

*Improving the Management of HIV Disease®:  
An Advanced CME Course in HIV Pathogenesis,  
Antiretrovirals, and Other Selected Issues in  
HIV Disease Management*

## **SPRING 2009 CHICAGO COURSE**

**Tuesday, May 19, 2009**  
Marriott Chicago Downtown  
540 North Michigan Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60611

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### **ASSESSMENT OF NEEDS**

Rapid advances in HIV disease management require the ongoing attention of HIV practitioners involved in HIV medicine. The course will address the implications of new information on strategies for HIV management. Information will be presented through a mix of didactic lectures and clinically relevant cases developed by an expert faculty of HIV/AIDS clinicians and researchers.

### **COURSE OBJECTIVES**

Upon completion of the course, participants will be able to:

- Design antiretroviral strategies that consider current data on:
  - HIV pathogenesis as it impacts clinical treatment strategies
  - Initial therapy and the use of newer approved drugs
  - Managing complicated failure
- Formulate appropriate management strategies for HIV-associated opportunistic infections
- Describe the economic impact of HIV therapies
- Describe strengths and limitations of cohort study data in HIV medicine
- Formulate appropriate management strategies for HIV and liver disease

### **WHO SHOULD ATTEND**

This course is designed for physicians and other clinical decision makers who are actively involved in the medical care of people with HIV/AIDS, specifically those who:

- Have a solid, working knowledge of HIV disease management
- Provide comprehensive or specialty care for patients with HIV/AIDS
- Are currently active in HIV/AIDS research

This course is relevant for practitioners who are involved in HIV/AIDS patient care, including nurse practitioners and other nursing professionals, physician assistants, pharmacists, and others.

Representatives and employees of commercial companies (pharmaceutical, diagnostic, medical products, advertising, insurance, investment, communications firms, etc) must contact the International AIDS Society–USA regarding registration procedures.

### **CME ACCREDITATION**

The International AIDS Society–USA is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to sponsor continuing medical education for physicians.

### **CREDIT DESIGNATION**

The International AIDS Society–USA designates this educational activity for a maximum of 6.0 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*.™ Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

## AMERICAN ACADEMY OF FAMILY PHYSICIANS CREDIT

This activity has been reviewed and is acceptable for up to 6.0 Prescribed credits by the American Academy of Family Physicians.

### REGISTRATION

**Commercial support of CME has been widely debated in recent years. Since 1991, the IAS–USA has used a model of pooling commercial support from companies with competing products for industry-supported CME activities, which, along with other firewalls, has allowed the organization to provide high-quality, and truly independent professional education.**

**Some individuals and institutions are forming their own guidelines with regard to the interactions between health care providers and industry, including proposals to eliminate all commercial support from certified CME efforts. Given this environment, the IAS–USA is now offering 2 levels of registration fees for course attendees (excluding the FED fee noted below).**

The first is the subsidized fee, \$50, which is made possible by generous pooled commercial support. The second registration fee, \$520, is the full cost of attendance. **The option to pay the full cost of attendance is intended for practitioners who wish to receive no financial support from commercial sources for their attendance at CME activities.** This unsubsidized fee represents the actual cost per attendee, including costs for meeting room rental; print and production; faculty travel; audiovisual equipment; speaker honoraria; food and beverage service; and administration. These costs are lower than usual because of the deep discounts the IAS–USA can negotiate as a not-for-profit entity. Nevertheless, they are considerably more expensive to the participant than the subsidized fare.

The IAS-USA is interested in knowing your thoughts on this strategy and will collect your feedback systematically for consideration in future CME program development.

**Federal Employee Discount (FED):** If you qualify for a FED discount, the registration fee is \$40. To qualify, you must be employed by the United States Federal Government. This unsubsidized fee satisfies guidelines between federal employee health care providers and commercial industry.

### 2009 CHICAGO COURSE AGENDA

7:30 AM	<b>Registration</b>	11:20	<b>Management of End Stage Liver Disease in the HIV Patient</b>
8:15	<b>Welcome and Introduction</b> John P. Phair, MD Paul A. Volberding, MD		Marion G. Peters, MD
8:30	<b>HIV Pathogenesis: CD4 T-Cell Distribution and Immune Activation</b> Clifford H. Lane, MD	11:50	<b>Question-and-Answer Period</b>
9:00	<b>Pathogenesis of Non-AIDS Morbidity and Mortality: Are Patients on HAART Aging Too Quickly, and If So, Why?</b> Steven G. Deeks, MD	12:05 PM	<b>Hosted Lunch</b>
9:30	<b>Question-and-Answer Period</b>	1:05	<b>Strengths and Limitations of HIV Observational Studies</b> Alvaro Muñoz, PhD
9:40	<b>Antiretroviral Therapy: New Drugs, New Formulations, New Ideas, New Strategies</b> Joseph J. Eron, Jr., MD	1:35	<b>Question-and-Answer Period</b>
10:10	<b>Question-and-Answer Period</b>	1:45	<b>Strategies for Managing Antiretroviral Failure: Case-Based Panel Discussion</b> Michael S. Saag, MD
10:20	<b>Morning Break</b>	2:45	<b>What's New in the Management of HIV-Associated Opportunistic Infections?</b> Constance A. Benson, MD, FACP
10:40	<b>HIV Care in the US: From Cohorts and Trials to Policy</b> Rochelle P. Walensky, MD, MPH	3:15	<b>Question-and-Answer Period</b>
11:10	<b>Question-and-Answer Period</b>	3:35	<b>Closing Remarks</b>

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You will be sent additional course/registration information.

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Full payment must accompany this form. For additional registrants, please photocopy this form.  
Subsidized:  
 \$50 on or before April 28 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Applications with the early registration fee must be received by April 28. Preregistration closes on May 12.**

Check here if you are in need of any special assistance at the course. Please notify us at least 2 weeks in advance, if possible, so that we may make the necessary arrangements. Please describe:  
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