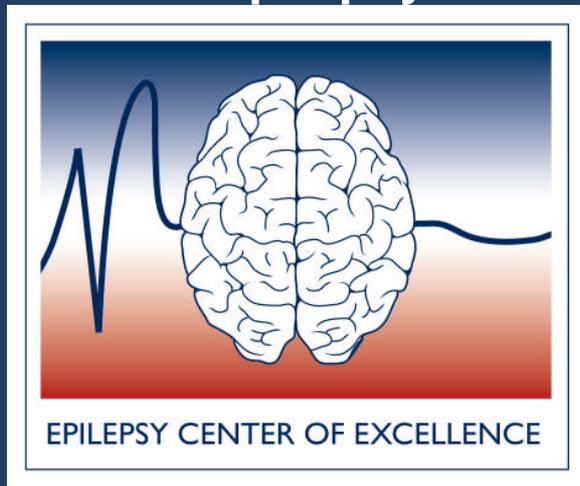


Continuing Education for Professionals - FY2011 Epilepsy Series
Sponsored by Epilepsy Center of Excellence & Employee Education System

1 hour Audio VANTS Conference

“Introduction to Epilepsy and Seizures”



Wednesday, March 2, 2011

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM Eastern Time

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http://vaww.sites.lrn.va.gov/vacatalog/cu_detail.asp?id=27394

Description: The Epilepsy Center of Excellence and the Employee Education System are proud to announce a series of audio conferences providing education and training to VA providers to improve the health, well-being, and clinical care of Veteran patients with epilepsy and other seizure disorders that may not have access to an epileptologists locally.

Outcome Objectives:

1. Identify what epilepsy is and the different types of seizures.
2. Identify what causes seizures and how to respond when patient has a seizure.
3. Define the diagnosis and treatment of epilepsy.
4. Explain when to refer patients for higher level specialty care.

Future ECoE Audio Conferences

May 4 – Dr. Paul Rutecki
Epilepsy and TBI

July 6 – Dr. Marty Salinsky
Psychogenic Seizures

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Drug Interactions of Antiepileptic Drugs

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Please note that continuing education credits will be awarded as part of this series for participants who complete the required evaluation. Please feel free to forward this announcement to any colleagues who may be interested.

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