



Introduction to Emergency Medicine Ultrasound – Virtual Conference

February 15 – 17, 2021

Monday, February 15, 2021		
7:30	Welcome and Introductions	
7:45	Interactive Polling Session	
8:00	Imaging Fundamentals	Lori Green, BA, RT, RDMS, RDCS, RVT
8:45	Break	
8:55	OB-GYN Anatomy/Exam	James Mateer, MD, RDMS
9:45	Break	
9:55	Ectopic Pregnancy	James Mateer, MD, RDMS
10:40	Break	
10:50	OB Cases + Abortion	James Mateer, MD, RDMS
11:50	Break	
11:55	Fundamentals of Needle Guidance	James Mateer, MD, RDMS
12:30	Break	
12:45	Optional Video Lecture: PID & Masses	James Mateer, MD, RDMS
Tuesday, February 16, 2021		
7:30	Interactive Polling Session	
7:45	Ultrasound-Guided Vascular Access	Andrew Laudенbach, MD
8:45	Break	
9:00	Abdominal Scanning Fundamentals	Lori Green, BA, RT, RDMS, RDCS, RVT
10:00	Break	
10:05	FAST + e-fast	Andrew Laudенbach, MD
11:05	Break	
11:15	Focused 2D Cardiac Exam (F.A.T.E.)	James Mateer, MD, RDMS
12:15	Break	
12:30	Optional Video Lecture: Abscess & Joint Aspiration	James Mateer, MD, RDMS
Wednesday, February 17, 2021		
7:45	Biliary & Renal Colic	James Mateer, MD, RDMS
8:30	AAA & Case Studies	
9:00	Break	
9:05	Evaluation of DVT	Andrew Laudенbach, MD
9:40	Evaluation of Cardiac Arrest, Shock & Hypotension	
10:40	Break	
10:50	Ultrasound-Guided Procedures: Pericardiocentesis, Paracentesis, Hemothorax, Lumbar Puncture	Alexander Levitov, MD, RDCS, FCCM, FCCP
11:35	Evaluation of COVID-19	
12:15	Interactive Polling Session with discussion	
12:30	Adjourn	

** This is a tentative course itinerary. Lecture faculty, times and dates may be subject to change.



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The Gulfoast Ultrasound Institute designates this internet live educational activity for a maximum of 12.0 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

This course also meets CME / CEU requirements for ARDMS. Note: While offering the CME credit hours noted above, activities are not intended to provide extensive training or certification for exam performance or interpretation.

NEEDS STATEMENT:

The planning committee has determined a need for the following educational activity based on request from the medical community, expanded utilization of ultrasound, and lab accreditation requirements.

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

At the completion of the program the participant should be able to:

1. Increase participant's knowledge to better perform and/or interpret Emergency ultrasound examinations
2. State the basic fundamentals of ultrasound physics and demonstrate appropriate optimization of system controls.
3. Perform ultrasound evaluation of the trauma patient (E-FAST exam) and pneumothorax.
4. Demonstrate scan protocols for focused evaluation of the abdomen, aorta, female pelvis and adult heart.
5. State an algorithm for uses of bedside ultrasound during cardiac arrest, shock & hypotension.
6. Demonstrate image orientation, transducer preparation, and scan protocols for performing use of ultrasound guidance for vascular access, pericardiocentesis, paracentesis, hemothorax, lumbar puncture, ET placement.
7. Demonstrate protocol for focused evaluation of DVT.
8. Differentiate normal/abnormal image characteristics of the abdomen, female pelvis, first trimester OB, and ectopic pregnancy.
9. Increase competence to incorporate protocols, scan techniques, and interpretation criteria into clinical practice.

While offering CME credit hours this activity is not intended to provide extensive training or certification for performance of or interpretation of Emergency Ultrasound Examinations. We recommend working under supervised conditions until an acceptable level of proficiency has been achieved.

No financial commercial support or educational grants were received for this activity and no "in-kind" commercial support is provided as no "hands-on" instruction is performed.



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No hands-on instruction is performed for this course.