

# Paralyzed Veterans of America's Summit 2011+Expo

SEPTEMBER 15-18, 2011 • RENAISSANCE SEAWORLD • ORLANDO, FLORIDA

## FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

7:00 am	Continental Breakfast & EXPO			
7:45 am	Opening Remarks			
8:00 am	<b>KEYNOTE SPEAKER</b> <i>TBD</i>			
8:30 am	<b>PLENARY SESSION</b> Capitalizing on the Molecular Revolution: Targeting Sodium Channels for Neuroprotection and More Effective Treatments of Pain <i>Stephen G. Waxman, MD, PhD</i>			
10:00 am	Coffee Break & EXPO			
10:30 am	<b>PLENARY SESSION</b> Repair of the Injured Spinal Cord and Brain: Progress and Prospects of Cell Transplantation <i>Jeffery Kocsis, PhD</i>			
Noon	Lunch Break & EXPO   Regional MSCOE Meeting			
	<b>TRACK 1</b>	<b>TRACK 2</b>	<b>TRACK 3</b>	<b>TRACK 4</b>
1:30 pm	Improving Health: New Models of Care Delivery for Veterans with MS <i>Jodie Haselkorn (MODERATOR)</i> <i>Glen Graham</i> <i>Adam Darkin</i> <i>Christina Hughes</i> <i>Dan Scott</i>	<b>SYMPOSIUM: MS Symptom Management</b> <i>Michael Priebe (MODERATOR)</i> 1. Bowel, Bladder and Sexual Function <i>Wanda Castro-Borrero</i> 2. Managing Fatigue and Spasticity <i>Erik Burton</i> 3. Psychiatric Disorders and Cognitive Dysfunction <i>Donna Graves</i>	<b>SYMPOSIUM: Manual Wheelchair Seating and Mobility: Promoting Function Throughout the Lifespan (Part 1)</b> <i>Kristin Fiola</i> <i>Zachary Staats</i>	<b>SYMPOSIUM: Clinical Practice Guidelines: Sexuality and Reproductive Health in Adults with SCI</b> <i>Larry Vogel</i> <i>Stanley Ducharme</i> <i>Stacy Elliott</i>
3:00 pm	Coffee Break & EXPO			
3:30 pm	<b>SYMPOSIUM: Sexuality</b> 1. MS and Sexual Health <i>Florian Thomas</i> 2. Sexuality, Intimacy, and Disability <i>Linda Mona</i>	<b>SYMPOSIUM: Cardiovascular Disease</b> 1. Cardiovascular Risk and Disease in Persons with SCI <i>William Bauman</i> 2. Exercise and Medication Countermeasures <i>Mark Nash</i> 3. Best Practices in CVD Management in SCI <i>Suzanne Groah</i>	<b>SYMPOSIUM: Manual Wheelchair Seating and Mobility: Promoting Function Throughout the Lifespan (Part 2)</b> <i>Kristin Fiola</i> <i>Zachary Staats</i>	<b>SYMPOSIUM: Best Practices Caregiver Support</b> <i>Paul McDonough</i> <i>Margaret Kazmierski</i> <i>Alicia Sloan</i>
5:00 pm	SCI Chief Meeting ( <i>Dr. Hammond</i> )			
5:00 pm	<b>PVA Welcome Reception</b>			

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## SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

7:00 am	Continental Breakfast & EXPO			
7:45 am	Opening Remarks			
8:00 am	<b>PLENARY SESSION</b> Health-care Reform <i>Jonathan Perlin, PVA</i>			
9:00 am	<b>2011 WHITAKER LECTURE</b> Multiple Sclerosis Pathogenesis <i>Dennis Bourdette, MD</i>			
10:00 am	Coffee Break & EXPO			
	<b>TRACK 1</b>	<b>TRACK 2</b>	<b>TRACK 3</b>	<b>TRACK 4</b>
10:30 am	MS Treatment Issues: Relapsing Disease <i>Mark Agius, MD</i> (MODERATOR) 1. Interferons and Glatiramer Acetate <i>William Tyor, MD</i> 2. Newer Treatments: Mitoxantrone, Natalizumab, Fingolimod and Beyond <i>John Rose</i> 3. Case Discussion: Risk/Benefit Issues <i>Michael Levin, MD</i> <i>Ruth Whitham, MD</i> <i>Ann Bateman, NP</i> <i>Kathy Tortorici, PharmD</i>	Bone Disease after SCI: Human Experience and Lessons Learned from Animal Models <i>William Bauman</i> <i>Christopher Cardoza</i> <i>Richard Shields</i>	Future of Environment of Care <i>Mark Lichter (MODERATOR)</i> <i>Ken Lee</i> <i>Frank Menendez</i>	<b>SYMPOSIUM: Pressure Ulcer Management</b> <i>Lana McKenzie (MODERATOR)</i> 1. Advanced Wound Care Modalities for the Treatment of Pressure Ulcers: Improving the Standard of Care <i>Walter Chua</i> 2. Surgical Management of Pressure Ulcers <i>Karen Evans, MD</i> <i>Elizabeth Castillo</i>
Noon	Lunch Break & EXPO   Regional MSCOE Meeting			
1:30 pm	MS Immunology and Progressive Disease <i>Walter Royal, MD</i> (MODERATOR) 1. The Immunopathogenesis of Relapsing MS <i>Olaf Stuve, MD, PhD</i> 2. The Immunopathogenesis of Progressive MS <i>Benjamin Segal, MD</i> 3. Case Discussion: Progressive MS <i>Robert Baumhefner, MD</i> <i>Deborah Downey, RN</i> <i>Horea Rus, MD, PhD</i>	Research Papers 1. Activity Dependent Rehabilitation Model: Improvements Noted in Sublesional Bone Mineral Density <i>Gail Forest</i> 2. Cognitive Consequences of Autonomic Dysfunction in SCI and MS <i>Jill Wecht</i> 3. Race-Ethnicity Health Behaviors Secondary Health Conditions and SCI <i>James Krause</i>	Using FES Technology to Impact Outcomes and ADLs for the SCI Population <i>Jennifer French</i> <i>Kenneth Gustafson</i>	Symposium: Topics in Respiratory Care 1. Role Of Multi-Modal Chest Physiotherapy In Liberating Ventilator-Dependent Wounded Warriors with Low Cervical Spinal Cord Injury <i>Charles Gutierrez</i> 2. Risk Factors and Consequences of Obstructive Sleep Apnea in SCI <i>Gregory Schilero</i>
3:00 pm	Coffee Break & EXPO			

