

NORTH CAROLINA NEUROLOGICAL SOCIETY



2014 ANNUAL MEETING

February 21-23, 2014
The Pinehurst Resort
Village of Pinehurst, NC

This continuing medical education activity is jointly sponsored by the
North Carolina Neurological Society
and the Southern Regional Area Health Education Center

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Target Audience and Purpose

The North Carolina Neurological Society is pleased to announce its 2014 Annual Meeting, to be held at the historic Pinehurst Resort in Village of Pinehurst, North Carolina. This course is designed for practicing and academic neurologists, fellows, residents, medical students, and mid-level providers and will provide attendees the opportunity to learn new and updated information on topics including seizure management, evaluation of the patient with neuropathy, how and when to use oral drugs for multiple sclerosis, and legislative activity that will impact the future of health care delivery and neurology. A Resident Poster Competition will again be featured, and we will present a free Resident Lunch Forum exploring the neurology job market and manpower issues. The 2014 Annual Meeting features an **expanded, three-day format** for additional educational hours!

Objectives

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

- Choose an appropriate oral therapy for patients with multiple sclerosis.
- Review current therapies and techniques in epilepsy management.
- Assess the different potential etiologies of the patient with peripheral neuropathy.
- Describe current management techniques in the patient with concussion.
- Explain current techniques in telestroke management of stroke patients.
- Explain the role of neuromodulation in the treatment of various neurological disorders.
- Describe major policies and coding changes that will affect neurologists in 2014.

AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™ - 9.25 hours

Credit Statement

The Southern Regional AHEC designates this live activity for a maximum of 9.25 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™*. Physicians should claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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 Southern Regional AHEC and the North Carolina Neurological Society. The Southern Regional AHEC is accredited by the NCMS to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Additional Credit

Other health professionals will receive Southern Regional AHEC CEU and/or contact hours and a certificate of attendance from an AMA PRA Category 1™ activity. These certificates are accepted by the NC boards for physician assistants, nurse practitioners, and nurses. License requirements are subject to change. Southern Regional AHEC recommends that participants contact their licensing board with specific questions. Southern Regional AHEC will provide 0.9 Continuing Education Units (9.25 contact hours) to participants upon completion of this activity.

Disclosure Statement

The Southern Regional AHEC adheres to ACCME Essential Areas and Policies regarding industry support of continuing medical education. Disclosure of faculty/planning committee members and commercial relationships will be made known at the activity. Speakers are also expected to openly disclose a discussion of any off-label, experimental, or investigational use of drugs or devices in their presentations.

Resort Features and Accommodations

The Pinehurst Resort is a four-diamond, family-friendly resort featuring so much more than world-class golf courses! Lawn sports, a European-style spa, tennis courts, shops, and a fitness center are onsite, and nearby are antique and pottery shops, equestrian activities, museums and more. Advance reservations are required for most dining outlets and recreational activities. To secure your

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accommodations, please use the form in this brochure or call the Pinehurst Resort at (855) 877-7834. The NCNS has set aside a block of rooms at a special rate of \$168 plus 10% resort fee and taxes per night. The resort fee covers gratuities, afternoon tea, use of the fitness center, tennis courts, putting green, bicycles, valet and self-parking, and on-demand, on-property transportation. Please be aware that the resort does have a 30-day cancellation policy. **The cut-off date to make reservations is January 22.** Don't delay!

Registration Information

The registration fee for this meeting is \$175 per member physician, \$225 per nonmember physician, \$125 per member PA/NP, and \$175 per nonmember PA/NP. The fee for emeritus/retired members is \$100. Residents and medical students may attend the meeting free of charge. Registration fees include continental breakfasts and breaks, the Friday evening reception and dinner, and Saturday lunch for the participant. Guest fees for the Friday dinner are noted on the registration form. You may register securely online at www.123signup.com/event?id=djtsp, or complete the registration form in this brochure and return it by January 20 to receive the early-bird rate. Registrations received after that date will be charged a higher fee.

