



**Postgraduate Institute
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2010 Registration and Payment Form

Neurovestibular Sciences: The Study of Balance Medicine, Part One

Jointly sponsored by Postgraduate Institute for Medicine and
Better Balance Fall Prevention and Wellness Society, LLC

Upcoming Dates/Locations (please choose):

- March 12 – 14, 2010, Tampa, Florida**
 June 4 – 6, 2010, Las Vegas, Nevada
 August 6 – 8, 2010, Jersey City, New Jersey
 November 5 - 7, 2010, Indianapolis, Indiana

Target Audience

This activity has been designed to meet the educational needs of medical doctors and health care professionals involved in the care of patients with balance disorders.

Program Overview

This course is designed specifically to reach clinics and private practices how to manage dizzy and balance disordered patients. The health care professionals who attend will learn to successfully apply all educational material presented and learned skills acquired directly and immediately into their practices. Participants will gain an enhanced understanding of effective diagnosis and management techniques to benefit their patients with dizziness, balance and movement disorders.

Educational Objectives

After completing this activity, participants should be better able to:

1. Explain the impact of the events of presbyastasis.
2. Distinguish patient groups who may present with balance disorders.
3. Identify patients appropriate for vestibular work-ups early in the course of evaluation.
4. Discuss the importance of appropriate and timely referrals of patients who are good candidates for vestibular rehabilitation therapy.
5. Formulate effective and cognitive falls prevention strategies.

Indicate Quantity in space below:

_____ **CME Registration for 24 hours of Category 1** (MD's & DO's)

_____ **Non-CME Registration** (all other physicians, DC's, PT's, OT's, technicians, nurses and personnel)



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Faculty

Randolph McKenzie, MD, PhD, FACS is the Course Director for “Neurovestibular Sciences: The Study of Balance Medicine.” Dr. McKenzie, a published author and lecturer, with more than 20 years of clinical experience, has held many academic positions including his current role as Associate Professor of Otolaryngology/Neurotology, Department of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery for the University of Tennessee Health Science Center, Memphis, Tennessee.

Accreditation Statement

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint sponsorship of Postgraduate Institute for Medicine (PIM) and the Better Balance Fall Prevention and Wellness Society, LLC. PIM is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Credit Designation

Postgraduate Institute for Medicine designates this educational activity for a maximum of **24 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)**™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Disclosure of Conflicts of Interest

Postgraduate Institute for Medicine (PIM) requires instructors, planners, managers and other individuals who are in a position to control the content of this activity to disclose any real or apparent conflict of interest they may have as related to the content of this activity. All identified conflicts of interest are thoroughly vetted by PIM for fair balance, scientific objectivity of studies mentioned in the materials or used as the basis for content, and appropriateness of patient care recommendations.

Program Agenda

Friday, November 5, 2010	
7:15 – 7:45 am	Registration
7:45 – 8:00 am	Welcome and Introductions
8:00 – 9:00 am	Historic Perspectives, Scope of Problem, Normal Aging, Falls
9:00 – 9:50 am	Anatomy – Central & Peripheral Vestibular Systems, Peripheral Vestibular Systems
9:50 – 10:00 am	Break
10:00 – 11:00 am	Physiology – Vestibular Afferents, Central Vestibular Systems, Vestibular Nerves
11:00 – 12:00 pm	Physiology – Vestibular Nuclei, Efferent Pathways, Cerebellum
12:00 – 1:00 pm	Lunch hour
1:00 – 2:00 pm	Cerebellum (cont'd), Vestibular Reflex Systems, Summary of Peripheral/Central Vestibular Systems
2:00 – 3:00 pm	Breakout Session – VNG Demonstration
3:00 – 3:15 pm	Break



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3:15 – 4:00 pm	Breakout Session – Platform Posturography
4:00 – 5:30 pm	Breakout Session – Introduction to VNG & Platform Posturography Interpretation
5:30 pm	Adjourn
Saturday, November 6, 2010	
7:15 – 8:00 am	Announcements
8:00 – 9:00 am	Vestibular Testing, VNG Test Divisions
9:00 – 10:00 am	VNG (cont'd), Platform Posturography
10:00 – 10:15 am	Break
10:15 – 11:00 am	Review VNG, Posturography, Other Testing
11:00 – 12:00 pm	Vestibular Disorders with Audiologic Findings, Benign Paroxysmal Positional Vertigo
12:00 – 1:00 pm	Lunch hour
1:00 – 2:00 pm	Benign Paroxysmal Positional Vertigo (cont'd)
2:00 – 3:00 pm	Breakout Session – BPPV Diagnosis and Canalith Repositioning Maneuvers
3:00 – 3:15 pm	Break
3:15 – 4:15 pm	Breakout Session – VNG & Posturography Interpretations, Case Studies
4:15 – 5:30 pm	Establishing a Balance Practice, Billing & Coding for Vestibular Testing
5:30 pm	Adjourn
Sunday, November 7, 2010	
8:00 – 10:00 am	Vestibular Rehabilitation Therapy – Basis for VRT, Patient Selection, Diagnosis, VRT Exercises
10:00 – 10:15 am	Break
10:15 – 11:00 am	VRT Case Studies, Creation of VRT Treatment Protocols
11:00 – 12:00 pm	Common Errors in Vestibular Testing – Prevention & Avoidance
12:00 – 1:00 pm	Lunch hour
1:00 – 5:00 pm	VNG & Platform Testing/Interpretation, BPPV Treatment Protocols, Establishing a Balance Practice, Billing & Coding, Case Studies
5:00 – 5:30 pm	Course Wrap-up, Q&A
5:30 pm	Adjourn



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Registration fees:

\$795 per CME attendee (MD's & DO's)

\$439 per non-CME attendee (all other physicians, DC's, PT's, OT's, technicians, nurses and personnel)

\$79 per CME attendee for one-year membership in BBFPW Society

NOTE: Add \$100 per attendee for each late registration (received less than 14 days ahead of event)

Qty _____ at \$795 = _____

Qty _____ at \$79 = _____ (Society membership fee = waived for 2010 attendees)

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Qty _____ at \$100 = _____ (Late fee(s) if reserved less than 14 days in advance)

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Prices shown are current as of January 23, 2010.

All registered attendees will receive:

1. Notebook of the course information and handouts
2. Any meals provided will be announced once the information is available
3. One year membership in the Better Balance Fall Prevention and Wellness Society for all registered attendees who participate in the 2010 seminars.

NOTE: CEU's for PT's, OT's, Audiologists, nurses and other physicians are planned for the future, but not available for current seminars.

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