The Elaine J. Skalabrin Stroke Symposium seeks to provide state-of-the-art health professional continuing medical education through highlighting evidence-based practice standards and timely research review with regard to stroke diagnosis, treatment, and prevention. The meeting is presented in a multidisciplinary format with break-out groups entitled Nursing and Quality Improvement, Stroke Science, Rehab Science, and Community Outreach.

Our curriculum development is based upon current evidence-based research and practice guidelines and quality improvement initiatives. In addition, input is received from the committee members regarding areas of desired teaching and furthering of clinical knowledge. Attendees are instructed through the discussion of patient cases, current and past research review, and presentation of key articles. Educational materials are presented in several formats, including an electronic syllabus with core topic review and presentation. At the end of each symposium attendees complete an evaluation to determine the effectiveness of the content, materials, and presentation.

This Symposium has a unique approach to continuing education in that it brings together medical personnel from a variety of fields to improve the acute and long-term care of stroke patients. Our target audience reflects our multidisciplinary approach: community and hospital-based physicians (Internists, Neurologists, Physiatrists, Emergency Room Physicians, Primary Care Physicians, Public Health Educators), physician assistants, nurses, Rehabilitation therapists, Public Health Specialists, Speech and Language Pathologists, administrators, and allied health professionals throughout the State of Utah and the Intermountain West. The treatment of acute stroke requires an organized approach across multiple specialties and services. This conference was conceived and organized specifically to bring providers together who are committed to reducing the incidence and disabling effects of stroke in the Intermountain region.

Upon completion of this program, participants should be able to:

- Understand community and resources that are available to enhance one’s life after stroke
- Recognize the current management guidelines for intracerebral hemorrhage and subarachnoid hemorrhage
- Describe issues unique to rural stroke care and identify potential solutions to these barriers
Opening Session

7:00 AM  Registration & Breakfast
7:50 AM  Welcome
Lee Chung, MD

8:00 AM  KEYNOTE  Accelerating Door to Needle Times
Elaire J. Skalabrin, MD

9:00 AM  Transition to Concurrent Sessions

Group 1  Cryptogenic Stroke

9:15 AM  Breaking Science from the International Stroke Conference 2017
Nabeel Chauhan, MBBS
Alex Lin, MD

10:00 AM  Pre Hospital Triage and Bypass Protocols
Kevin Call, MD

10:40 AM  BREAK with Exhibitors

11:10 AM  Quality Improvement in Inpatient Stroke Care
Elaine J. Skalabrin, MD

12:00 PM  Intracranial Atherosclerosis: The Next Frontier in Diagnosis and Management
Adam DeHavenon, MD

Group 2  ICH

9:15 AM  Management of Intracerebral Hemorrhage
Safdar Ansari, MD

10:00 AM  Management of Subarachnoid Hemorrhage
Holly Ledyard, MD, MS

10:40 AM  BREAK with Exhibitors

11:10 AM  Update on the Management of Cerebral Vein and Dural Sinus Thrombosis
Michael Karsey, MD

12:00 PM  Extracellular RNAs as Biomarkers of Stroke
Yashar Kalani, MD, PhD

Closing Session

12:40 PM  Transition to Lunch

1:00 PM  KEYNOTE  Telestroke: Where We’ve Been and Where We’re Going
Jennifer Majersik, MD, MS, FAHA

2:00 PM  Evaluations & Adjourn

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