

20th Anniversary Stroke Belt Consortium Meeting

Orlando, FL

September 24-26, 2015

Preliminary Agenda and Speakers

****Annotated Agenda****

Thursday

Arrivals all day

6:30 PM to 9 PM Welcome Reception

Friday

7:00 AM to 8:00 AM Breakfast

8:00 AM to 8:15 AM Welcome and Introduction, Conference Overview

Mark J. Alberts, MD

8:15 AM to 8:35 AM Update on the REGARDS Study

What new information has REGARDS shown in terms of stroke risk among various patient groups and insights for new therapies in those groups?

George Howard, PhD

8:35 AM-8:55 AM Is the Stroke Belt Changing?

Using CDC data, how has the Stroke Belt changed in the past 10-20 years and what are the implications in terms of stroke prevention?

Mary George, MD

8:55 AM – 9:15 AM Update on the Stroke in Hispanics

Considering the high number of Hispanics in the Stroke Belt, how will this impact stroke prevention and treatment now and in the next 10-20 years?

Darin Zahuranec, MD

9:15 AM-9:30 AM Question and Answer Session

Faculty

9:30 AM-10:00 AM **Coffee Break, visit exhibits**

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| 10:00 AM-10:20 AM | <p>How Will ICD-10 Impact Stroke Care</p> <p><i>Review the key changes of ICD-10 and how they will impact the delivery of stroke care in the Stroke Belt region</i></p> <p>Robert Suter, MD</p> |
| 10:20 AM-11:00 AM | <p>Update on Endovascular Treatment Studies for AIS</p> <p><i>With several new positive studies, how can we best select those patients most likely to benefit from such therapy, and how much training is needed to perform these procedures?</i></p> <p>Robin Novakovic, MD</p> |
| 11:00 AM-11:20 AM | <p>Limitations of Endovascular Therapies in AIS</p> <p><i>What are the risks of endovascular therapy, how to reduce them, and how do we treat those patients who cannot receive EVT?</i></p> <p>Neil Rutledge, MD</p> |
| 11:20 AM-11:40 AM | <p>Use of EMS to Improve Triage of Stroke Patients</p> <p><i>Review the advantages and limitations of EMS field triage for acute stroke in light of the positive EVT trials.</i></p> <p>Evan Allen, MD</p> |
| 11:40 AM-noon | <p>Novel Approaches for Patient Triage</p> <p><i>Present novel approaches for field and hospital-based triage as well as their limitations and obstacles.</i></p> <p>Sarah Nafziger, MD</p> |
| Noon-12:30 | <p>Discussion, Q+A</p> |
| 12:30-1:30 PM | Lunch at the Pool |
| 1:30 PM—1:50 PM | Update on Stroke Center Certification Programs |

Provide insights into old and new stroke center programs, their changes, revisions, and the challenges of recertification

MJ Hampel, MPH, MBA

1:50 PM—2:10 PM

Using Mobile CT to Improve Stroke Care

How will the use of Mobile CT improve and impact stroke care in the Stroke Belt, and is this a cost-effective approach??

Priyank Khandelwal, MD

2:10 PM—2:30 PM

Blood Pressure Control in ICH

Optimal blood pressure control in patients with ICH may lead to improved outcomes based on new studies; we will discuss agent selection and blood pressure treatment goals

Mark Alberts, MD

2:30PM—3:00 PM

Q&A, Discussion

Faculty

3:00 PM--3:20 PM BREAK, Visit Exhibits

3:20 PM—3:50 PM Understanding the new IV TPA Labelling

The revised TPA label now gives significant freedom to the use of IV TPA; how will this impact actual care protocols and treatment of patients?

Michael Wilder, MD

3:50 PM-4:10 PM

Which DOAC for Which Patient?

The 4 DOACs on the market have different treatment profiles; how do we decide which one to use in which patient??

Mark Alberts, MD

4:10 PM-4:30 PM

Overcoming Resistance to Using DOACs

What are the most common reasons for not choosing a DOAC, and how should we address concerns related to non-use?

Renato Lopes, MD, MHS, PhD

4:30 PM-4:50 PM

Update on Reversal Agents for DOACs

How will the pending approval of specific reversal agents impact use of DOACs, and should we be concerned about thrombotic risks of these agents?

Scott Kaatz, DO

4:50 PM-5:00 PM

Question and Answer, Panel Discussion

Faculty

6:30—9:00PM

POOLSIDE RECEPTION WITH DINNER

Saturday

7:00 to 8:00 AM

Breakfast

8:00 to 8:30 AM

KEY NOTE ADDRESS

Michael D. Walker, MD

20 Years of the SBC and the Brain Attack Coalition in Perspective

8:30 AM-8:50 AM

Reimbursement for Stroke Care Now and in the Future—How ACOs May Impact Stroke Care

How the spread of ACOs might impact stroke care in the Stroke Belt and at Stroke Centers vs non-stroke center facilities

Debbie Lombardi, MSN

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| 8:50 AM-9:15 AM | The Role of Advanced Practice Nurses in Providing Stroke Care in the Stroke Belt |
| | <i>Increasing amounts of medical care is now provided by APPs; we will review how this impacts stroke care in the Stroke Belt now and in the next 10-20 years</i> |
| | Desiree Metzger, MSN, ARNP-C, Patricia Lane, MBA, SCRN and Cassandra Lewis, RN |
| 9:15 AM-9:40 AM | Pseudobulbar Affect John Volpi, MD |
| 9:40 AM-10:00 AM | BREAK and Visit Exhibits |
| 10:00 AM-10:30 AM | Rehabilitation of Stroke in the Stroke Belt—Future Challenges |
| | <i>Discuss new rehabilitation paradigms and care models applicable to the Stroke Belt region, as well as their impact on stroke outcomes</i> |
| | Pamela Duncan, PhD |
| 10:30 AM-11:30 AM | Stroke Legislation in the Stroke Belt—Accomplishments and Challenges |
| | Presented by Legislative Representatives from the Stroke Belt States |
| 11:30 AM-11:45 | Q+A Period with Presenters |
| 11:45 AM—12:30 PM | LUNCH BREAK |
| 12:30 PM-1:15 PM | Partner Reports |
| | AHA/ASA |
| | AANN |
| | AANS |
| | AAN |
| | ACEP |
| | BAC and NINDS |

CDC
CNS
Joint Commission
HFAP
DNV
NSA
Others

1:15 PM-2:15 PM

Report from the Stroke Belt States

Alabama

Arkansas

Florida

Georgia

Kentucky

Louisiana

Mississippi

North Carolina

South Carolina

Tennessee

Texas

Virginia

2:15-2:30 PM

NEW INITIATIVES FOR THE COMING YEAR

Projects that the SBC and Its Members Can Design,
Initiate, Lead, and Implement

2:30-2:45 PM

Open Mike session

2:45-3:00 PM

Conclusions and Adjourn