The surgical management of the Aging Spine

November 1–2, 2008 Green Valley Ranch Resort Henderson (Las Vegas), NV

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FEATURED TOPICS:

- Aging spine fractures and insufficiency fractures
- Spine surgery with the osteoporosis patient
- Aging spine deformity correction
- Emerging surgical techniques and technologies

Dear Colleague:



Discuss and debate many of the aging spine challenges that we encounter in our practices weekly. A significant demographic trend has emerged in recent years: people are living longer and expecting to be active well into their "elderly years." As a result, spine surgeons are seeing increasingly more "aging spine patients" who want to be restored to a pain free and energetic lifestyle.

Therefore, we are pleased to invite you to the Third Annual D.W. Cahill Spine Symposium, addressing: The Surgical Management of the Aging Spine. The program will be held from November 1–2, 2008, at the outstanding Green Valley Ranch Resort, in Henderson, NV, just outside of Las Vegas.

The program will bring together an experienced and diverse faculty to discuss and debate many of the aging spine challenges that we encounter in our practices weekly, including:

- Surgical management of aging spine fractures and insufficiency fractures
- The challenges of spine surgery with the osteoporosis patient
- Deformity correction in the aging spine
- Emerging surgical techniques and technologies for the aging spine

We hope you will join us in November for what promises to be an informative, relevant, and enjoyable meeting. Please register early as space will fill rapidly!

Shahin Etebar, MD

William Taylor, MD

COURSE CHAIRMEN

course objectives

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- Describe indications and techniques for the treatment of spinal fractures and spinal deformity in the elderly.
- Discuss the specific challenges associated with treating spinal disorders in the osteoporotic, aging spine patient.
- Evaluate the rationale, indications, techniques and outcomes for various new techniques and technologies associated with the treatment of the aging spine.

Distinguished Faculty

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Scientific Program

Saturday November 1, 2008

7:00 am	Registration and continental breakfast	
7:30	Welcome	COURSE CHAIRMEN

SESSION 1: The Surgical Management of Fractures in the Aging Spine

MODERATOR: S. Etebar, MD				
7:35	Surgical management of multi-level compression fractures— treatment options, rationale, and outcomes	W. TAYLOR, MD		
7:50	Adjacent level compression fractures after prior instrumented fusion and / or kyphoplasty or vertebroplasty. How to avoid? How to manage?	P. MUMMANENI, MD		
8:05	Discussion			
8:10	Case discussion			
SESSION 2: Insufficiency Fractures MODERATOR: S. Etebar MD				
8:40	Sacral insufficiency fractures: treatment options, techniques, and outcomes	K. YONEMURA, MD		
8:55	Lumbar, thoracic, and cervical insufficiency fractures: treatment options, techniques, and outcomes	B. ABSHIRE, MD		
9:10	Discussion			
9:15	Case discussion			
9:45	Refreshment break			
SESSION 3: Osteoporosis and the Aging Spine MODERATOR: W. Taylor, MD				
10:10	Challenges of the aging spine with osteoporosis—fixation strategies, implant, cement and biologic options, and outcomes	P. RHOTEN, MD		
10:25	Re-operative surgery in the aging spine with osteoporosis— surgical tips and pearls	W. TAYLOR, MD		
10:40	Discussion			

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Disclosure Policy

It is the course policy to ensure balance, independence, objectivity, and scientific rigor in all presentations. All faculty will disclose in the course syllabus materials any financial interest and/or other relationship with the manufacturer(s) of any commercial product(s) to be discussed during their presentations.

