

THE DEPARTMENT OF MEDICINE  
DIVISION OF GASTROENTEROLOGY & HEPATOLOGY PRESENTS:

# 2ND ANNUAL BROOKLYN



SUNY  
**Downstate**  
Medical Center

**Friday, June 8, 2012**

**7:00am - 4:00pm**



## LOCATION

**SUNY Downstate Medical Center  
Health Science Center Building  
395 Lenox Road  
Brooklyn, New York 11203  
Alumni Auditorium**

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## COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course is designed for Gastroenterologists, Hepatologists, Infectious Disease Specialists, Gastroenterology Fellows, Gastroenterology Nurses, Nurse Practitioners, Physician Assistants and Pharmacists. This Course will provide up-to-date information on treatment strategies on topics such as Hepatitis B, Hepatitis C, Hepatocellular Carcinoma and Advanced Liver Diseases Management.

## EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this course, attendees should be able to understand:

- Hepatitis C therapy with the new direct acting antivirals.
- Hepatitis B therapy update.
- Management of advanced liver disease.
- Advances in the management of advanced hepatocellular carcinoma.
- Advances in liver imaging.
- Advances in local ablative treatments in hepatocellular carcinoma.
- New advances in non alcoholic fatty liver disease.
- New advances in liver fibrosis.

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## 2ND ANNUAL BROOKLYN HEPATOLOGY UPDATE PROGRAM

**FRIDAY, JUNE 8, 2012**

7:00 - 8:00am Registration and  
Continental Breakfast

8:00 - 8:30am Welcome and Opening Remarks  
Frank Gress, MD  
Ayse Aytaman, MD

### **SESSION 1: HEPATOCELLULAR CARCINOMA**

**MODERATOR:** VERONIKA DUBROVSKAYA, MD

8:30 to 8:50am Approach to the Management of  
Advanced HCC: Staging, work up,  
available treatment options  
*Tamar Taddei, MD*

8:50 to 9:15am When do we consider surgery for  
hepatocellular carcinoma: Indications,  
pitfalls, periop management pearls?  
*Francesco Serafini, MD*

9:15 to 9:40am Liver Imaging for the Hepatologist  
*Serge Somrov, MD*

9:40 to 10:00am Loco-ablative procedures for HCC  
*Theresa Aquino, MD*

10:00 to 10:15am Questions and Answers

10:15pm COFFEE BREAK

### **SESSION 2: ADVANCED LIVER DISEASE**

**MODERATOR:** AYSE AYTAMAN, MD

10:45 to 11:15am New Frontiers in Liver Fibrosis  
*Scott L. Friedman, MD*

11:15 to 11:45am Update on Portal HTN, Current  
Concepts in Management  
*Guadalupe Garcia-Tsao, MD*

11:45 to 12:00pm Questions and Answers

12:00pm LUNCH

### **SESSION 3:**

**MODERATOR:**

### **VIRAL HEPATITIS**

VERONIKA DUBROVSKAYA, MD

1:00 - 1:35pm Update on Approach to Hepatitis B  
Management  
*Norah Terrault, MD*

1:35 - 2:00pm Update on Hepatitis C in the Era of  
DAAs  
*Ayse Aytaman, MD*

2:00 - 2:20pm Questions and Answers

2:20 - 2:40pm COFFEE BREAK

### **SESSION 4:**

**MODERATOR:**

### **NASH/NAFLD/ METABOLIC SYNDROME**

PATRICK BASU, MD

2:45 - 3:30pm NASH/NAFLD/Metabolic Syndrome  
*Zabair Younossi, MD*

3:30 - 3:45pm Questions and Answers

3:45 - 4:00pm Summary & Concluding Remarks

## **LUNCH BREAKOUT SESSIONS**

12:00 to 1:00pm

### **SESSION I**

Management of Anti viral therapy side effects

*Anna Christakos-DiTeodoro, PharmD,*

*Denise Romney, MSN, CFNP & Winsome Jeffries, BSN, CGRN*

### **SESSION II**

Autoimmune Hepatitis: The Flatbush Experience

*Cherif El Younis, MD*

### **SESSION III**

Alcoholic Hepatitis

*Patrick Basu, MD*

### **SESSION IV**

Liver Disease in Pregnancy

*Veronika Dubrovskaya, MD*

**REGISTRATION INFORMATION****Register Today:**

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**Registration Deadline: May 28, 2012**

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