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	TRACK 1	TRACK 2	TRACK 3	TRACK 4
3:30 pm	<p>Environmental Factors in MS <i>Mitchell Wallin (MODERATOR)</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Overview <i>Mitchell Wallin, MD, MPH</i></li> <li>2. Vitamin D/Sunlight and MS <i>Joel Culpepper, PhD</i></li> <li>3. Viruses &amp; MS <i>Micheline McCarthy, MD, PhD</i></li> <li>4. Case Discussion: Managing Risk Factors <i>Amy Poel, PhD</i> <i>Jodie Haselkorn, MD, MPH</i></li> </ol>		<p><b>SYMPOSIUM: Gait</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. ReWalk: A Powered Exoskeletal System for Gait Restoration in Spinal Cord Injury <i>Harry Schwartz</i></li> <li>2. Utilization of Dynamic LE Orthosis for More Efficient Ambulation <i>John Schulte</i></li> </ol>	<p>Papers: Medical Complications</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Invasive and Implanted Medical Devices: Rehabilitation Therapeutic and Diagnostic Interventions <i>Douglas Stevens</i></li> <li>2. Distinguishing Treatable Myofascial Pain—A Role for Trigger Point Injections in Chronic SCI Pain <i>Sophia Chun</i></li> <li>3. Transurethral Laser Sphincterotomy: International Consensus <i>Inder Perakash</i></li> <li>4. Antibiotic Resistance in Bacteriuria of MS Patients <i>Carol Gibson-Gill</i> <i>Jackie Tran</i></li> </ol> <p>Discussion</p>
5:00 pm	SCI VA Staff Meeting ( <i>Dr. Hammond</i> )			

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## SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

7:00 am	Continental Breakfast & EXPO			
7:45 am	Opening Remarks			
8:00 am	<b>PLENARY SESSION</b> Technology to Promote Independence <i>Rory Cooper, PhD</i>			
9:00 am	<b>PLENARY SESSION</b> TBD <i>TBD</i>			
10:00 am	Coffee Break & EXPO			
	<b>TRACK 1</b>	<b>TRACK 2</b>	<b>TRACK 3</b>	<b>TRACK 4</b>
10:30 am	<b>SYMPOSIUM:</b> Neuroimaging 1. Use of MRI <i>Jack Simon</i> 2. What MRI Taught Us About Neurodegeneration and MS <i>Matilde Inglese</i>	1. From Bench to Phase 1/2a Clinical Trials in SCI <i>Lisa McKerracher</i> 2. Surgery for Reanimation after Paralysis <i>Dr. Andrew Elkwood</i>	<b>SYMPOSIUM:</b> 1. Facilitating the Self-Management of SCI <i>Michelle Meade; Shawn Floyd</i> Using Motivational Interviewing to Improve Self-Care among Individuals with MS <i>Aaron Turner</i>	<b>SYMPOSIUM:</b> Urologic Management <i>Michael Priebe (MODERATOR)</i> 1. Advances in Neuro-Urology <i>David Ginsberg</i> 2. Advances in the Use of Botulinum Toxin for Neurogenic Bladders <i>Christopher Smith</i> 3. Future Treatment of Neurogenic Bladder <i>Timothy Boone</i>
Noon	Lunch Break			
1:30 pm	<b>SYMPOSIUM:</b> Management of Chronic Pain in Multiple Sclerosis <i>Robert Kerns Heidi Maloni James Hunziker</i>			<b>SYMPOSIUM:</b> Clinical Management of Dysphagia in SCI <i>Kazuko Shem Kathleen Castillo Sandra Wong</i>
3:00 pm	Coffee Break & EXPO			
3:30 pm	<b>SYMPOSIUM:</b> Outcomes in the VA SCI/D System of Care: Collection, Analysis, and Utilization <i>Philip Ullrich Jean Laubscher</i>			Vocational Rehabilitation: A Nontraditional Approach to Providing Vocational Rehabilitation <i>James Arndt Joan Haskins Ken Lipton Cristina Mousel Roger Hickson Keisha Wright</i>
5:00 pm	Special Interest Group Meetings			