



NC Neurological Society  
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Raleigh, NC 27611

## **REGISTRATION PACKET FOR:**

# NC Neurological Society ❖ 2012 ANNUAL MEETING

February 17-18, 2012  
Grandover Resort  
Greensboro, NC



**WakeAHEC**  
Educating present and future healthcare providers  
Part of the North Carolina AHEC Program

JOINTLY SPONSORED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA NEUROLOGICAL SOCIETY AND THE WAKE AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTER



### ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION

This meeting is designed for practicing and academic neurologists and physician extenders in neurology practices, and will provide attendees an opportunity to increase their knowledge and improve their diagnosis and treatment skills in the areas of headache, movement disorders, stroke, multiple sclerosis, and mitochondrial disorders. Participants will also understand recent Medicare regulations as they pertain to the practice of neurology.

### EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

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

1. Discuss the evaluation and management of headache disorders;
2. Utilize current principles in the diagnosis and management of movement disorders;
3. Analyze the historical development pertaining to the diagnosis and management of multiple sclerosis;
4. Assess recent changes in Medicare regulations pertaining to the practice of neurology;
5. Evaluate critical aspects of a medico-legal deposition;
6. Explore diagnostic and management options in the care of the stroke patient;
7. Explain the pathophysiology, diagnostic and treatment options of mitochondrial disorders.

### ACCREDITATION

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essentials and Standards of the North Carolina Medical Society through the joint sponsorship of the Wake Area Health Education Center and the North Carolina Neurological Society. The Wake Area Health Education Center is accredited by the North Carolina Medical Society to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

### CREDIT

The Wake Area Health Education Center designates this live activity for a maximum of 7.0 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*<sup>™</sup>. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

### ADDITIONAL CREDIT

Other health professionals will receive Wake AHEC CEU and a certificate of attendance from an *AMA PRA Category 1 credit*<sup>™</sup> activity. These certificates are accepted by the NC boards for physician assistants, nurse practitioners, and nurses. License requirements are subject to change. Wake AHEC recommends that participants contact their licensing boards with specific questions. Wake Area Health Education Center will provide .7 Continuing Education Units (7.0 contact hours) to participants upon completion of this activity.

### DISCLOSURE

Wake AHEC adheres to ACCME Essential Areas and policies regarding industry support of continuing medical education. Commercial support for the program and faculty relationships within the industry will be disclosed at the activity. Speakers will also state when off-label or experimental use of drugs or devices are incorporated in their presentations.

### MEETING FEATURES

This year's Annual Meeting will include several activities beyond the Scientific Session for your enjoyment. A Resident Poster Competition will again be featured. The Friday evening Dinner Program will be an historical perspective on multiple sclerosis. Saturday will feature the Annual Business Meeting and lunch for registrants. As a new feature this year, there will be a free Resident Lunch Forum exploring how to evaluate practice opportunities and contracts. Attire for the meeting and social functions is business casual.

### MEETING REGISTRATION

Fees include all meeting sessions, the Friday dinner for the participant, the Saturday continental breakfast, breaks, and lunch. Registration fees are waived for residents and medical students, although pre-registration is required for the resident luncheon forum. Register securely online at <https://www.123signup.com/event?id=cdfdq>, or complete the form in this brochure and return it with payment prior to February 1. Registrations received after that date will incur a \$50 surcharge.

### REGISTRATION CANCELLATION

Please note that refunds of registration fees will not be made after February 10. Refunds, less \$25, will be made for cancellations received prior to that date.

### HOTEL FEATURES AND ACCOMMODATIONS

The four-diamond Grandover Resort features a European-style spa, two golf courses, tennis and racquetball courts, and fitness center. For directions, go to [www.grandover.com](http://www.grandover.com). Call the Grandover at (800) 472-6301 or (336) 294-1800 and mention NC Neurological Society to receive the special group rate of \$169 single or double occupancy, plus tax. Reservations must be made prior to January 18.

### AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Wake AHEC and the NCNS are fully committed to the principle of equal educational opportunities for all individuals and do not discriminate on the basis of any characteristics protected by federal or state law. If you require any of the auxiliary aids or services identified in the Americans with Disabilities Act in order to participate in this conference, please call the NCNS at (919) 833-3836 no later than ten business days before the date of the activity.

