Dear Colleagues,

The Division of General Internal Medicine and the Department of Medicine invite you to the next education and business meeting, to be held on **Tuesday March 5, 2019**

The meeting will be held at: **RENAISSANCE HOTEL, NORTHBROOK**  
Northbrook Ballroom  
933 SKOKIE BLVD, NORTHBROOK, IL

**Agenda:** Cocktails at 5:30pm – 6:30pm.  
Program/Dinner 6:30pm -8:30pm *(Promptly)*

**COPD GUIDELINES 2019 AND BEYOND**

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**Learning Objectives:**

1. Review and discuss the diagnostic criteria and differential diagnosis of COPD
2. Review the appropriate algorithms for the management of uncomplicated and complicated COPD

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This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of the University of Chicago and NorthShore University HealthSystem. The University of Chicago is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The University Of Chicago Pritzker School Of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of **2 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™**. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Nurses and other healthcare professionals will receive a Certificate of Participation. For information on the applicability and acceptance of Certificates of Participation for educational activities certified for **AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™** from organizations accredited by the ACCME, please consult your professional licensing board.

To allow us to better plan for the dinner, we would appreciate if you would let us know if you will be attending. Respond via email to Jennifer Wertheimer at jwertheimer@northshore.org or by telephone at (847)570-1258.

Looking forward to seeing you all

Sincerely,

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