

**The Arthur C. Nielsen, Jr. Vascular Conference:**  
*Frontiers in the Diagnosis and Treatment of Vascular Disease  
with a Mini Symposium on the Statin Intolerant Patient*



**October 28, 2009**  
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**Chicago, Illinois**

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**Co-Directors: William H. Pearce, MD**

**Neil J. Stone, MD**

The Bluhm Cardiovascular Institute's Center for Vascular Disease is pleased to invite you to its Arthur C. Nielsen, Jr. Vascular Conference on Wednesday, October 28<sup>th</sup> at the Northwestern Memorial Hospital Conference Center. The event will cover a wide variety of clinical problems related to vascular disease, including the latest advances in genetics and the most effective means of treating the statin intolerant patient. This clinically oriented program will include case-based patient management discussions, so that clinicians can acquire the tools they need to deliver the most efficacious care for their patients.

### **Learning Objectives**

At the conclusion of this activity, participants should be able to:

1. Examine the etiology and treatment options for the statin intolerant patient
2. Summarize the latest information on the genetics of vascular disease
3. Describe assessment and treatment approaches to diabetic patients with lower extremity complications
4. Evaluate muscle nerve dysfunction problems associated with peripheral arterial disease
5. Explain the assessment and treatment approach to soleal and gastronemius vein thrombosis
6. Review the evidence base for hypothermia treatment following cardiac arrest
7. Demonstrate clinical application of the course content through panel and case study discussion.

### **Target Audience**

This continuing medical education (CME) program is designed to meet the educational needs of primary care practitioners, family medicine and vascular medicine physicians, cardiologists, neurologists, interventional radiologists, endocrinologists, nurses and nurse practitioners, physician assistants and other healthcare professionals caring for patients with vascular disease.

### **Conference Location**

The program will be held in Northwestern Memorial Hospital's Conference Room A, located on the third floor of the Feinberg Pavilion at 251 E. Huron Street, Chicago, Illinois. Please contact the hospital at 312-926-2000 for directions and parking information or visit [www.nmh.org](http://www.nmh.org). Parking will be discounted for the Huron/St. Clair parking garage, 222 East Huron St. only.

# Wednesday, October 28, 2009

11:30 Registration, Lunch Buffet and Exhibits

## **Statin Mini Symposium**

*Moderator: Neil Stone, MD*

12 Noon Welcome Remarks

*Neil Stone, MD*

12:15pm Featured Lecture: Statins and Muscle Disease- Clinical View

*Paul Thompson, MD*

1:00pm Red Yeast Rice and CoQ 10

*Steven DeVries, MD*

1:30pm Q and A

*Drs. Stone, Thompson and DeVries*

1:50pm Refreshment Break & Exhibits

2:05pm Vascular Assessment of the Diabetic Patient

*William Pearce, MD*

2:20pm Using Fresh Eyes and Approaches For An Old Nemesis: The Diabetic Foot

*James Wrobel, DPM, MS*

2:50pm Tuning Fork Method Determining Diabetic Neuropathy

*David Oyer, MD*

3:10pm Genetics and Vascular Disease

*Rex Chrisholm, PhD*

3:35pm Refreshment Break & Exhibits

3:50pm Present and Future of Artificial Limbs

*Todd Kuiken, MD, PhD*

4:20pm Muscle Nerve Dysfunction Problems Associated with PAD

*Mary McDermott, MD*

4:45pm Isolated Gastrocnemius and Soleal Vein Thrombosis: To Treat or Not To Treat

*Melina Kibbe, MD, RVT*

5:05pm Hypothermia Following Cardiac Arrest

*Richard Bernstein MD, PhD*

5:30pm Panel Discussion

*Faculty*

6:00 Closing Remarks & Adjourn

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## **Accreditation Statement**

Northwestern University's Feinberg School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

## **Credit Hour Statement**

The Northwestern University's Feinberg School of Medicine designates this educational activity for a maximum of 5 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*<sup>TM</sup>. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

## Faculty Disclosure

Current guidelines state that participants in CME activities should be made aware of any affiliation or financial interest that may affect a speaker's presentation. Speakers are required to disclose any significant relationships with commercial companies prior to the symposium. The course syllabus will identify any significant relationships and whether a faculty member will be discussing off-label usage.

## Special Needs

The Feinberg School of Medicine fully intends to comply with the legal requirements of the American with Disabilities Act. If any participant of this conference is in need of accommodation please indicate those needs on the registration form or submit written requests to the Office of CME at least one month prior to the conference date.

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## Course Directors

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## Registration Form

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Residents, Fellows and Nurses . . . . . \$60

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The paid registration fee, minus a \$50 administrative charge, will be refunded.  
No refunds will be granted after October 2, 2009.

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