

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

Section of Neurosurgery,
Department of Surgery

2016 KLUVER MEMORIAL SYMPOSIUM

VALUE-BASED SPINE SURGERY

Wednesday January 20th, 2016

8:00am – 2:45pm



THE GLEACHER CENTER

450 N. Cityfront Plaza Drive, Room 408

Chicago, IL 60611

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

This symposium will focus on a patient-oriented and value-based approach to spine problems. It will emphasize a comprehensive approach that includes understanding of non-operative options. The symposium will also discuss a variety of surgical approaches and ways to measure outcome using patient-rated and functional metrics.

TARGET AUDIENCE

This program will be of particular interest to neurosurgeons, neurologists, rehab physicians, orthopedic doctors, and all other medical professionals that work within these specialties.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- *Analyze the natural history and functional significance of spine disease in order to make more informed choices when treating patients*
- *Evaluate current treatment options for spine disease to understand their efficacy and appropriate use*
Identify the outcomes of surgical treatments and available high-value treatments for a range of spine conditions to formulate a standard of care
- *Explain the meaning and significance of a value-based approach to spine care in order to measure its positive effects on patient outcomes*

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SYMPOSIUM AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20, 2016

7:30 am - 8:00 am

COURSE REGISTRATION

8:00 am - 8:15 am

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

David M. Frim, MD, PhD

8:15 am - 9:00 am

Measuring the Value in Spine Surgery

Daniel K. Resnick, MD, MS

9:00 am - 9:45 am

The Value in Minimally Invasive & Destructive Surgical Options

Ben Zion Roitberg, MD

9:45 am - 10:15 am

BREAK

10:15 am - 11:00 am

The Value of a Spine Surgeon in Metastatic Disease

Edwin Ramos, MD

11:00 am - 11:45 am

The Value of Surgical Treatment in Adolescent Scoliosis

Christopher Sullivan, MD, MPH

11:45 am - 1:00 pm

LUNCH

1:00 pm - 1:45 pm

Natural History of Lumbar Disc Disease: To Operate or Not?

Lawrence W. Frank, MD

1:45 pm - 2:30 pm

Outcome Registries: The Value & Future of Spine Surgery

Ben Zion Roitberg, MD

2:30 pm - 2:45 pm

CONCLUDING REMARKS

LOCATION

The Gleacher Center
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Program agenda and speaker selection are subject to change.

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REGISTRATION

HOW TO REGISTER

 **EMAIL** Cecilia Ehlenbach at cehlenbach@surgery.bsd.uchicago.edu

Check and cash will be collected the day of the symposium.
Please make all checks payable to **The University of Chicago**
(Tax ID# 36-2177139)

REGISTRATION FEE

The registration fee includes symposium materials and refreshments.
While registration is open until the start of the symposium, we do encourage early registration to enable us to provide the best possible service to participants.

Physicians	\$40
Nurses	\$20
Residents/Fellows/Students	Complimentary

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