Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin Froedtert Hospital presents

SPINAL CORD INJURY, STROKE AND NEUROVASCULAR PRECEPTORSHIP

Thursday, March 31, 2016  7:15 a.m.-noon

8700 W. Watertown Plank Road, Fitness Center Building
Community Conference Center (Conference Room 3)

There is no cost to attend this program. Continental breakfast, refreshments and lunch provided.

Discussion Topics

7:15-7:30 a.m.  Registration/Continental Breakfast

7:30-8 a.m.  Spine and Spinal Cord Anatomy Basics
Michelle Wesline, RN
Spinal Cord Injury Program Coordinator

8-8:45 a.m.  Evaluation and Stabilization of Spinal Cord Injury
Shekar Kurpad, MD, PhD, neurosurgeon
Director, Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin Spinal Cord Injury Center

8:45-9 a.m.  Break

9-10 a.m.  Living with a Spinal Cord Injury: Patient Perspective Panel Discussion

10-11 a.m.  Acute Stroke and Treatment Options
Mark Lazarro, MD, neurologist
Medical Director, Comprehensive Stroke Center, Director, Neurointerventional and Vascular Neurology Fellowship Training Programs

11-11:30 a.m.  Stroke Survivor Perspective

11:30 a.m.  Wrap-up and lunch

8700 W. Watertown Plank Road – Community Conference Center
Located in lower level of Fitness Center building; parking on north side of building.

Following the program, participants will be able to discuss, describe and review key points.

Spinal cord injury:
• Discuss how assessment findings influence stabilization decisions
• Describe the proper ways to adjust stabilization techniques based on presenting position of the patient
• Discuss how injury to the spinal cord affects the autonomic nervous system
• Review levels of spinal cord injury and effects on the respiratory system

Stroke:
• Incorporate pathophysiological principles and assessment findings in the field to prevent secondary brain injury
• Discuss the assessment findings and formulate ED reports that will help to decrease time to r-tPA administration
• Discuss the different therapies available for stroke and intracerebral hemorrhage

Reservations are limited. Please RSVP by March 28 to patricia.haines@froedtert.com or call 262-650-1128.