

Enduring Learner Notification

International Vein Congress

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You must request your certificate within 45 days of the activity to meet the deadline for submission to PARS. Credits are generally reported during the first week of each month for those who claimed during the month prior.

Objectives - After Attending This Program You Should Be Able To

1. Discuss the use of ultrasound to diagnose and manage venous disease.
2. Participate in hands-on ultrasound workshops focusing on both superficial and deep vein imaging.
3. Identify the potential safety issues associated with office-based venous surgery.
4. Incorporate endovenous (thermal, chemical, surgical) modalities for closure of the refluxing saphenous vein.
5. Using "Device and Disease" case presentation
 - a. Why was a particular device selected for saphenous ablation, iliac vein stenting, or mechanical thrombectomy.
 - b. Present clinical data supporting the use of this devices
 - c. A breakeven analysis for device costs (i.e., generator, catheters, etc.), best site of service, and the expected reimbursement from third-party payers.
6. Select the best therapy for the eradication of secondary venous clusters with stab phlebectomy, powered phlebectomy, and foam sclerotherapy.
7. Explain how to manage incompetent perforating veins and venous ulcers in the office.
8. Discuss the management of iliac vein outflow obstruction.
9. Discuss aesthetic and wellness treatments which can be safely added to venous practices.
10. Discuss office management optimization to understand third-party payment system.
11. Learn and practice technical operative steps through pre-recorded video demonstrations.
12. Explore marketing strategies tailored to venous practices, including online presence, patient engagement, and community outreach.
13. Discuss financial strategies, coding and billing updates, and optimizing practice efficiency to increase revenue.
14. Discuss arterial disease and its management.
 - a. Carotid artery stenosis management
 - b. Lower extremity arterial disease management
 - c. Aortic disease management.
 - d. Hemodialysis access management.

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3. Evaluate the meeting.
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