

Bluegrass Regional Movement Disorders Symposium 10/21-22/2016

This activity was created to address the professional practice gaps listed below:

- Referring patients with Parkinson's disease for DBS surgery evaluation in a timely manner.
- Effectively referring patients with Parkinson's disease to specialized Movement Disorders Clinics.
- Accurately diagnosing Parkinson's disease versus atypical Parkinsonism.
- Identifying best practice resources for treating patients with functional movement disorders.

1. Please respond regarding how much you agree or disagree that the gaps listed above were addressed.

	Disagree		Agree	
Participating in this educational activity changed your KNOWLEDGE in the professional practice gaps listed above. [16-3.63]	(0)	(1) 6.25%	(4) 25.00%	(11) 68.75%
Participating in this educational activity changed your COMPETENCE in the professional practice gaps listed above. [16-3.63]	(0)	(1) 6.25%	(4) 25.00%	(11) 68.75%
Do you feel participating in this educational activity will change your PERFORMANCE in the professional practice gaps listed above? [16-3.69]	(0)	(0)	(5) 31.25%	(11) 68.75%

2. Please elaborate on your previous answers. (7)

I have a better understanding of appropriate treatment for functional disorders.

Very good talks, good well educated speakers

Better management of patients

Know where to send my functional movement disorder patients

The congress was interesting and well-organized

As a therapist this information will help me to better serve my patients and also in communication with their neurologist regarding their symptoms in their home environment.

Gained knowledge on treatment of hallucinations in PD. Assessment of non motor features of PD improved.

3. Please evaluate the effectiveness of the following speakers in improving your knowledge, competence and/or performance. (Poor = 1, Excellent = 4)

Poor Fair Good Excellent

Kathrin LaFaver, MD [16-3.88]	(0)	(0)	(2) 12.50%	(14) 87.50%
John T. Slevin, MD, MBA [16-3.81]	(0)	(0)	(3) 18.75%	(13) 81.25%
Alberto Espay, MD [16-3.88]	(0)	(0)	(2) 12.50%	(14) 87.50%
Andrew Duker, MD [16-3.75]	(0)	(0)	(4) 25.00%	(12) 75.00%
Daniel Claassen, MD, MS [16-3.69]	(0)	(1) 6.25%	(3) 18.75%	(12) 75.00%
Fenna Phibbs, MD, MPH [16-3.81]	(0)	(0)	(3) 18.75%	(13) 81.25%
Elizabeth Zauber, MD [16-3.56]	(1) 6.25%	(0)	(4) 25.00%	(11) 68.75%

4. Please elaborate on your previous answers. (6)

All were very good, I felt Dr LaFaver, Slevin and Phibbs were especially informative.

Excellent talk on Hypotension, will change the way I practice

None

Excellent presentations

All of the speakers provided very useful information regarding treatment options and considerations for parkinson's patients

All speakers were highly skilled in their fields and communicated well keeping my interest

5. Please identify a change that you will implement into practice as a result of attending this educational activity (new protocols, different medications, etc.) (15)

Most of the management protocols are not relevant to my scope of practice

screen every PD patient for presence of orthostatic hypotension

Address psychosis early

more referrals for DBS

Be more attentive to symptoms of hypotension

Start levodopa earlier in symptomatic patients

use antihypertensives at night for patient with orthostatic hypotension

May consider adding certain medications as the choices for the treatment of different movement disorders

different approach to dystonia

improved care of functional movement disorders

Gave me additional ideas to provide comprehensive treatment for psychogenic movement disorders.

As a therapist I will be able to better monitor my patients improvements from medication interventions and also know when to discuss symptoms with their physician to manage their disease process better.

DBS for other indication aside from PD

Pimavanserin for psychosis in Parkinson's disease

Do a better job screening patients for orthostatic hypotension.

6. How certain are you that you will implement this change?

(15)

N/A (1-
6.67%)

Certain (4-
26.67%)

Very Certain (8-
53.33%)

Maybe (2-
13.33%)

7. What topics do you want to hear more about, and what issues(s) in your practice will they address? (9)

Huntington's Disease

epilepsy surgery

Other non-motor symptoms and management options

Disorders that may mimic Parkinson's disease

Atypical cases. Rare movement disorders

dystonia

Exercise interventions/treatment practices for parkinson's patients

Working through different pd meds with patients who may not tolerate sinemet

Dementia; Stroke

8. Were the patient recommendations based on acceptable practices in medicine?

(16)

Yes (16-
100.00%)

9. If you answered No on the question above, please explain which recommendation(s) were not based on acceptable practices in medicine? (1)

N/A

10. Do you think the presentation was without commercial bias?

(16)

Yes (16-
100.00%)

11. If you answered No on the above question, please list the topics that were biased? (1)

N/A

12. Please provide any additional comments you may have about this educational activity. (4)

None

This was a fantastic symposium! Location was great-food and accommodations were excellent. The symposium was thoughtfully organized and was a great use of time (I appreciated that it was a shorter symposium but packed full of good speakers for shorter

times allowing more content to be covered by experts). Thank you!

N/A

Excellent activity

As one of the participants of this educational activity, we want to encourage you to implement those ideas that were appropriate to your healthcare environment.

This evaluation is confidential and no individual will be identified by this office (Continuing Medical Education and Professional Development). It will only be used for quality improvement.

We look forward to seeing you at future University of Louisville events. Thank you very much.