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THE SENTINEL HOTEL, PORTLAND, OR

SESSION DETAILS

Session #: 303
Title: Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment
Speaker: Tracy E. Gutman, MD
Date: Saturday, October 18
Time: 9:35-10:50 a.m.

CE Contact Hours: 1.25
Pharmacology Hours: 0.25

SESSION DESCRIPTION

This presentation will focus on the comprehensive geriatric assessment to include a review of chronic medical problems, medications, psychosocial assessment, functional assessment, and physical examination. There will be a discussion of special screening tests specific to geriatric syndromes as well as a discussion about best prescribing practices for elderly patients. The presentation will conclude with a review of basic functional assessment for this important population.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this session, the learner will be able to:

1. Review the components of a comprehensive geriatric assessment.
2. Discuss tools to utilize to screen elderly patients for geriatric syndromes.
3. Discuss best prescribing practices for elderly patients.
4. Discuss a basic functional assessment that can be utilized efficiently.

DISCLOSURES

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- The planners of this CNE activity declare no conflicts of interest in the development and implementation of this educational activity.
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