

First Annual Cleveland Clinic Multispecialty Pathology Symposium A Practical Diagnostic Approach to Surgical Pathology & Cytology

February 1-2, 2014

David G. Jagelman, MD Conference Center, Weston, Florida

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Program Description

Accreditation

Cleveland Clinic Florida is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Credits

Cleveland Clinic Florida designates this live activity for a maximum of **10.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™**.

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Accommodations

Individuals requiring hotel accommodations are responsible for making their own reservations.

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This program will focus on practical and evidence based aspects of managing commonly encountered dilemmas in Gastrointestinal, Urological surgical Pathology, and Cytopathology. This one and a half day symposium will provide guidance to the attendees on diagnosing and handling challenging cases in clinical practice including esophageal diseases, inflammatory bowel disease, colon and rectal cancer, and prostate neoplasia. Cytopathology will emphasize diagnostic challenges in EBUS, pancreatic, and thyroid FNAs, including the role of molecular testing. Each session will offer a didactic presentation that will allocate time for questions from the audience. This course will assist practicing pathologists and residents in maintaining, developing and increasing knowledge, competence and professional performance with the intent to improve patient care and reduce disease impact.

Objectives

At the conclusion of this live activity, participants will be able to:

- Identify important pathological factors of prognosis in rectal and colon cancer that are not included in the TNM staging system
- Analyze the impact of a meticulous lymph node dissection on prognosis and post-operative treatment decisions
- Recognize the typical histopathological features associated with MSI-H colorectal tumors
- Distinguish intraductal carcinoma of the prostate from high-grade prostatic intraepithelial neoplasia
- Recognize histologic variants of prostate cancer mimicking benign conditions
- Improve staging in TURBT based on knowledge of bladder microanatomy
- Recognize urinary bladder lesions that may have significant overlap with urothelial carcinoma

Topics

- Barrett's Esophagus
- Inflammatory Bowel Disease
- Colon & Rectal Cancer
- Prostate & Bladder Cancer
- Cytology

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