Please note that refunds of registration fees will not be made after Friday, February 14. Refunds, less \$25, will be made for cancellations received prior to that date.

All attendees must sign in daily to receive credit.

Americans with Disabilities Act

Southern Regional 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 Nancy Lowe at the NCNS at (919) 833-3836 no later than ten business days before the date of the activity.

Optional Ancillary CME Events

(These events are not part of the accredited NCNS Annual Meeting program sponsored by the NCNS and Southern Regional AHEC.)

Option 1

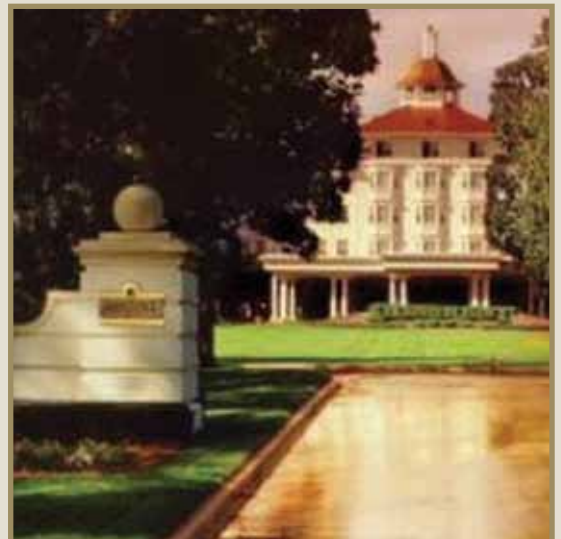
Saturday, February 22, 4:30pm-5:30pm: "Incorporating Diagnostic Advances to Improve the Management of Alzheimer's Disease," featuring Marwan N. Sabbagh, MD, FAAN, Director, Banner Sun Health Research Institute and Research Professor of Neurology, University of Arizona College of Medicine-Phoenix. This program is jointly sponsored by the Potomac Center for Medical Education (PCME) and Rockpointe. CME is accredited by the Potomac Center for Medical Education (PCME). To register for this program, go to <http://www.rockpointe.com/ADReg>.

Option 2

Sunday, February 23, 11:15am-12:15pm: "Improving Management Strategies for Patients with Multiple Sclerosis: An Evaluation of Current Practice," featuring Clyde E. Markowitz, MD, Associate Professor of Neurology, University of Pennsylvania and Director, Multiple Sclerosis Center at the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia. This program is sponsored by Integrity Continuing Education. CME is accredited by Integrity Continuing Education. To register for this program, contact areynolds@integritycte.com or (888) 255-1009.

Questions?

If you have questions about the 2014 Annual Meeting or need assistance, contact the NCNS at (919) 833-3836 or (800) 722-1350, or nlowe@ncmedsoc.org.



MEETING FACULTY & LEADERSHIP



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Annual Meeting

February 20-21, 2015

The Ballantyne Hotel

Charlotte, NC

SCHEDULE



Friday, February 21

4:30pm – 7:00pm	Registration
5:30pm – 7:00pm	Welcome Reception / Visit Exhibits
7:00pm – 9:00pm	Dinner and Program (pre-registration required)
7:15pm	Welcome and Opening Remarks (J. Griffith Steel, MD, President)
8:00pm	Physician Health: Wellness—Burnout—Impairment (Warren Pendergast, MD)

