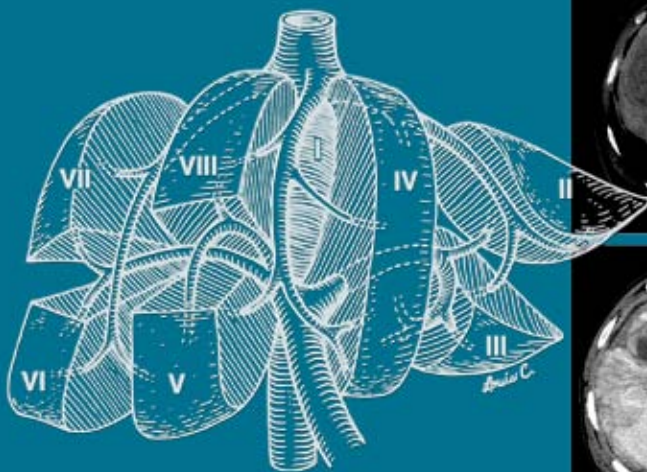


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GOAL

The goal of the conference is to address knowledge gaps in the areas surrounding the preparation of patients with hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC) for surgery, optimal methods to control hepatocellular carcinoma while awaiting liver transplantation, and developing a multidisciplinary approach to these patients with the implementation of novel systemic therapies. This one-day event will be divided into three sessions with talks presented by experts in the field based on best level of evidence available from the literature. Each speaker will be asked to conclude his or her talk with a consensus statement (one slide). The panelists will be asked to review the appropriateness of these statements. The speakers will be asked to send their slide presentations to the panelists 6-8 weeks before the meeting to allow them to prepare for the discussion. For each talk presented, the speakers will be asked to submit a 600-900 word summary 6-8 weeks before their presentation. This will be incorporated into three manuscripts (one for each session) which will be reviewed by the designated panel. The proceedings of the meeting will be published after peer review in a major journal.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

After attending the conference, participants should be able to

- Identify and risk stratify surgical candidates with hepatocellular carcinoma;
- Describe the optimal ways to bridge patients with hepatocellular carcinoma to transplant;
- Describe the ideal multidisciplinary environment in which to manage these patients;
- Identify systemic therapy options, as well as new and emerging technologies available to these patients.

Target Audience

This conference will be beneficial to surgical oncologists, medical oncologists, radiologists, interventional radiologists, hepatologists, gastroenterologists, and transplant surgeons.

Educational Methods

- Lectures
- Question-and-Answer Sessions
- Panel Discussions

Evaluation

A course evaluation form will provide participants with the opportunity to comment on the value of the program content to their practice decisions, performance improvement activities, or possible impact on patient health status. Participants will also have the opportunity to comment on any perceived commercial bias in the presentations as well as to identify future educational topics.

Accreditation/Credit Designation

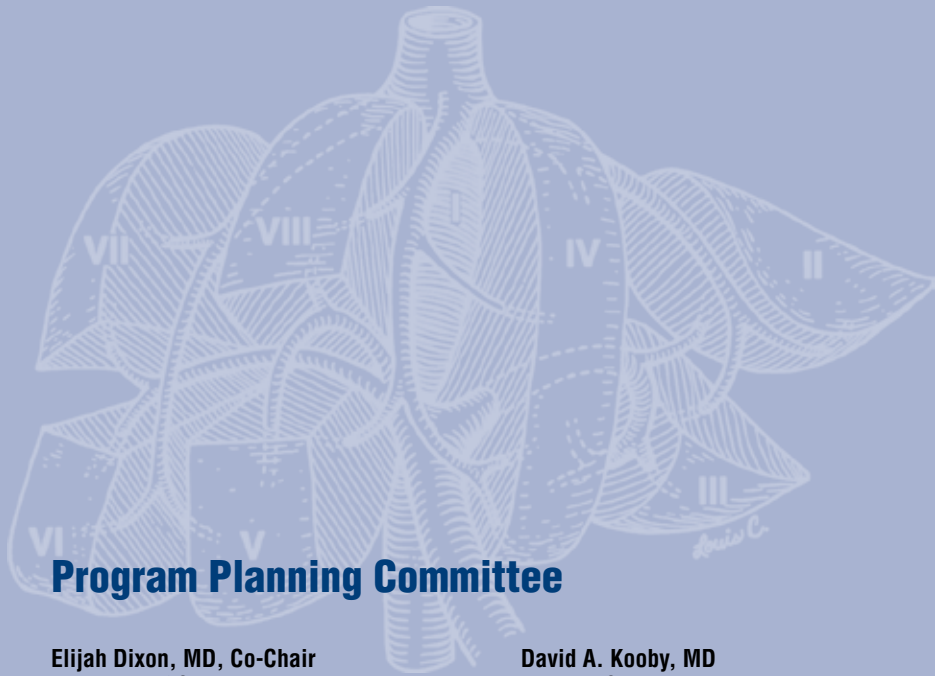
This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint sponsorship of The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center and The American Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Association. The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center designates this educational activity for a maximum of 6.00 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*[™]. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

CME Certificates and Attendance Verification Certificates

Certificates awarding *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit*[™] or certificates documenting attendance will be distributed to participants when an individual departs the conference. To obtain a CME certificate, physicians must submit a completed evaluation questionnaire and a *CME Verification Form*.

Upon request, a record of attendance (certificate) will be provided on-site to other health care professionals for requesting credits in accordance with state nursing boards, specialty societies, or other professional associations.



