30  Panel Discussion

6:00  Adjourn

Saturday, January 31, 2004

7:30 am  Continental Breakfast

8:00  Appendicitis in Children  
Kennith Sartorelli, MD

8:30  Esophageal Diverticula  
Bruce Leavitt, MD

9:00  Complications of Gastric Bypass for Morbid Obesity  
Laurie Spaulding, MD

9:30  Panel Discussion

10:00  Conference Adjourns
**HOTEL INFORMATION**

A block of rooms has been reserved under the group name **UVM Surgery Course**. The room block will be released on **December 29, 2003**. We recommend that you book early as this is a busy vacation time and accommodations are limited. Rates are $190.00 for single or double occupancy. Reservations must be made directly with the resort by calling 1-800-451-8686 or 1-802-253-8585.

**ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES**

This course is designed so that participants are free from 10:00AM to 4:00PM for skiing and other winter recreation. The Topnotch at Stowe is a world class hotel offering extensive recreational facilities and superb continental cuisine in its four star restaurant. A heated pool, spa, jacuzzi, and indoor tennis courts are located on site. Families are encouraged to participate in all additional activities.

A welcome reception for registrants and guests will be held on Thursday evening from 6:30-8:00.

**TRANSPORTATION**

Stowe is 10 minutes north of exit 10, I-89 on Route 100. The local roads leading to the Topnotch are clearly marked.

Burlington International Airport at Burlington, Vermont (only 45 minutes to Stowe) is served by several major airlines. Car rental or taxi to Stowe is available.
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(As it will appear on Nametag & Certificate)
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Initials    Last 4 digits of SSN
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REGISTRATION SUMMARY:

☐ $425 Physicians (postmarked on or before January 3rd)
☐ $450 Physicians (postmarked after January 3rd)
☐ $195 Residents (Proof of Residency Attached)
☐ $250 PAs, Nurses, Other (postmarked on or before January 3rd)
☐ $295 PAs, Nurses, Other (after January 3rd)

$ _______ TOTAL DUE

PRE-ORDER DISCOUNT VOUCHERS

Discounted ski ticket vouchers will be available at registration.
Vouchers may be used toward single or multi-day tickets. One voucher will be required for each ticket you wish to purchase. Payment will be made directly to the Mountain at the time of purchase. Please pre-order vouchers below. (Discounts are approximately 20% off regular ticket price.)

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PAYMENT METHOD

☐ Check  (payable to The University of Vermont)
☐ Visa  ☐ MasterCard  ☐ American Express

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