

CME

Geriatric Psychiatry for Primary Care

Session I - Sat., Nov. 14, 2009 - Half-day
Session II - Wed., Dec. 9, 2009 - Evening

See older adults? Struggling to treat geriatric depression, trying to efficiently screen for cognitive problems, treat “forgetful” patients, or manage active dementia? This new two-part course is for you! Learn from a world-renowned faculty who actively treat patients with these problems. The course begins with a thorough half-day workshop on Saturday, November 14th, with a session covering pharmacotherapy of behavioural disorders in dementia with CAMH Physician-in-Chief Dr. Benoit Mulsant. Another session will feature Sunnybrook’s head of Neuroscience Dr. Ken Shulman, using interactive patient demonstrations of cognitive screening and mood screening. Additional topics include approaches to management of “forgetful” and “depressed” patients. A unique feature will be an ongoing connection to course director Dr. Zahinoor Ismail, who will be available to you for email questions to facilitate implementation of the learning. On Wednesday, December 9th, there will be an evening session with Dr. Ismail to review cases and provide feedback on problems encountered by participants since the November session. This evening session will also feature advanced practice tips, based on requests from the participants after the first session.

FACULTY

Zahinoor Ismail BMSc, MD, FRCPC; Assistant Professor and Coordinator, CME, Division of Geriatric Psychiatry, Department of Psychiatry, University of Toronto.

Benoit Mulsant MD, MS, FRCPC; Professor and Vice-Chair, Department of Psychiatry, University of Toronto; Physician-in-Chief, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health.

Ken Shulman MD, SM, FRCPC; Professor, Department of Psychiatry, University of Toronto; Lewar Chair in Geriatric Psychiatry, Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre.

David Tang-Wai MDCM, FRCPC; Assistant Professor, Departments of Neurology and Geriatric Medicine, University of Toronto.

Daniel Blumberger MD, FRCPC; Fellow, Department of Psychiatry, University of Toronto.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This course is designed for primary care practitioners who are involved in providing care to older adults, whether in the community, hospital, or long-term care environments.

FORMAT

Some of the sessions will be interactive allowing registrants to participate in assessments and discuss current cases and approaches to patients.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- To use evidence-based principles in managing behaviour disturbances in dementia
- To review screening methods for mild cognitive impairment, dementia and depression
- To implement practical approaches to the work-up of patients with cognitive impairment and mood symptoms.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14TH, 2009

- 08.00 - 08.30 Registration
- 08.30 - 09.30 **Introduction / lecture: Neuropsychiatric Symptoms of Dementia (AKA Behavioural and Psychological Symptoms of Dementia)**
- Dr. Benoit Mulsant
- 09.30 - 10.30 **Screening for cognitive impairment and mood disorders - interactive patient demonstration**
- Drs. Zahinoor Ismail and Ken Shulman
- 10.30 - 10.45 Break
- 10.45 - 11.15 **Practical approach to the management of the "forgetful" patient**
- Dr. David Tang-Wai
- 11.15 - 11.45 **Practical approach to the management of the "depressed" patient**
- Dr. Daniel Blumberger
- 11.45 - 12.00 **Wrap-up**
Note: All sessions include 25% time for Q&A

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9TH, 2009

- 19.00 - 20.30 **Follow up**

LOCATION

Centre for Addiction and Mental Health
33 Russell Street, Toronto, Ontario
(One street north of College, east of Spadina)

NOTE

Due to the interactive training format of this course, registration is restricted to 50 participants

REGISTRATION FEE

Professional Participant Fee: \$195.00 CAD
FULL PAYMENT MUST ACCOMPANY REGISTRATION FORM.

REGISTRATION

Mail this form to: **Geneviève Poulin**, CME Program
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CANCELLATION AND REFUNDS

A **\$75.00** administrative fee will be deducted upon cancellation. Refund requests (by fax or e-mail) must be received by: **October 30th, 2009**

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

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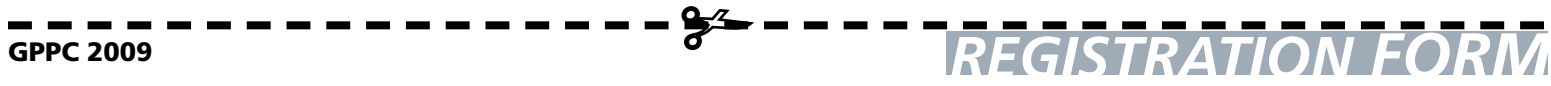
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