OVERVIEW
This program will provide nurses, technologists and other vascular healthcare professionals with current information on vascular diseases to facilitate care in hospitals, clinics, long-term care facilities, office practices and in-home care.

LOCATION
The Holiday Inn French Quarter is located at 10630 Fremont Pike (Rte. 20), Perrysburg, Ohio, with convenient access from I-75 and the Ohio Turnpike.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 2015

REGISTRATION: 7 a.m.
CONFERENCE: 7:50 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Holiday Inn French Quarter
10630 Fremont Pike
Perrysburg, Ohio 43551
OBJECTIVES
At the conclusion of this activity, the participants should be able to:

Reflections in Vascular Care
- Recognize carotid endarterectomy as the safest, most effective interventional procedure for patients with carotid artery disease.
- Review strategy of thrombus removal as the most effective treatment for patients with iliofemoral DVT, despite absence of recommendations by 2012 ACCP guideline writing committee.
- Identify long-term outcomes for aortoiliac occlusive disease patients when treated with a structured exercise program rather than balloon angioplasty and stenting.

Anticoagulation Service: To Bridge or Not to Bridge
- Predict benefit/risk for bridging therapy based on a patient's anticoagulation diagnosis and type of surgery.
- Select appropriate medication to bridge a patient while off warfarin based on patient characteristics.

Update on Acute Stroke Therapy
- Identify advances in neuro-interventional techniques for acute stroke.
- Discuss current therapies used for patients with history of acute stroke.

Blood Management and Bloodless Care with Patients
- Identify risks and negative outcomes of blood transfusions for the pre, intra, and post-surgical patient.
- Summarize opportunities to eliminate use of blood transfusions and improve patient outcomes.

Trans-Catheter Management of Lower GI Bleeding
- Review diagnosis of GI bleeding including indications and contraindications.
- Discuss trans-catheter embolotherapy and treatment.

Acute Coronary Syndrome and ProMedica Heart and Vascular Institutes Initiatives
- Review acute coronary syndrome clinical situation.
- Discuss ProMedica Heart and Vascular Institutes community education program.

Phlebo-Lymphedema?
- Describe how lymphatic and venous systems interact at a large and small vessel level.
- Discuss phlebo-lymphedema as the most common secondary cause of lower extremity lymphedema.

Advances in Therapy for Aortic Aneurysmal Disease (AAA)
- Discuss new treatment modalities for endovascular AAA repair.
- Differentiate between traditional and custom fenestrated endovascular AAA repair.

Nutrition: Fuel to Heal
- Recognize importance of screening and assessment to identify malnutrition risk.
- Identify basic building blocks of nutrition that DOMINATE wound healing.
- Determine strategies to improve and heal wounds.

Ice Protocol for Witness Arrest
- Define hypothermic, Ice Protocol, for witness arrest patients.
- Discuss mechanism of action for therapeutic hypothermia witness arrest patients.

Developing Your Own Personal Wellness Journey
- Define personal resiliency.
- Identify personal strategies to build resilience and cope effectively with work, life, and change.

EDUCATIONAL CREDITS
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AGENDA
7 a.m. Registration, Continental Breakfast, and Exhibits
7:50 a.m. Welcome and Introductions
Anthony J. Comerota, MD, FACS, FRACS (HON), FACC, RVT
8 a.m. Reflections in Vascular Care
Anthony J. Comerota, MD, FACS, FRACS (HON), FACC, RVT
8:30 a.m. Anticoagulation Service: To Bridge or Not to Bridge
Steve Smith, MS, RFH, BCACP
9 a.m. Update on Acute Stroke Therapy
Mouhammad A. Juamaa, MD
9:30 a.m. Blood Management and Bloodless Care with Patients
Susan Shaprio, MD, FCAP; Kevin Fleming, CCP; Jackie Nusbaum, RN

10:15 a.m. Break/Exhibits
10:30 a.m. Trans-Catheter Management of Lower GI Bleeding
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Steven Dean, DO, FACP, RPVI
12 p.m. Lunch/Exhibits
1 p.m. Advances in Therapy for Aortic Aneurysmal Disease
David J. Pauliti, MD
1:30 p.m. Nutrition: Fuel to Heal
Mary Ellen Posthauer, RD, CD, LD, FAND
2:15 p.m. Break/Exhibits
2:30 p.m. Ice Protocol for Witness Arrest
Nicole Giudici, PA-C
3:15 p.m. Developing Your Own Personal Wellness Journey
Laura Ritter, RN, MSN, MS
4:15 p.m. Evaluation
4:30 p.m. Adjournment

For your comfort, please bring a sweater or jacket to the conference.

We ask you to help support ProMedica’s fight against hunger by donating a non-perishable food item to this conference which will be donated to Seagate Food Bank. Thank you.