Basal Cell & Squamous Cell Cancer Dermatopathology (Introduction and Advanced) November 1-2, 2016

Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery November 3-6 2016
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 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 3-6, and features its own microscope laboratory with over 500 Mohs cases for additional study of BCC, SCC and other tumors. To maximize the learning potential of each course, you are encouraged to register for both meetings.

Educational Objectives
- Recognize the different 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 basal cell and squamous cell carcinomas.

See detailed BCC and SCC Dermatopathology schedule at www.mohssurgery.org.
Overview
The primary aim of the Fundamentals course – for both physicians and Mohs technicians – is enhanced patient care in the treatment of skin cancer. This activity presents a broad, comprehensive overview of Mohs surgical and laboratory processes. The ASMS acknowledges, however, that Mohs competency is achieved through a combination of rigorous skin surgery and dermatopathology training in Residency, supplemental post-residency Mohs training opportunities, ongoing CME activities focusing on multiple aspects of skin cancer treatment, and the shared experiences of other highly-qualified Mohs practitioners.

This course is designed for dermatologists, dermatology Residents and other specialists who desire additional exposure to basic Mohs surgical technique. Physicians 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 offers numerous “tried and true” surgical tips and pointers that participants may readily incorporate into practice.

The physician and Mohs technician roles are critically interwoven in the successful performance of Mohs surgery. For this reason, technician training is an important aspect of this program. The technician session runs concurrently with the physician training, and provides the basic tenets of Mohs tissue processing, equipment maintenance, safety concerns, and regulatory standards. Experienced technicians will have an opportunity to discuss more advanced troubleshooting and quality assurance concerns. Faculty members are adept at working with trainees at all levels of skill and experience, helping them to gain confidence, improve efficiency, and more fully realize their potential as a vital partner in the Mohs surgery team.


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

- Recognize the appropriate indications for Mohs surgery based on histologic subtype and anatomic location.
- Demonstrate enhanced technical skill and/or precision in the execution of the Mohs technique.
- Describe important Mohs practice efficiencies, including the use of specialized instrumentation and the management of patient flow and tissue specimen transfer.
- Identify Mohs mapping techniques to ensure proper orientation and correlate histologic findings to the surgical wound.
- Explain the successful integration of surgical excision and histopathologic interpretation in Mohs surgery.
Accreditation Statement

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 The A. Webb Roberts Center for Continuing Medical Education of Baylor Scott & White Health and the American Society for Mohs Surgery (ASMS). The A. Webb Roberts Center for Continuing Medical Education of Baylor Scott & White Health is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Credit Designation Statement – Basal Cell and Squamous Cell Cancer Dermatopathology
The A. Webb Roberts Center for Continuing Medical Education of Baylor Scott & White Health designates this live activity for a maximum of 16 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Credit Designation Statement – Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery
The A. Webb Roberts Center for Continuing Medical Education of Baylor Scott & White Health designates this live activity for a maximum of 38 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Faculty Disclosure
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Mohs Technician Credit (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. Our physician membership is comprised primarily of Board-certified M.D. and D.O. dermatologists and dermatologists in training. Membership opportunities in the ASMS are available to U.S. and international physicians and Mohs technicians.

Our educational programs are tailored to the ongoing development of members’ dermatologic surgery, Mohs surgery, reconstruction, and histopathology skills as they relate to skin cancer treatment. Due to Mohs surgery’s efficacy in treating basal cell and squamous cell carcinoma, high-quality Mohs training is advocated for all surgically-oriented dermatologists. We are pleased to see an increase in the number of international physicians training in Mohs surgery, signaling a growing awareness and utilization of this procedure worldwide.