Saturday, February 22

7:00am – 12:00pm	Registration
7:00am – 8:00am	Continental Breakfast / Visit Exhibits
8:00am – 4:15pm	Scientific Session
8:00am	Welcome and Introductions (J. Griffith Steel, MD, President)
8:05am	ICD-10 Update (Laura Powers, MD, FAAN)
8:50am	Q&A
9:00am	Overview of New Oral MS Therapies (Mike Kaufman, MD)
9:45am	Q&A
10:00am	Break / Visit Exhibits
10:30am	Update in Epilepsy Management (Rodney Radtke, MD)
11:20am	Q&A
11:30am	NCNS Business Meeting (no credit will be awarded)
12:00pm – 1:00pm	General Lunch (included in registration fee)
12:00pm – 1:00pm	Resident Lunch Forum: Neurology Job Market and Manpower (pre-registration required) (William Ferrell, MD, and Robert Yapundich, MD, moderators)
1:00pm	Legislative Update (Stephen W. Keene, JD, MBA)
1:30pm	2014 Medicare Physician Payment Issues for Neurology (Amanda Becker, BA)
2:00pm	Workup of the Patient with Neuropathy (Peter Donofrio, MD, FAAN)
2:50pm	Q&A
3:00pm	Break / Visit Exhibits
3:30pm	Telestroke: Improving Stroke Care in North Carolina (Charles Tegeler, MD)
4:10pm	Q&A
4:15pm	Adjourn
4:30pm – 5:30pm	Optional CME Event provided by Potomac Center for Medical Education: Incorporating Diagnostic Advances to Improve the Management of Alzheimer's Disease (Pre-registration required)

Dinner on own - advance reservations are recommended.

Sunday, February 23

7:00am – 11:00am	Registration
7:00am – 8:00am	Continental Breakfast
8:00am – 11:00am	Scientific Session
8:00am	Welcome and Introductions (J. Griffith Steel, MD, President)
8:05am	Advances in Neuromodulation (Adrian Laxton, MD, FRCSC)
8:50am	Q&A
9:00am	Risk Management: Hot Button Topics, Physician Vulnerabilities, Off-Label Prescribing (Randy Lee, MD, JD)
9:50am	Q&A
9:55am	Break
10:10am	Current Management of Concussion in Adults and Children (David Wiercisiewski, MD)
10:55am	Q&A
11:00am	Awarding of Resident Poster Competition Prizes Wrap Up and Adjourn
11:15am – 12:15pm	Optional CME Event provided by Integrity Continuing Education: Improving Management Strategies for Patients with Multiple Sclerosis: An Evaluation of Current Practice (Pre-registration required)

MEETING REGISTRATION FORM



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The Pinehurst Resort, Village of Pinehurst, North Carolina
Register securely online at www.123signup.com/event?id=djtsp

1. Personal Information (Please print)

Complete this registration form (one per person) and return by fax or mail with payment due.

Name: _____

Practice Name: _____

First Name for Badge: _____ Last 4 Digits of SSN (required for CME): ____ _

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

Spouse/Guest Name (if attending): _____ Spouse/Guest Badge Name: _____

Emergency Contact: (Name) _____ (Phone) _____

Dietary Restrictions: _____ Special Needs: _____

2. Registration Fees (VA or SC members may attend at the NC member rate; 2014 dues must be current to qualify for member rate.)

	<u>Prior to 1/20</u>	<u>After 1/20</u>
____ Physician-NCNS member	\$175.....	\$225
____ Physician-NCNS non-member.....	\$225.....	\$275
____ PA/NP-NCNS member.....	\$125.....	\$175
____ PA/NP-NCNS non-member.....	\$175.....	\$225
____ Resident/Medical student.....	\$-0-.....	\$-0-
____ Emeritus/Retired member.....	\$100.....	\$150

3. Social Activities (Pre-registration required) (Please indicate number attending)

- ____ Friday Reception and Dinner Program - registrant @ n/c
- ____ Friday Reception and Dinner Program - adult guest(s) @ \$50
- ____ Saturday Resident Lunch Forum @ n/c

4. Total Fees (Total of sections 2 and 3) (No refunds after February 14)

- Enclosed is check # _____ for \$ _____ payable to NCNS.
- Credit Card Type: Visa _____ MasterCard _____ (American Express is not accepted.)

Name as it appears on Credit Card: _____

Account #: _____ - _____ - _____ Exp. Date: _____ / _____ 3-digit CVV#: _____

Billing Address and Zip Code: _____

Register securely online, or send this form and payment to: NCNS, PO Box 27167, Raleigh, NC 27611 / FAX: (919) 833-2023

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