Granada Hills Community Hospital
18th Annual Symposium
Emergencies in Medical Practice

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The practice of clinical medicine is usually one of careful and unhurried contemplation. However, frequently the physician has to think and act with great speed. The 1986 Granada Hills Community Hospital program deals with emergencies in medical practice, situations in which the physician may have to act with quick dispatch. This program has general appeal, and runs the spectrum from sophisticated procedures such as emergency cardiac surgery, through the impact of the trauma center on patient care.

After attending the program, participants should be able to:

- Describe indications for, techniques of, and outcomes in emergency revascularization of the heart, and be proficient with the state of the art of PTCA.

- Diagnose and treat such diverse medical emergencies as TIAs, snake, arthropod, and marine mammal bites, acute asthma, and acute gastrointestinal hemorrhage.

- Recognize and treat all types of shock. Initiate appropriate resuscitation for the victim of near drowning and upper airway obstructive disorders.

- Appropriately manage the emergency medical care of endocrinologic disease, problems in oncology, and drug interactions frequently seen in office practice.

- Enumerate the causes of acute pelvic pain in the female patient, and the emergency treatment of acute vaginal bleeding.

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PROGRAM

Morning
7:00 Registration
8:00 Welcome and Introduction
   Allan Rosenbluth, MD
   Arno A. Roscher, MD
   Moderator: Edwin Zalis, MD

8:15 Emergency Revascularization of the Heart
   Gregory L. Kay, MD

8:45 PTCA—State of the Art
   Robert B. Chesne, MD

9:15 TIA—A Neurological Emergency?
   Stanley N. Cohen, MD

9:45 Coffee Break
   Moderator: Richard Detwiler, MD

10:00 Acute Pelvic Pain and Vaginal Bleeding
   Subri Roy, MD

10:30 Near Drowning and Upper Airway Obstruction
   Emily J. Kahlsrom, MD

11:00 Decision Trees for Management of Resuscitation and Shock
   William C. Shoemaker, MD

11:30 Impact of the Trauma Center on the Outcome with Traumatized Patients
   Frank R. Lewis, MD

12:00 Lunch

Afternoon

Moderator: J.P. Myles Black, MD

1:00 Emergency Care of Snake Bites and Anaphylaxis Reaction
   Findlay Russel, MD, PhD

1:25 Emergency Care of Arthropod and Marine Mammal Bites
   Findlay Russel, MD, PhD

1:45 Emergencies in Office Management of Acute Asthma
   Om P. Sharma, MD
2:15  Emergency Treatment of Acute GI Hemorrhage  
      Mysore R. Nagaraja, MD

2:45  Break  
      Moderator: Sohan L. Dua, MD

3:00  Acute Oncological Emergencies  
      Peter J. Rosen, MD

3:30  Endocrinological Emergencies  
      Beverly A. Karpman, MD

4:00  Management of Emergency Drug Interactions  
      Jeremy H. Thompson, MD, FRCPI, FACP

4:30  Closing Remarks and Adjournment  
      Gary Proffett, MD

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