The 8th Annual CSRS
(Cervical Spine Research Society)

Hands-On Cadaver Course:

Cervical Spine Decompression & Stabilization Techniques

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EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

Objectives:

➢ Review, describe the intricate anatomy of the uncinated process, and identify the relationship of nerve roots, the vertebral artery and foramen.
➢ Review the techniques and perform under the guidance of experts, anterior and posterior surgical approaches to the cervical spine including:
  • posterior decompression techniques including laminotomy, foraminotomy, laminoplasty, laminectomy and facetectomy
  • fusion techniques including occipital-cervical constructs, C1-2 transarticular fixation, subaxial wire and plating constructs
  • anterior decompression techniques including discectomy, foraminotomy and corpectomy
  • anterior fusion techniques including Smith–Robinson and strut grafting as well as subaxial plate, odontoid fixation and cages
  • transoral approach to dens resection
➢ Discuss surgical indications and complications management for the above procedures

Due to federal regulations, participants are not allowed to place products into the cervical spine that are not FDA-approved.

CONTINUING EDUCATION:

Saint Louis University School of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 14.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

ACCREDITATION:

Saint Louis University School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians. The education the participant gains through our CME activities does not satisfy training requirements to perform the surgery.

REGISTRATION DETAILS AND COURSE FEES

REGISTRATION:

For Further Course Details and REGISTRATION Click On (or type in your internet browser) the link below:

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This workshop will be held at the PSE Learning Center located in Young Hall 3339 Lindell Boulevard  
Saint Louis, MO 63108

TUITION FEES:

Physicians: .......................................................... $1995  
Residents/Fellows/USA Military:? ........................................ $1295

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