



Basal Cell & Squamous Cell Cancer Dermatopathology

(Introduction and Advanced)

November 5-6, 2019

Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery

November 7-10, 2019

Advanced Mohs Technician Session November 6, 2019

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Information

Important Meeting Information

Basal Cell & Squamous Cell Cancer Dermatopathology

Overview

Basal Cell and Squamous Cell Cancer Dermatopathology offers two full days of instruction, organized as Introductory and Advanced sessions. This course has been developed for physicians already performing Mohs surgery and those planning to introduce Mohs into their surgical practices. Doctors in both categories will gain valuable new insights in the treatment of skin cancer as a result of this “pure pathology” approach.

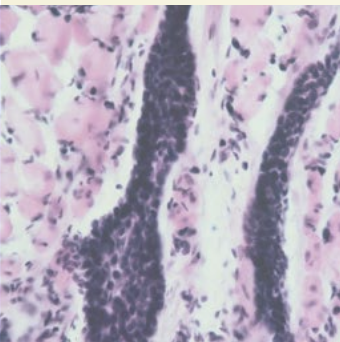
Course content includes microscope review of slide sets and lecture material developed by Board-certified dermatopathologists. Course will emphasize BCC and SCC tumors, as differentiated from anatomical structures, common mimickers of these cancers, and certain reactive changes evident at recent biopsy sites.

Participants may register to attend one of both days of the dermatopathology course. The Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery training course immediately follows on November 7-10, and features its own microscope laboratory with over 500 Mohs cases for additional study of BCC, SCC and other tumors. To maximize learning potential, you are encouraged to register for both meetings.

See detailed BCC and SCC Dermatopathology schedule at www.mohssurgery.org.

Educational Objectives

- Differentiate between various presentations of basal cell and squamous cell carcinoma under the microscope.
- Identify other non-BCC and non-SCC structures that may be present in Mohs-excised tissue.
- Demonstrate improved accuracy in histopathologic interpretation of BCC and SCC.



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Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery

Overview

The overarching goal of the Fundamentals course – for both physicians and Mohs technicians – is enhanced patient care in the treatment of skin cancer. This course includes a comprehensive overview of Mohs surgical technique and related laboratory processes.

The ASMS acknowledges that Mohs competency is best achieved through a combination of rigorous skin surgery and dermatopathology training in residency, supplemental post-residency training opportunities, ongoing CME activities that integrate multiple aspects of skin cancer treatment, and the shared experience of other highly qualified Mohs practitioners.

Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery has been developed for dermatologists, dermatologists in training, and other specialists who desire additional exposure to basic Mohs concepts. Participants will gain knowledge of Mohs histopathology, office and laboratory set-up and supervision, patient scheduling, Mohs coding and reimbursement, and CLIA-OSHA considerations. An interactive Mohs “pearls” session provides valuable surgical tips and

pointers for physicians to incorporate into their own practices.

The roles of the physician and Mohs technician are critically interwoven in the successful performance of the Mohs technique. For this reason, technician training is an important facet of the Fundamentals course. The technician session runs concurrently with physician training and incorporates cryostat laboratory exercises along with pertinent lecture topics.

Experienced technicians will learn additional laboratory efficiency measures, creative troubleshooting approaches, and specific slide quality and consistency enhancements.

Mohs technician laboratory faculty are adaptable in working with trainees at all levels of experience, helping all to gain confidence, improve tissue processing technique, and more fully realize their potential as qualified Mohs “team” partners.

See detailed Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery course schedules at www.mohssurgery.org.

Educational Objectives

After participation in this activity, physicians should be able to:

- Identify important Mohs practice efficiencies, including the use of specialized instrumentation and the management of patient flow and tissue specimen transfer.
- Recognize appropriate indications for Mohs surgery based on histologic subtype and anatomic location.
- Identify Mohs mapping techniques to ensure proper orientation of the specimen and correlate histologic findings with the surgical wound.
- Summarize technical skill and/or precision necessary in the execution of the Mohs technique.
- Explain the appropriate method(s) for surgical removal of tissue specimen, to aid in optimal histopathologic examination of deep and lateral margins.



Accreditation and Credit Designation Statements

Basal Cell and Squamous Cell Cancer Dermatopathology

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of PeerPoint Medical Education Institute, LLC and American Society For Mohs Surgery. The PeerPoint Medical Education Institute, LLC is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The PeerPoint Medical Education Institute, LLC designates this live activity for a maximum of 16 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*[™]. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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The PeerPoint Medical Education Institute, LLC designates this live activity for a maximum of 41.50 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*[™]. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Mohs Technician Contact Hours (Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery)

Mohs technicians participating in the Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery course will receive medical education credit in the form of Contact Hours provided by the National Society for Histotechnology (NSH).