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PROGRAM

THURSDAY, JANUARY 21, 2010

7:00–8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast/Registration

PRETREATMENT ASSESSMENT

Panelists:

Jean-Nicolas Vauthey, MD, Co-Chair

Reid B. Adams, MD, Co-Chair

Stephanie Wilson, MD

Ahmed Kaseb, MD

Paul Greig, MD

8:00–8:20 **Staging of Hepatocellular Carcinoma**
Scott Helton, MD

8:20–8:30 Discussion

8:30–8:50 **Optimizing Pretreatment Imaging of
Hepatocellular Carcinoma**
Bachir Taouli, MD

8:50–9:00 Discussion

9:00–9:20 **The Role of Portal Vein Embolization in
Preparation for Hepatic Resection**
Eddie Abdalla, MD

9:20–9:30 Discussion

9:30–9:50 **Defining Criteria for Resectability –
Tumor Characteristics and Liver Function**
Timothy M. Pawlik, MD

9:50–10:00 Discussion

10:00–10:30 Break

SURGICAL TREATMENT

Panelists:

William Jarnagin, MD, Co-Chair
David M. Nagorney, MD, Co-Chair
Elijah Dixon, MD
Thomas A. Aloia, MD
Alan W. Hemming, MD
Myron Schwartz, MD

10:30–10:50	The Role of Thermal Ablation and Emerging Technologies in the Curative Therapy of Hepatocellular Carcinoma Steven Curley, MD
10:50–11:00	Discussion
11:00–11:20	Laparoscopic and Open Liver Resection for Hepatocellular Carcinoma Michael D’Angelica, MD
11:20–11:30	Discussion
11:30–11:50	The Role of Bridge to Transplantation Therapy – Transarterial, Ablation, Resection, or Nothing? Charles B. Rosen, MD
11:50–Noon	Discussion
Noon–12:20	Milan and Extended Criteria for Liver Transplantation William C. Chapman, MD
12:20–12:30 p.m.	Discussion
12:30–1:30	Lunch (provided)

COMBINED MODALITY TREATMENT

Panelists:

Alan P. Venook, MD, Co-Chair

Roderich E. Schwarz, MD, PhD, Co-Chair

Andrew X. Zhu, MD, PhD

Melanie B. Thomas, MD

Kelly W. Burak, MD

1:30–1:50

The Role of TACE and Emerging Therapies

J. F. Geschwind, MD

1:50–2:00

Discussion

2:00–2:20

Systemic Therapy of Hepatocellular Carcinoma

Ghassan K. Abou-Alfa, MD

2:20–2:30

Discussion

2:30–2:50

Yttrium-90 Microsphere Therapy

Riad Salem, MD

2:50–3:00

Discussion

3:00–3:20

Photon and Proton Radiotherapy

Sunil Krishnan, MD

3:20–3:30

Discussion

3:30

Adjourn

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Registration Information

On-site registration opens at 7:00 a.m. on Thursday, January 21, 2010 at the Peabody Orlando. The opening session of the conference will begin at 8:00 a.m. and the conference will adjourn at 3:30 p.m. on Thursday, January 21, 2010. Advance registration is encouraged as space and materials are limited. Please see registration form for applicable fees.

The deadline for advance registration is January 8, 2010.

There are three ways to register:

- Mail to: CME/Conference Management – Unit 1381
The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center
P.O. Box 301439, Houston, TX 77230-1439
- Fax to: 713-794-1724
- On-line at www.mdanderson.org/conferences

We accept the following forms of payment:

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- Cash (on-site registration only)

A receipt and confirmation letter will be sent to you within ten working days of receipt of your fee.

The full conference registration fee includes the tuition, abstract book, breaks, and lunch.

Refund/Cancellation Policy:

The registration fee, minus a \$50 administrative handling fee, is refundable if a written request is received on or before January 8, 2010. No refunds will be granted after that date. The request for a registration refund must include the tax identification number of the company or institution if registration was paid by a company or institution check. Although no refunds will be granted after January 8, 2010, you may transfer your registration to a colleague. For additional information, contact CME/Conference Management at 713-792-2223 or toll free at 866-849-5866.

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Special Assistance

Contact the Department of CME/Conference Management at 713-792-2223 or 866-849-5866 if you have any special dietary or ADA accommodation needs.

Accommodations

A block of rooms has been reserved for conference attendees at **The Peabody Orlando Hotel**, 9801 International Drive, Orlando, Florida 32819.

- Early hotel reservation is suggested.
- The hotel phone number is 407-352-4000.
- When you make reservations, be sure to mention the **AHPBA Sponsored Consensus Conference on Multidisciplinary Treatment of Hepatocellular Carcinoma** to be assured of receiving the special meeting rate of \$139.00 single or double occupancy. Please add 12.5% (Florida) state and local taxes.
- Reservations and deposits received after December 21, 2009, will be confirmed if space is available and at currently published hotel guest room rates.

Air Travel

M. D. Anderson has a program with Continental Airlines for discounted air travel. For discounts, call your travel professional or Continental's MeetingWorks toll free at 800-468-7022. Outside of the United States, please call your local Continental Airlines Reservation Office. Mention Z Code: **ZG6C** and Agreement Code: **DK9EJX**.

Ground Transportation

Taxis are available from the Orlando International Airport at approximately \$65 one way.

Mears Transportation provides service to/from the Peabody Orlando. Reservations can be made by phone at 407-423-5566 or on the website at www.mearstransportation.com. The cost is \$20.00 one way or \$33.00 round trip.

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