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10:45	Case discussion
11:15	Debate: Instrumented fusion is preferable to non-instrumented fusion in cases of lumbar DDD in the elderly
11:45	Adjourn
6:30pm	Course reception

Sunday November 2, 2008

7:00 am	Registration and continental breakfast			
7:30	Welcome	COURSE CHAIRMEN		
SESSION 4: Deformity Correction in the Aging Spine MODERATOR: W. Taylor, MD				
7:35	Management of cervico-thoracic kyphosis	P. MUMMANENI, MD		
7:50	Management of lumbar degenerative scoliosis	S. ETEBAR, MD		
8:05	Discussion			
8:10	Case discussion			
SESSION 5: Emerging Technologies for the Aging Spine MODERATOR: P. Mummaneni, MD				
8:40	Dynamic stabilization: options, rationale, techniques, and outcomes with the elderly	L. KHOO, MD		
8:55	Minimally invasive spine techniques: rationale, techniques, and outcomes with the elderly	F. VALE, MD		
9:10	Discussion			
9:15	Case discussion			
9:45	Refreshment break			
SESSION 6	5: Emerging Techniques for the Aging Spine MODE	RATOR: S. Etebar, MD		
10:10	Condyle–C1 trans-articular screw fixation—patient selection, technique, and outcomes	J. URIBE, MD		
10:25	Lumbar and sacral PSOs—patient selection, technique, and outcomes	T. KOSKI, MD		
10:40	Discussion			
10:45	Case discussion			
11:45	Adjourn			



course Reception

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1

A course reception on the beautiful grounds of the Green Valley Ranch Resort will be held Saturday evening from 6:30 pm-7:45 pm. You and your guests will enjoy cocktails and hors-d'oeuvres as you connect with your colleagues.

Program and faculty subject to change

General Information

Additional information

For additional information, please contact:

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Register online at www.regonline.com/agingspine2008

REGISTRATION

Register online at **www.regonline.com/ agingspine2008** or complete and return the registration form on the inside back cover.

Fees

Surgeon*: \$145.00

Resident/Fellow*: \$75.00

*Registration includes scientific sessions, course materials, daily breakfast, and breaks, and Saturday evening reception.

Late Registration Fee (after October 10): \$50.00

Guest Reception Ticket: \$45.00

Refunds

A full refund will be provided, less a \$100 administrative fee, dependent upon written notice being received by October 10, 2008. Refunds will not be provided after this date. Refunds made 60 days after the original transaction cannot be issued by credit card and will be sent by check only. Substitutions are allowed at any time but must be requested in writing.

COURSE CANCELLATION

In the unlikely event of insufficient enrollment, the course organizers reserve the right to cancel the course 21 days prior. Registrants will be notified by certified mail, and registration fees will be refunded. Airline and other costs incurred by the registrant are the responsibility of the registrant and will not be refunded.

Attendance

The course directors reserve the right to refuse admission to anyone whose presence is considered to be incompatible with the course objectives.

LOCATION

The program and related activities will be held at the Green Valley Ranch Resort in Henderson, NV. This luxury resort and spa is located a short distance from Las Vegas. It offers a casino, 8 restaurants, 8 acres of outdoor recreation areas, spa, and golf nearby.

Green Valley Ranch Resort 2300 Paseo Verde Parkway Henderson, NV 89052

www.greenvalleyranchresort.com

ROOM RAte (single or double occupancy)

\$160.00 per night plus \$19.99 resort fee and tax.

Daily resort fee includes nightly turndown service, daily newspaper, admission to the resort exercise facility, and shuttle to and from the Las Vegas Strip and the McCarran International Airport on a set schedule.

Hotel Reservations

Call the Green Valley Ranch reservations department at (866) 617-1777 and tell them you are attending the "Spine Meeting" to receive the above discounted rate. A credit card must be provided and charged a deposit of one night's room and tax at the time of booking.

Cut-off for the Group Rate: October 10, 2008.

Reservations are subject to a 48 hours cancellation policy by the resort. Reservations canceled within 48 hours to arrival will be charged a no-show fee of one night room and tax.

Travel

For assistance to and from the conference, you are invited to contact Gant Travel at (800) 523-4410 or (630) 227-3800.

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COURSE REGISTRATION

FIRST NAME*	MIDDLE INITIAL*			LAST NAME*
DEGREE*	INSTITUTION			
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP	COUNTRY
PHONE	FAX	E-MAIL ADDRESS (MUST BE COMPLETED)		
NOTE: All correspondence will be sent	: via e-mail	*As you wou	ld like it to app	bear on badge.

Specialty: O Orthopaedic Surgeon O Neurosurgeon O Other

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Guest Reception Ticket @ \$45:	\$ SUBTOTAL
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