Early arrival on the day of the course is recommended, as registration tends to be the busiest 20 minutes prior to start of the meeting and seating is on a first-come, first-served basis.

Course Location Information
Gleacher Center
450 North Cityfront Plaza Drive
Chicago, IL 60611
Phone: (312) 464-8787

Cancellations/Substitutions
Cancellations and substitution requests must be made on or before Monday, October 6, 2014. All refunds will be processed a week after the course minus a $15.00 processing charge. Regrettably, any cancellation requests received within a week before the course will not be eligible for the partial refund.

Course Schedule
Check-in and continental breakfast will be held from 7:00 AM to 8:00 AM, followed promptly by the course. The program includes a hosted lunch scheduled from approximately 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM and the course will adjourn at approximately 4:10 PM.

Syllabus
In an effort to go green, the IAS-USA now offers the course syllabus in an electronic format that will be available for download 5 business days before the course. We have also provided links to free pdf notation apps and software for your mobile device or laptop. If you are unable to download the syllabus ahead of time, the on-site administrator will have the course materials on a flash drive which you may copy to your laptop.

Visit the following address to access the course materials, https://www.iasusa.org/content/fall-2014-chicago-hep-cme-course.

Dress and Room Temperature
Attire for the course is business casual. Meeting rooms have a tendency to be quite cool during the course, so we advise our attendees to dress accordingly.

Meals
Lunch will be served buffet style designed to meet most dietary needs. If you have strict dietary restrictions, such as food allergies, or if you keep kosher, please come prepared with your own meal.

Photography/Audio Recording
Photography and audio recording are absolutely not permitted in the meeting room. Webcasts and podcasts of the course will be available on our website 2 weeks after the course.

Course Cancellation
The IAS–USA reserves the right to cancel or reschedule this course due to unforeseen circumstances, at which time you will be notified.

Accommodations
Attendees are responsible for their own accommodations. The IAS–USA holds a small number of rooms for our faculty and staff. If a room becomes available under our block, we will gladly offer that room to our preregistered attendees. There are no guarantees, therefore we strongly encourage making alternate housing arrangements. You will be notified 2 weeks prior to the activity if a room under the IAS–USA block becomes available. If you are interested in being placed on the IAS–USA Room Block Wait List, please contact the IAS–USA Registration Department by calling (415) 544-9400, or by sending an e-mail to registration@iasusa.org. When doing so, please provide us with the following information: your first and last name, the activity for which you are registered, the date you would like to check in, the date you would like to check out, and the number of room occupants.
DIRECTIONS
The University of Chicago Gleacher Center, 450 North Cityfront Plaza Drive, is easily accessible by multiple modes of transportation.

**Driving**
**From Interstate 90/94**
*To entrance:* Heading either north or south on I-90/94, exit at Ohio Street. Follow Ohio Street east to Michigan Avenue. Turn right at the second light, turn left on Illinois Street. At stop sign, turn right. Gleacher is on the right.

*To area parking:* Heading either north or south on I-90/94, exit at Ohio Street. Follow Ohio Street east across Michigan Avenue to St Clair. Turn right. Follow St Clair across Grand Avenue.

**From Lake Shore Drive**
*To entrance:* Heading either north or south on Lake Shore Drive, exit at Grand Avenue. Follow Grand Avenue west to Columbus Drive/Fairbanks Court; turn left. At second light, turn right on East North Water Street. Gleacher Center is straight ahead.

*To area parking:* Heading either north or south on Lake Shore Drive, exit at Grand Avenue. Follow Grand west to St. Clair.

**From O’Hare Airport**
**Taxi**
The taxi stand can be found just outside the baggage claim area. Cab fare will be approximately $35 and you should allow one to one-and-a-half hours.

**CTA Train (the "El")**
The Blue Line of the Chicago Transportation Authority train system, commonly known as the "El" or elevated train, runs from O’Hare to the Loop area downtown. Follow airport signs reading "Trains to City" to the boarding area. Buy a fare card from vending machines at boarding area. Disembark at the Clark and Lake stop. Exit station at street level and take a taxi to Gleacher Center, or walk east on Lake Street four blocks to Michigan Avenue. Turn left and walk north the two blocks on the east side of Michigan. After crossing the bridge over the river, walk to the right through the plaza with the fountain between the Equitable Building and Tribune Tower. Gleacher Center is on the right at the end of the plaza, facing east toward NBC Tower.

**From Midway Airport**
**Taxi**
A taxi stand is located right outside the baggage claim area. Cab fare will be approximately $30 and you should allow 30 to 45 minutes.

**CTA Train (the "El")**
The Orange Line of the “El” or elevated train runs from Midway to the Loop area downtown. Follow airport signs reading "Trains to City" to the boarding area. Buy a fare card from vending machines at boarding area. Disembark at the State and Lake stop. Exit at street level and take a taxi, or walk two blocks east on Lake Street to Michigan Avenue. Turn left and walk north the two blocks on the east side of Michigan. After crossing the bridge over the river, walk to the right through the Chicago Tribune / Equitable Fountain Plaza. Gleacher Center is on the right at the end of the Plaza, facing east toward NBC Tower. The train ride is about 30 minutes.
Taxis
Taxis are available outside of Gleacher Center.

Public Transportation

CTA Buses
Take any of these bus routes running along Michigan Avenue: 33, 125, 145, 146, 147, 151, 157. Buses running between Union Station or Ogilvie Transportation Center and Michigan Avenue are: 120, 121, 125, 151, and 157. Exit/enter the bus at the 400 block of Michigan Avenue near the Chicago Tribune Tower.

CTA Subway and Elevated Trains
Take Red Line to State/Grand stop; walk east to Michigan Avenue, south to Illinois Street, then east one short block to Cityfront Plaza Drive.

Take the Brown Line or Purple Line to State and Lake stop; walk east to Michigan Avenue, north over bridge, and right along river or through plaza to Gleacher Center.