In addition to the courses described in this brochure, the ASMS sponsors an annual Closure course and Dermatologic Surgery: Focus on Skin Cancer clinical symposium. We also provide an educational Peer Review program in which members regularly submit cases for quality assurance feedback. Our Clinical Observational Preceptorship program pairs newer Mohs surgeons with other highly-experienced Mohs practitioners, enabling discussion of multiple surgeries and histopathologic interpretations performed in real time. Each issue of our quarterly newsletter, The Beveled Edge, contains Mohs quality assurance-related articles and summaries of the educational material presented in all four of our courses.
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Henry D. Haskell, M.D.
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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 with Faculty Assistance Available
- 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
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://aws.passkey.com/g/54445419
(Group Code: MOH)

Guest Room Rate: $169 per night (Single or Double Occupancy) - Queen/King Bed Options

Reservations Cut-Off Date: October 19, 2016

For Planning Purposes, ASMS Onsite Registration Begins:

Basal and Squamous Cell Cancer Dermatopathology
Tuesday, Nov. 1, 6:30 a.m.

Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery
Wednesday, Nov. 2, 6:00 p.m.
(continues on Thursday, Nov. 3, 7:00 a.m.)

Registration Form

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

Membership Application: Qualified physicians may apply for ASMS membership. Completed application must be received by October 15 to allow time for processing prior to start of course. Upon approval, applicant will be able to take advantage of the member-discounted course registration fee.

Special Needs: The ASMS encourages participation by all individuals. If you have special dietary, mobility or other needs, please contact Novella Rodgers at 800.616.2767 or NRodgers@mohssurgery.org. (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 Friday, October 28); a late fee of $100 will be assessed.

Registration Fee Schedule

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Interested in Applying for ASMS Membership?

Initial Membership Application Fee Schedule (Includes 1st Year's Dues)

Affiliate (Req. ABD or AOBD-certification) $300
International Affiliate $300
Associate (Req. Completion of ACGME or AOA Derm. Residency) $300
Current Dermatology Resident (ACGME or AOA) N/C
Current International Dermatology (Resident) N/C
Mohs Technician/Related Professional $75
International Mohs Technician/Related Professional $75

Total Amount Due

Registration Fee Schedule

BCC & SCC Cancer Dermatopathology
ASMS Member Physician (U.S. or International)
Introduction (Day 1) Only $325
Advanced (Day 2 Only) $325
Introduction + Advanced (Both Days) $600
Non-ASMS Member Physician (U.S. or International)
Introduction (Day 1) Only $400
Advanced (Day 2 Only) $400
Introduction + Advanced (Both Days) $800
Current Dermatology Resident (U.S. or International)
Introduction (Day 1) Only $175
Advanced (Day 2 Only) $175
Introduction + Advanced (Both Days) $325
Active Duty Military Physician – Same as resident rates

Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery
Current ASMS Member Physician (U.S. or International)
Full FMS Course $1350
Non-ASMS Member Physician (U.S. or International)
Full FMS Course $2000
Current Dermatology Resident (U.S. or International)
Full FMS Course $800
Active Duty Military Physician
Full FMS Course – Same as resident rates

Slide Review Only Requires Prior Attendance - Full FMS Course or Concurrent Attendance - Dermpath Course $500
Mohs Tech Employed by Member (Tech Session Only) $1150
Mohs Tech Employed by Non-Member (Tech Session Only) $1800
Both BCC & SCC Cancer Dermatopathology and Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery
Current ASMS Member Physician
Day 1 or Day 2 Dermpath only + FMS $1625
Both Days Dermpath + FMS $1800
Non-ASMS Member Physician
Day 1 or Day 2 Dermpath only + FMS $2200
Both Days Dermpath + FMS $2650
Current Dermatology Resident
Day 1 or Day 2 Dermpath only + FMS $925
Both Days Dermpath + FMS $1125
Active Duty Military Physician – Same as resident rates

I have completed the ASMS registration application and attached a copy of the registration form. I have paid the registration fee of $100.00 and have received a receipt as evidence of payment.
### Registrant Information:

Please print as you wish name to appear on course materials/name badge.

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

**Online Registration**: [www.mohssurgery.org](http://www.mohssurgery.org)

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

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.
Both **Physician** and **Mohs Technician** Educational Sessions Available for Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery

(See Complete Program Schedules at www.mohssurgery.org)