Approved Accommodations

Hilton Suites Phoenix
10 East Thomas Road
Phoenix, AZ 85012
602-222-1111
3 blocks from the lab. Hotel shuttle runs between 7:00am – 10:45pm.

Hampton Inn Phoenix-Midtown-Downtown Area
160 W. Catalina Drive
Phoenix, AZ 85013
602-200-0990
Across the street from the lab. Walking distance.
No hotel shuttle service.

Fairfield Inn and Suits Phoenix (Marriott)
2520 North Central Avenue
Phoenix, AZ 85004
602-716-9900
0.6 miles from the lab. Hotel shuttle runs between 6:00am – 10:00pm.

Holiday Inn Phoenix Convention Center Hotel
212 W Osborn Rd
Phoenix, AZ 85013
602-595-4444
0.6 miles from the lab. No hotel shuttle.
Curriculum

Friday, February 26, 2016
7:00 am  Continental Breakfast/Registration/Neurosurgery Rounds
8:00 am  Grand Rounds, Foramen Magnum the Anatomy Review/Surgical Demonstration in 3-D
9:00 am  Laboratory Dissection Far Lateral
12:00 pm  Lunch
1:00 pm  Retrosigmoid Suprameatal 3-D Anatomy Review/Surgical Demonstration
1:30 pm  Transpetrosal Approach 3-D Anatomy Review/Surgical Demonstration
2:00 pm  Laboratory Dissection
5:00 pm  Adjourn

Saturday, February 27, 2016
7:00 am  Hearty Breakfast
8:00 am  OZ 3-D Anatomy Review/Surgical Demonstration
8:30 am  Transcavernous 3-D Anatomy Review/Surgical Demonstration
9:00 am  Laboratory Dissection
12:00 pm  Lunch
1:00 pm  Anterior Transbasal 3-D Anatomy Review/Surgical Demonstration
1:30 pm  Clinical Applications of Course Approaches Q&A
2:00 pm  Laboratory Dissection
4:30 pm  Course Adjourns and Departures

Registration Form
Microneurosurgery Skullbase Techniques
February 26-27, 2016

Residents - $200.00

Name ________________________________________________________________
Email ________________________________________________________________
Institution ___________________________________________________________________
Address_______________________________________________________________________
City_______________________________________  State__________________ Zip _______
Business Phone_______________________________________Fax ___________________

Payment
☐ Check or money order payable to: St. Joseph’s Hospital and Medical Center
   (A $20 charge applies to checks returned for insufficient funds.)
☐ Charge my: ☐ AMEX  ☐ VISA  ☐ MC  ☐ DISCOVER
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I authorize Barrow Neurological Institute to charge the amount determined by the Barrow Neurological Institute as registration fees to my credit card.
Signature___________________________________________________________________

On-site registration will be available as seating permits.
Mail or Fax registration form with payment to:
   Lindsey Possehl – Conference Planning Office
   350 West Thomas Road
   Phoenix, Arizona 85013
   Charge card registrations can be faxed to 602-294-5028.

For further information, call 602-406-3067 or email
   lindsey.possehl@dignityhealth.org

Intended Audiences
Neurosurgery residents and fellows

Course Overview
This intensive two-day course is specifically designed for neurosurgical residents to enhance their skills in microneurosurgery of cranial base lesions. This course will emphasize hands-on laboratory training with a limited number of participants in order to maximize learning from cadaveric dissection and interaction with expert faculty. The curriculum will cover the spectrum of anterior, central, middle, and posterior skull base approaches and techniques. Case examples and discussions will also help the participant understand the indications, advantages and disadvantages of employing the various cranial base techniques in their practice.

Course Objectives
At the conclusion of this activity, participants should be able to:
1. Describe the indications for and operative mechanics of the extradural approach to the cavernous sinus and its advantages/disadvantages for approaching lesions in the cavernous sinus and pericavernous region.
2. Discuss the utilization of the Anterior Transbasal Approach and understand the operative exposure possible from the base of the clivus to the anterior cranial fossa.
3. Identify the anatomy of the temporal bone through practice of the Anterior Transpetrosal Approach and the Retrosigmoid Trans- and Suprameatal approaches. Also, improve understanding of the utility of these approaches in managing petrous and petroclival lesions.
4. Improve understanding of the Foramen Magnum region pathologies and surgical approaches.
5. Be familiar with indications for and operative mechanics of Far Lateral approaches.