### QUESTIONS

Contact Nancy Lowe at the NCNS office at [nlowe@ncmedsoc.org](mailto:nlowe@ncmedsoc.org) or (919) 833-3836.

# SCHEDULE

## Friday, February 17

4:30-6:00pm	Registration
6:00-7:00pm	Welcome Reception / Visit Exhibits
7:00-9:00pm	Dinner and Program
	Welcome and Opening Remarks David Meyer, MD, MBA, President
	<b>Multiple Sclerosis Therapies through the Ages and Current Overview</b> Howard Zwibel, MD

## Saturday, February 18

7:00am-12:00pm	Registration
7:00-8:00am	Continental Breakfast / Visit Exhibits
7:55-11:30am	Scientific Session
7:55am	Welcome and Introductions David Meyer, MD, MBA, President
8:00am	<b>Practical Headache Management</b> Marshall Freeman, MD, FAANEM
8:55am	Q&A
9:00am	<b>Case Studies in Stroke Management</b> Cheryl Bushnell, MD, MHS
9:55am	Q&A
10:00am	Break / Visit Exhibits
10:30am	<b>The Future of Medicare for the Practicing Neurologist</b> Bruce H. Cohen, MD, FAAN
11:25am	Q&A
11:30am	<b>NCNS Business Meeting</b> (no credit will be awarded)
12:00-1:00pm	Lunch (included in registration fee)
12:00-1:00pm	Resident Lunch Forum: <b>"Resident Survival Guide: How to Navigate Practice Opportunities"</b> Moderated by J. Griffith Steel, MD
1:00-4:45pm	Scientific Session, continued
1:00pm	<b>Mitochondrial Disease and the Neurologist</b> Bruce H. Cohen, MD, FAAN
1:50pm	Q&A
2:00pm	<b>Movement Disorder Emergencies</b> Bradley Robottom, MD
2:50pm	Q&A
3:00pm	Break / Visit Exhibits
3:30pm	<b>Medico-Legal Depositions: A Primer for Neurologists</b> Dan McLamb, Esq.
4:25pm	Q&A
4:30pm	Awarding of Resident Poster Competition Prizes
4:45pm	Wrap Up and Adjourn

## PROGRAM FACULTY



**Cheryl Bushnell, MD, MHS**  
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## MEETING REGISTRATION FORM

NCNS 2012 Annual Meeting / February 17-18, 2012 / Greensboro, NC

Register online! Go to <https://www.123signup.com/event?id=cdfdq>

### 1. PERSONAL INFORMATION (PLEASE PRINT)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Degree(s): \_\_\_\_\_

First Name for Badge: \_\_\_\_\_ Last 4 Digits of SSN: \_\_\_\_ \_

Practice Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse/Guest Name, if attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Dietary Restrictions/Accessibility Needs: \_\_\_\_\_

### 2. REGISTRATION FEES (PLEASE CHECK ONE) (SC/VA MEMBERS MAY REGISTER AT NC MEMBER RATE)

(TO QUALIFY FOR MEMBER RATE, 2012 MEMBERSHIP DUES MUST BE CURRENT)

	Prior to 2/1	After 2/1
<input type="checkbox"/> NCNS Member Physician .....	\$125	\$175
<input type="checkbox"/> NCNS Member PA/NP .....	\$100	\$150
<input type="checkbox"/> NCNS Non-member Physician .....	\$175	\$225
<input type="checkbox"/> NCNS Non-member PA/NP .....	\$150	\$200
<input type="checkbox"/> Emeritus/Retired Physician .....	\$100	\$150
<input type="checkbox"/> Resident/Fellow/Medical Student.....	\$-0-	\$-0-

### 3. ACTIVITIES (PLEASE PRE-REGISTER FOR EACH FOR CATERING AND SEATING PURPOSES)

- Friday Dinner and Program @ n/c for registrant
- \_\_\_\_\_ Guest(s) for Dinner @ \$50
- Saturday Scientific Session (includes general lunch)
- Saturday Resident Lunch Forum @ n/c

### 4. TOTAL FEES (FROM SECTIONS 2 AND 3) (NO REFUNDS AFTER FEBRUARY 10) \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is check # \_\_\_\_\_ for \$\_\_\_\_\_ payable to NCNS, or

Visa  MasterCard 3-Digit Code on back of card: \_\_\_\_\_

Name as it appears on card: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Account #: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

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