Deep Brain Stimulation for Movement Disorders

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MEETING LOCATION
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There is no registration fee for this course.

COURSE REGISTRATION
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COURSE FORMAT AND DESCRIPTION
This course on Deep Brain Stimulation (DBS) for movement disorders is designed to provide the most current information on the disorders that are appropriate for DBS treatment, identifying patients who would benefit from this procedure and how DBS therapy can impact medication management. The course will feature a 45-minute session from a Vanderbilt Neurologists on recognizing cases that are appropriate for DBS evaluation and a 45-minute session from a Vanderbilt Neurosurgeon on the DBS procedure and its benefits.

STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL NEED
Despite the high incidence of movement disorders in an aging population, and the growing body of evidence supporting the efficacy of DBS in the treatment of movement disorders, only a fraction of patients who could benefit from DBS receive the treatment. This course will review the selection of appropriate patients for DBS therapy and discuss, in detail, the management of these patients.

PURPOSE AND TARGET AUDIENCE
The target audience for this course are neurologists, primary care physicians, internists, cardiologists, case managers, EMTS, nurses and rehabilitation therapists in Tennessee, southern Kentucky and northern Alabama.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES
After participating in this CME activity, participants should be able to identify appropriate candidates for DBS surgery, and will have a detailed knowledge of DBS implantation and its role in tracking movement disorders. Participants will:
• Be aware of the disorders that are appropriately treated by DBS.
• Know how to identify and screen potential DBS patients.
• Have a clear understanding of how DBS therapy can impact and interfere with medical care of patients and movement disorders.

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