



WEILL CORNELL MEDICAL COLLEGE
CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION

MEDICINE GRAND ROUNDS

Thursdays at 11:00 A.M. – URIS AUDITORIUM

March 2008

Thursday, March 6, 2008

Direct to Consumer Predictive Genetic Testing is Here.

Are We Ready?

Ronald G. Crystal, M.D.

Professor and Chairman, Department of Genetic Medicine
Chief, Division of Pulmonary Critical Care Medicine, Department of Medicine
Weill Cornell Medical College

Thursday, March 13, 2008

Joint Medicine and Public Health Grand Rounds

The Pottery Barn Principle Ownership and Medical Failure

Charles L. Bosk, Ph.D.

Professor of Sociology
University of Pennsylvania

Co-sponsored by the Department of Medicine and the Division of Medical Ethics

Followed by General Staff Meeting ¹

Thursday, March 20, 2008

Why Muscle Matters--Clinical Utility of Cardiac MRI for Myocardial Tissue

Characterization

Jonathan W. Weinsaft, M.D.

Assistant Professor of Medicine, Greenberg Division of Cardiology
Director, Cardiac Magnetic Resonance Imaging Program
Weill Cornell Medical College

Thursday, March 27, 2008

The Hidden Epidemic of Renal Disease: The TGF Beta Story

Phyllis August, M.D.

Ralph A. Bauer M.D. Professor of Research in Medicine
Weill Cornell Medical College

Theresa Lang Director of Lang Center for Research and Education
New York Hospital Queens

Target Audience: Weill-Cornell physicians in this specialty, other interested physicians and health care providers, and students.

Statement of Need: Advances in this field need to be presented on a regular basis as one means of updating physicians on the latest developments in their specialty.

Course Objectives: Weill Cornell Medical College CME Activities are intended to lead to improved patient care. By the conclusion of this series, physicians should have a better understanding of recent developments in this field, which in turn should lead to improvements in clinical practice.

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Weill Cornell Medical College designates this educational activity for a maximum of 1 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)TM. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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