

## REGISTRATION

### Current Directions in the Medical and Surgical Management of Neurological Disorders

**Tuesday, June 2, 2015**  
7:30 am-1:15 pm  
NYHQ Lang Center  
56-45 Main Street  
Flushing, NY

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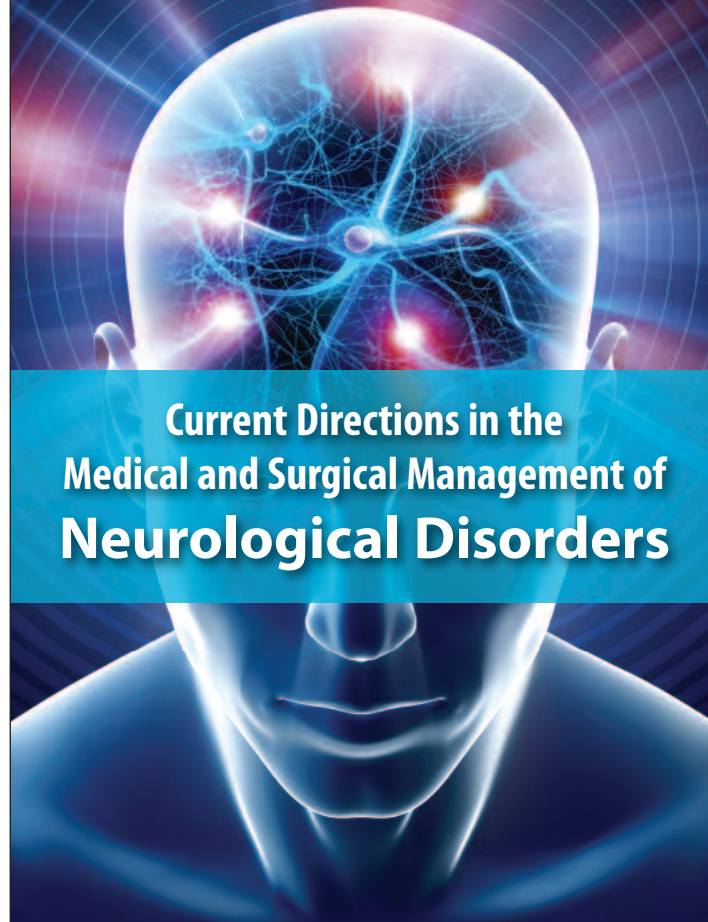
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#### Location

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## Statement of Need

Physicians and the interdisciplinary health care team are to be updated on advances and current directions in the diagnosis and medical and surgical management of neurological disorders in order to offer patients the most effective options—many of which have only been developed within this decade. Topics to be discussed include: neuropathy of acute and chronic inflammatory demyelinating disease (AIDP/CIDP); headache management; movement disorders of gait and Parkinson's disease; treatment of epilepsy and stroke, including thrombolytic and neuroendovascular therapies; and the surgical management of low back pain. Gaining more in-depth knowledge of these neurological conditions, and of state-of-the-science options for diagnosis and treatment, will aid physicians in planning the best strategies for successful patient outcomes.

## Target Audience

Primary Care Physicians, Family Practice Physicians, Neurologists, ER Physicians, Physician Assistants, Residents, Medical Students, Nurse Practitioners, Registered Nurses, and others caring for patients with neurological conditions.

## Educational Objectives

It is intended that this NYHQ CME activity will lead to improved patient care. At the conclusion of this symposium, the participant will be able to:

- Clinically identify patients with CIDP or one of its variants and create a treatment plan for patients with CIDP and related autoimmune polyneuropathies
- Identify and explain the classification of headache types
- Recognize indications for performing MRI on patients with low back pain
- Specify when to refer the patient for an emergent, urgent or elective evaluation for spinal surgery
- Differentiate seizures; epilepsy; non-epileptic seizure; status epilepticus, and identify pre-disposing and etiological factors
- Specify current evaluation and treatment options for seizures
- Recognize and diagnose Parkinson's disease and gait disorders and evaluate current treatment options; specify treatment for Parkinson's disease
- Describe the risk factors of stroke, and current procedures for diagnosis
- Identify acute and preventive therapies for stroke
- Assess signs and symptoms of acute stroke in the emergency department
- Evaluate options for acute treatment of stroke
- Recognize the indications for intravenous and intra-arterial therapy for acute ischemic stroke
- Evaluate the physiological change within the ischemic penumbra and its impact on patient outcome after intervention

## REGISTER / INFORMATION

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## AGENDA

- 7:30-8:15 am Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 8:15-8:30 am **Welcoming Remarks**  
**Gary L. Bernardini, MD, PhD**  
Chairman, Department of Neurology, NYHQ  
Attending Neurologist  
NewYork-Presbyterian/Weill Cornell Medical Center
- 8:30-9:00 am **More Than a Feeling: Diagnosis and Treatment of CIDP and Related Autoimmune Polyneuropathies**  
**Paul Magda, DO**  
Attending Neurologist, NYHQ  
Assistant Clinical Professor of Neurology  
Weill Cornell Medical College
- 9:00-9:30 am **Blinded by the Light: Evaluation of Headache Disorders for Primary Care**  
**Suja Johnkutty, MD, ABPN**  
Director of the Headache Clinic  
Attending Neurologist, NYHQ
- 9:30-10:00 am **House of Pain: Surgical Management of Low Back Pain Syndrome**  
**Jaime H. Nieto, MD**  
Chief of Neurosurgery, Department of Surgery, NYHQ  
Assistant Clinical Professor of Neurological Surgery  
Weill Cornell Medical College
- 10:00-10:30 am Break
- 10:30-11:00 am **Shake It Off: Epilepsy and Seizures, Recognition and Treatment**  
**Hind Kettani, MD**  
Director of Epilepsy; Attending Neurologist, NYHQ  
Assistant Clinical Professor of Neurology  
Weill Cornell Medical College
- 11:00-11:30 am **Slow Ride: Movement Disorders of Gait and Parkinson's Disease**  
**Edward N. Chai, MD**  
Medical Director of Neurology  
Attending Neurologist, NYHQ  
Assistant Clinical Professor of Neurology  
Weill Cornell Medical College
- 11:30-12:00 pm **The Stroke: Ischemic Stroke-Diagnosis, Acute Treatment and Prevention**  
**Gary L. Bernardini, MD, PhD**
- 12:00-12:30 pm **Walk in My Shoes—Life of the Stroke Team: Management of Acute Stroke in the ED**  
**Susan A. Denn, PA**  
Chief Physician Assistant of Medicine, NYHQ
- 12:30-1:00 pm **Life in the Fast Lane: Neuroendovascular Therapies for Acute Ischemic Stroke**  
**Ning Lin, MD**  
Attending Neurosurgeon, Department of Surgery, NYHQ  
Assistant Professor of Neurological Surgery  
Weill Cornell Medical College
- 1:00-1:15 pm **Closing Remarks**

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