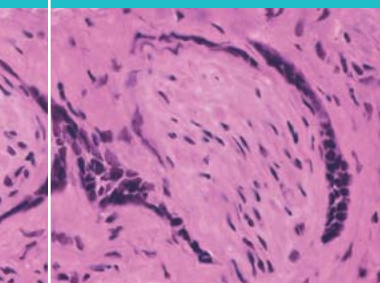
About the American Society for Mohs Surgery

The ASMS is a professional medical education society with over 1100 active physician and Mohs technician members. Physician membership comprises primarily Board-certified M.D. and D.O. surgical dermatologists. Membership opportunities also are available for international Mohs surgeons and technicians.

Our courses are tailored to the ongoing educational needs of our members and dermatologic surgeons as a whole. Due to the efficacy of Mohs surgery in the treatment of skin cancer, high-quality Mohs training is advocated for all surgically-oriented dermatologists. We are gratified to see an increasing number of international physicians training in the Mohs procedure, signaling a growing awareness and utilization of this valuable technique worldwide.

In addition to the courses in this brochure, we currently offer a Closure course (January 2020) and Annual Meeting: Focus on Skin Cancer (May 2020). We also are developing a preparation course for the American Board of Dermatology's certification examination in Micrographic Dermatologic Surgery (MDS), for release in 2020.

The ASMS also sponsors an educational Peer Review program in which members submit Mohs cases for quality assurance feedback. Our Clinical Observational Preceptorship program pairs newer Mohs surgeons with highly-experienced practitioners, fostering discussion of surgeries and histopathologic interpretations performed in real time. Our quarterly member newsletter, *The Beveled Edge*, contains news of the Society, as well as the popular Quality Corner column and summaries of the educational material presented in our live activities.



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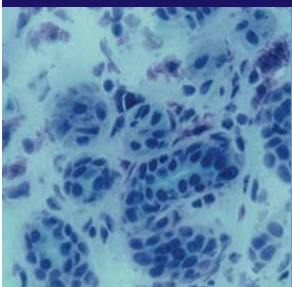
Topic Overview

Basal and Squamous Cell Cancer Dermatopathology

- BCC, SCC and Anatomic Structures
- Common BCC and SCC Mimics
- Day 1: Introductory Session; Day 2: Advanced Session
- Independent Microscope Slide Review Sessions
- Inflammatory and Reparative Findings at Biopsy Sites
- Non-Mohs “Pure Pathology” Approach Presented by Board-Certified Dermatopathologists
- Projecting Microscope Case Presentation and Discussion (Day 2)

Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery

- Basic Mohs Technique
- Cryostat Specimen Quality
- Establishing a Mohs Practice
- Histopathology of BCC, SCC and Unusual Tumors
- Independent Slide Review (Faculty Assistance)
- Indications for Mohs Surgery
- Intraneural and Perineural Cancer
- Laboratory Director Responsibilities and Supervision
- Mapping, Basic to Advanced
- Microscope Lab Small Group Teaching Sessions
- Mohs Surgical Pearls
- Office Set-up and Patient Flow Considerations
- Post-Mohs Radiation Discussion
- Quality Assurance Issues
- Tissue Staining Protocols
- Video Microscope Case Review



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Hotel Reservation and Meeting Information



DoubleTree Hotel San Diego, Mission Valley

7450 Hazard Center Drive
San Diego, CA 92108
Telephone: 619-297-5466
Toll-Free Reservations: 1-800-222-8733

Online Reservations Link:

<https://book.passkey.com/go/mohs2019>

(Group Code: MOH)

Guest Room Rate: \$185 per night (Single or Double Occupancy) - Queen/King Bed Options

Reservations Cut-Off Date: October 21, 2019

For Planning Purposes, please refer to the course schedules.

Registration Form

Basal Cell & Squamous Cell Cancer Dermatopathology and Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery

Membership Application: Qualified physicians may apply for ASMS membership. To take advantage of the member-discounted course registration fee. Contact Brooke Kimberlin at brooke@mohssurgery.org

Special Needs: The ASMS encourages participation by all individuals. If you have special dietary, mobility or other needs, please notify ASMS at 800.616.2767. (Meeting content is presented in English. If interpretative assistance is required, participant must arrange this in advance via an independent translation service.)

Advance Reservation Required: Due to space limitations and other planning considerations, advance registration is required. We will make every effort to accommodate late registration requests. Those received after Thursday, October 21 will be assessed a late fee of \$100.

