



PSRC 30th Annual Northwest District Seminar

Friday, April 30, 2010



LECTURE SCHEDULE (Objectives appear below title)

7:45—8:30 REGISTRATION/ EXHIBITS/CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

8:00– 9:00 “Pediatric Mechanical Ventilation, Back to the Basics”

Bradley A. Kuch, BS, RRT-NPS (sponsored by CareFusion)

OBJECTIVES

1. Review the indications for mechanical ventilatory support in the pediatric patient population.
2. Describe the fundamental principles of mechanical ventilation in infants and children.
3. Review commonly used modes of ventilation in infants and children.
4. Discuss ventilatory monitoring techniques and their considerations during application in the pediatric population.

9:00-10:00 “Upper Airway Management of the Perioperative Adult with Obstructive Sleep Apnea” -

Jeffrey McGovern, MD

OBJECTIVES:

1. Understand the physiology of Obstructive Sleep Apnea.
2. Review the factors contributing to perioperative risks in the patient with Obstructive Sleep Apnea.
3. Review the perioperative management of diagnosed and undiagnosed patient with sleep apnea.

10:00-11:00 BREAK/EXHIBITS – Visit our Exhibit Hall where we will have the latest in Respiratory equipment along with the newest innovations for the Health Care Professional. Come and meet with the area’s most knowledgeable representatives.

11:00-12:00 “Hypothermia and the Triad of Death”

George R. Dulabon, MD, FACS

OBJECTIVES:

1. Recognize the predisposing factors for hypothermia and the detrimental effects of hypothermia in conjunction with coagulopathy and acidosis.
2. Treatment options for the hypothermic patient.

12:00-1:00 LUNCH / EXHIBITS

1:00-2:00 “Feeding Tubes in Ventilated Patients”

Steve Levy MD

OBJECTIVES:

1. Describe a ventilated patient who would benefit from artificial nutritional supplements.
2. Describe a ventilated patient for whom artificial nutritional supplements may do more harm than good.

2:00-3:00 “ Issues for Respiratory Therapists in Medical Malpractice Cases”

Joel Snavely, JD

OBJECTIVES:

1. Identify current issues facing respiratory therapists in their practice.
2. Discuss approaches and solutions to the issues identified.

3:00-3:15 BREAK

3:15-4:15 “Reducing Exacerbations in COPD Patients”

Joseph Rowane, DO (Sponsored by GlaxoSmithKline)

OBJECTIVES:

1. Identify the causes of exacerbations in COPD patients
2. Discuss the options available to prevent or mitigate exacerbations.

4:15-4:30 AARC UPDATE/ Raffles – Ken Kraut RRT-NPS (PSRC NW District Director)

COST & REGISTRATION

\$ 60.00 AARC MEMBER (Must Provide AARC #)

\$ 35.00 Student AARC Member

\$150.00 Non-AARC Member (includes one year AARC membership)

\$ 55.00 Student Non-AARC Member

A luncheon is provided with all paid registrations. On-site registration is available by **CASH or CHECK ONLY!**

\$10.00 additional late registration fee for on-site registrations and any registrations received after April 20, 2010.

\$25 charge for all returned checks. Full refund for cancellations prior to April 20, 2010.

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