



Neurofibromatosis 1 & 2 for 2011 and beyond: Biology, Diagnosis, Treatment Options

Wednesday November 9, 2011 8:30am-3pm

The University of Chicago Crerar Library
5730 S Ellis Ave Chicago, IL 60637

The University of Chicago Department of Surgery, Section of Neurosurgery

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

After attending this educational activity, participants will be able to:

- Understand the genetics and differences between NF1, NF2 and schwannomatosis
- Understand the background and causes of these tumors, methods of treatment including surgery and chemotherapy and genetic testing, radiologic evaluations
- Understand the molecular basis of the neurofibromatosis, both NF1 and NF2, and how they are potentially transforming our treatment of these conditions

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Visiting Speakers Include:

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Scott Plotkin, MD

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Rick Fehon, PhD

The event has been certified for AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™

Physicians \$40

Nurses & Other Health Professionals \$20

Residents/Fellows (with letter of verification) \$20

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