



9th Annual UC Irvine Health Epilepsy Symposium Epilepsy Therapy: From Breakthroughs to Patient Care

Saturday, March 8, 2014

The Westin South Coast Plaza
686 Anton Boulevard, Costa Mesa, California



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KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

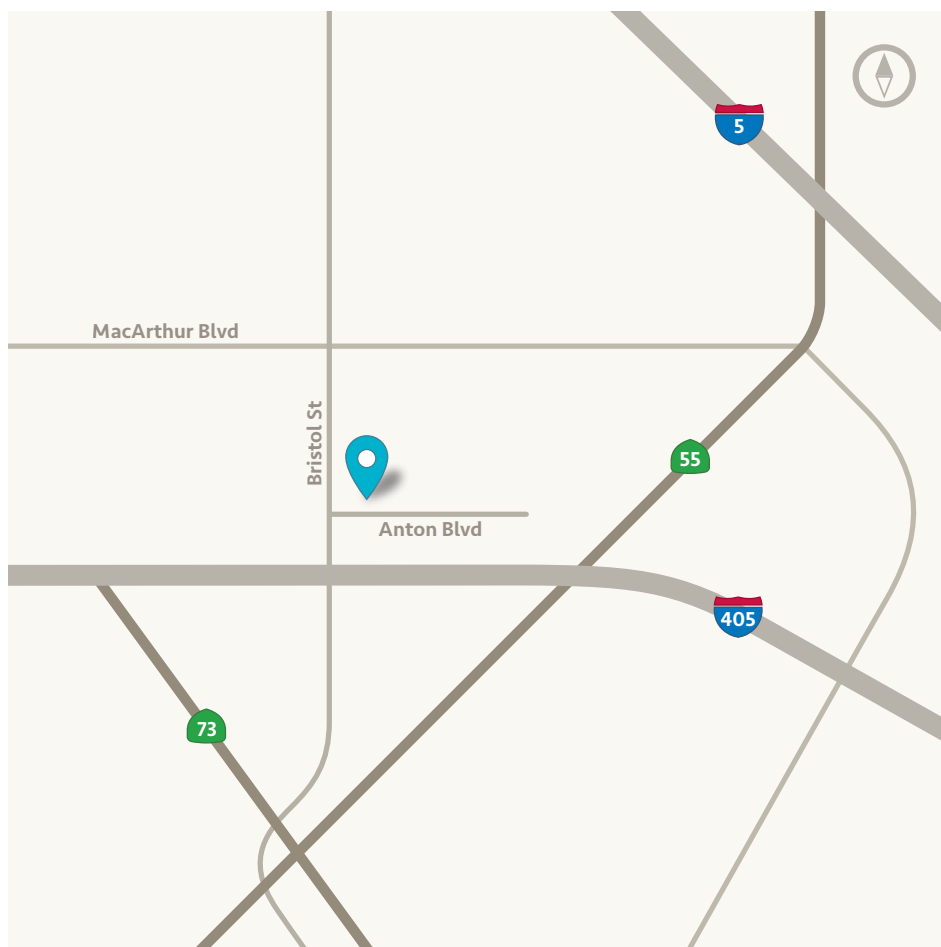
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Location



 **The Westin South Coast Plaza, Costa Mesa**
686 Anton Boulevard
Costa Mesa, CA 92626
Phone: 714-540-2500

DRIVING DIRECTIONS

From South

Exit the I-405 at Bristol Street North.
Turn right.
Turn right at the first light onto Anton Blvd.
The hotel is located on the left, at the corner of Bristol Street and Anton Blvd.

From Downtown Los Angeles (West)

Take Harbor Freeway 110 South to I-405 South and exit Bristol Street North.
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From Long Beach Airport

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From John Wayne/Orange County Airport

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Faculty

TARGET AUDIENCE

Neurology clinicians, primary care — including internal medicine — physicians, nurses, allied healthcare providers, individuals with epilepsy, and family members who want to expand and update their knowledge of, clinical diagnosis, management, emerging treatments, cognition, and current research related to complicated epilepsy.

Keynote Speakers



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Course Director



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Scientific Director, Comprehensive Epilepsy Program
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Professor and Acting Chair, Department of Neurological Surgery
Director of functional, epilepsy and pain neurosurgery
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Lilit Mnatsakanyan, MD

Assistant Professor Department of Neurology
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Program

7:30 am	Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:00 am	Introduction and Opening Remarks
8:15 am	Breakthroughs in Curing Epilepsy Tallie Z. Baram, MD, PhD
9:00 am	Selection of Antiepileptic Drugs in Adults: Standard and New Medications Mona Sazgar, MD
9:30 am	New and Upcoming Surgical Options in Epilepsy Treatment Frank P. K. Hsu, MD, PhD
10:00 am	Q & A Session Moderator: Jack J. Lin, MD
10:15 am	Morning Break
10:30 am	The Science and Practice of Ketogenic Diet Elizabeth A. Thiele, MD, PhD
11:30 am	Selection of Antiepileptic Drugs in Children: Standard and New Medications Mary L. Zupanc, MD
12:15pm	Q & A Session Moderator: Lilit Mnatsakanyan, MD
12:30 pm	Lunch Buffet
1:30 pm	Challenges and Promises in Epilepsy Therapy Clinical Trials Jacqueline A. French, MD
2:30 pm	Q & A Session Moderator: Lilit Mnatsakanyan, MD
3:00 pm	Closing Remarks and Adjournment

Accreditation Statement

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The University of California, Irvine School of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 5.75 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with their participation in the activity.

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AB 1195

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Registration Information

REGISTRATION FEES

Breakfast and lunch included with registration.

- \$85 MD/DO
- \$50 RN/NP/PA/LCSW/All allied healthcare providers
- \$25 Patient/Family member
- Complimentary Residents/Fellows

REGISTRATION OPTIONS

Option 1: Registration online

Visit www.neurology.uci.edu/epilepsy-conference to register and pay online with a credit card.

Option 2: Registration by mail/check

Checks must be made payable to UC Regents.

Please fill out the form below and mail it with your check to:

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Course Description

This symposium will introduce healthcare professionals and patients to a wide spectrum of new and established therapies for adults and children with epilepsy. Our faculty speakers will address individualized approaches to treat epilepsy, including tailored drug and surgical therapies. The audience will hear about novel discoveries in research and promising advancements in clinical trials from leading national experts. The overarching goal of the symposium is to provide insight and strategy to enhance the quality of life and cognitive function for people with epilepsy.

Learning Objectives

At the conclusion of this activity the participant should be able to:

1. Analyze recent discoveries and development of antiepileptic drugs with novel mechanisms and discern how these new mechanisms of action might offer promising treatment results to patients with epilepsy.
2. Use the systematic approach in selecting antiepileptic medications for their patient population of children, adolescents, adult and elderly.
3. Identify how to utilize practical guidelines to change and add anticonvulsant medications and will update their knowledge of new and upcoming antiepileptic medications.
4. Discuss the science and practice of Ketogenic Diet in treating medically refractory epileptic patients.
5. Utilize a process for pre-surgical evaluation of patients with medically refractory epilepsy by considering both standard and novel epilepsy surgery procedures and ultimately employing an effective decision process for selecting the appropriate surgical procedure to yield the best surgical results.
6. Recognize the challenges and promises of epilepsy clinical drug trials and the process involved in development and testing novel anticonvulsant therapies.