Cancellations and Refund policy: Registration fees, minus a \$50 administration fee, will be refunded upon written notice of cancellation if the request is received at the ASMS office no later than October 21, 2019. Email brooke@mohssurgery.org or fax 714-362-9540. Refunds will not be given after that date.

Registration Fee Schedule

Basal Cell and Squamous Cell Dermatopathology Course

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Current ASMS Member Physician

Introduction (Day 1) Only	\$375	_____
Advanced (Day 2) Only	\$375	_____
Introduction + Advanced (Both days)	\$700	_____

Non-ASMS Member Physician

Introduction (Day 1) Only	\$500	_____
Advanced (Day 2) Only	\$500	_____
Introduction + Advanced (Both days)	\$950	_____

Current Dermatology Resident

Introduction (Day 1) Only	\$225	_____
Advanced (Day 2) Only	\$225	_____
Introduction + Advanced (Both days)	\$400	_____

Sub-Total Dermatology Course _____

Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery

November 7-10, 2019

Physician Fees

Current ASMS Member Physician	\$1550	_____
Non-ASMS Member Physician	\$2150	_____
Current Dermatology Resident	\$950	_____
Active Duty Military Physician	\$950	_____
Slide Review Only	\$650	_____
(Requires prior FMS attendance)		

Advanced Mohs Technician Session

November 6, 2019

Mohs Technician Fees

Mohs Technician Employed by Member		
1 Day Advanced Tech Course (Nov. 7)	\$175	_____
Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery	\$1300	_____
Mohs Technician Employed by Non-Member		
1 Day Advanced Tech Course (Nov.7)	\$275	_____
Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery	\$2000	_____

Save \$100 if Attending Two Courses - \$100 _____
(excludes Adv. Tech Course)

Additional Materials: (Optional)

Recommended Mohs Textbooks

Mohs Surgery: Fundamentals & Techniques*	\$130	_____
Mohs Surgery & Histopathology: Beyond the Fundamentals*	\$195	_____
*Shipping Fee (per book)	\$10.95	_____

Total Amount Due _____

Online Registration: www.mohssurgery.org Convenient links from home page

How did you hear about this meeting?

- Mailed brochure AAD Calendar Colleague Email broadcasts ASMS Website
 Other _____

Please indicate any dietary restrictions/special needs _____

Are you staying at the Doubletree?

Yes No

Reservation last name _____

Registrant Information *Please print name as you wish it to appear on course roster and name badge*

Physician Name _____ Suffix _____
M.D./D.O./Other

Practice Name _____

Practice Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Practice Phone Number _____ Cell Phone Number _____

Practice Fax Number _____ Email _____

Payment Information

Check Enclosed (U.S. Funds, Payable to ASMS) Check Amount \$ _____

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Mail or fax form with check or credit card information to:

American Society for Mohs Surgery
Attn: Novella Rodgers, Executive Director
6475 E. Pacific Coast Highway, Box 700
Long Beach, CA 90803-4201

Email: mimbach@mohssurgery.org
Phone: 1-800-616-ASMS (2767)
Fax: 714-362-9540

Please contact ASMS office to verify that faxed registration was received.

Online Registration: www.mohssurgery.org

In order to register for meetings online, physicians and Mohs technicians must have an existing user name and password or register as a first-time user to obtain individual log-in credentials.



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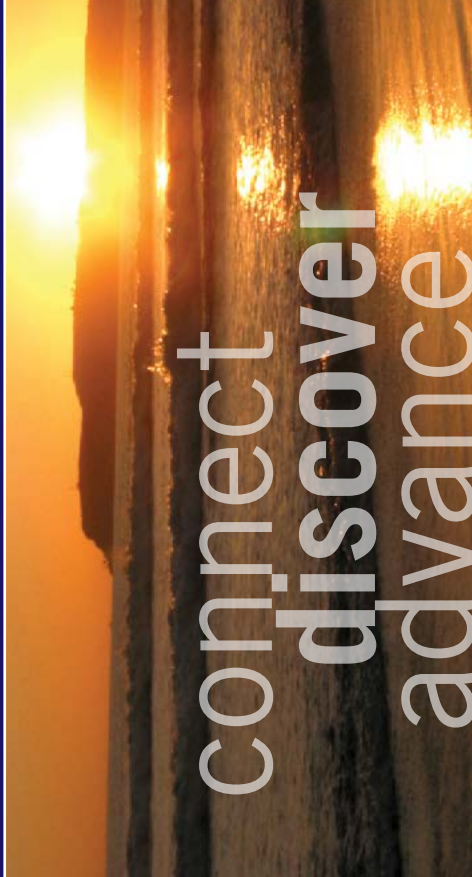


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