

Department of Dermatology

Grand Rounds

Medicolegal aspects of dermatology and dermatopathology

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Dermatology Clinic at Gottschalk Medical Plaza

1 Medical Plaza Dr., Irvine, CA (Second Floor)
8 to 8:45 a.m.—Patient Viewing

Weinstein Library

125 Med Surge I
8:45 to 10 a.m.—Patient Discussion
10:15 to 11:15 a.m.—Lecture

Activities approved for 3 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™.

Special thanks to Celgene and SUN Pharmaceuticals for exhibiting at this session.

Target Audience: The target audience for the Department of Dermatology Grand Rounds is attending physicians, fellows, community physicians and other health care professionals.

Statement of Purpose: The format will include lectures detailing diagnosis, management and therapeutic interventions for selected dermatologic topics, and occasional case presentations with review of interesting cases. Clinical test results and radiographic findings will also be included. Current landmark research findings will be discussed.

Accreditation statement: The UC Irvine School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Dermatologic Grand Rounds Global Objectives

- Summarize core competencies in Dermatology as identified by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education.
- Assessment and management of complex skin diseases including but not limited to cancer.
- Cite current research findings in the field of dermatology and dermatopathology.
- Discuss key issues in the delivery of dermatologic care to a wide range of therapeutic modalities and combination therapy to increase efficacy and minimize side effect profiles.

Designation statement: The UC Irvine School of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 3 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Disclosure: Lecturer/Moderator: Whitney A. High, MD, JD, MEng, has disclosed that he has no relevant financial relationships to disclose. Janellen Smith, MD has disclosed that she is an honorarium recipient for Solta, Zeltiq and Sciton; a member of the scientific advisory board for Zeltiq and Sciton; and a board member for Arbonne, which could be perceived as a potential conflict of interest in her presentation.



Whitney A. High, MD, MEng, a native of Colorado, is the Director of the laboratory, and he is board-certified in Dermatology and Dermatopathology. He also has certification in Tropical Medicine & Hygiene. After practicing as a chemical engineer in industry, Dr. High returned to medical school to receive his medical degree from the Mayo Clinic School of Medicine in 2000. Dr. High completed his dermatology residency training at University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center in 2004, serving as Chief Resident, and his dermatopathology fellowship at the University of Colorado in Denver in 2005. He has also studied tropical medicine in Central and South America.

Dr. High is appointed to the Departments of Dermatology & Pathology at the University of Colorado, and the Department of Chemistry at the Colorado School of Mines. He serves as the only dermatologist on faculty at the Denver STD/HIV Training Center, a clinic sponsored by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC). Dr. High also has a degree in law from the University of Denver.

Dr. High has authored 2 textbooks, 12 chapters and more than 40 medical papers. He currently serves as one of the youngest editors of the Journal of the American Academy of Dermatology, and he is an editor/editorial board member of other medical journals.

Janellen Smith, MD has disclosed that based on her potential conflict of interest, she will support her presentation and clinical recommendations with the best available evidence in the medical literature and will refrain from making recommendations regarding products or services.

Course Director/Planners: Christopher Zachary, FRCP has disclosed that, as course director, he is an educational grant recipient from Solta, is an honorarium recipient for Solta/Alma, is a member of the scientific advisory board for Zeltiq and receives an equipment loan from Cynosure. Christopher Zachary, FRCP has disclosed that based on his potential conflict of interest, to the best of his ability, he will ensure that any speakers or content he suggests are free from commercial bias. Hege Grande Sarpa, MD has disclosed that, as a course planner, she has no affiliations, arrangements or financial agreements, which could be perceived as a potential conflict of interest. Janellen Smith, MD has disclosed that, as course planner, she is an honorarium recipient for Solta, Zeltiq and Sciton; a member of the scientific advisory board for Zeltiq and Sciton; and a board member for Arbonne. Janellen Smith, MD has disclosed that based on her potential conflict of interest, to the best of her ability, she will ensure that any speakers or content she suggests are free from commercial bias. Dr. Smith further discloses that she will excuse herself from planning activity content in which she has a conflict of interest. Judy Hobert has also disclosed that, as an administrative staff, she has no affiliations, arrangements or financial agreements, which could be perceived as a potential conflict of interest.

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