

# 15th Annual Neuroscience Conference: Stroke Care Across the Continuum

November 13, 2020

8:45 am–4:15 pm

Participate Live via WebEx

Participate live via Web video connection from your home, office or anywhere with a strong broadband connection and your PC, laptop, iOS device (iPad/iPhone) or Android device. Connection details will be provided prior to the event. Device must have camera/ audio/video capabilities.

## Program Overview & Objectives

The 15th Annual Neuroscience Conference: Stroke Care Across the Continuum will explore the latest advancements in acute hospital management, as well as post hospital care of the stroke patient. This knowledge-based conference will include the most recent clinical practice guidelines and best practices in stroke care to maximize acute stroke care and recovery, as well as provide transitional care post-hospitalization.

### Upon completion of the program, participants should be able to:

- Describe how to incorporate evidence-based medicine into the care of patients with a stroke.
- Discuss current treatments and scientific advancements in stroke care.
- Apply techniques learned to optimally manage stroke patients across the continuum.

## Target Audience

This event will be of particular interest to primary care physicians and providers, nursing professionals, physical and occupational therapists, pharmacists and EMTs. All other health care providers interested in providing comprehensive care for stroke patients are also encouraged to attend.

As part of its commitment to diversity and inclusion, the Northwest AHEC and Wake Forest Baptist Health provides compassionate education and respectful care for all, regardless of sexual orientation, gender identity or expression.

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## Agenda

- 8:15 am **Tech Check-in**
- 8:45 am **Welcome, Housekeeping, Review of the Day's Agenda**  
Rayetta Johnson, MSN, RN  
Activity Director
- 9 am **The Role of the Left Atrial Appendage in Atrial Fibrillation and Stroke**  
Patrick Whalen, MD, FHRS
- 9:50 am **Stroke and PFO Closure**  
Sanjay Gandhi, MD
- 10:40 am **Break**
- 10:55 am **COMPASS: Readmissions and Post-Acute Follow-up**  
Cheryl Bushnell, MD, MHS
- 11:45 am **Health Disparities in Access to Care and Prevention**  
Allison Caban-Holt, MD
- 12:35 pm **Exhibitors & Lunch on Your Own**
- 1:35 pm **Pediatric Stroke**  
Paola Castri, MD
- 2:20 pm **Putting Evidenced Based Practice into use at the Bedside**  
Cynthia Bautista, PhD, APRN, FNCS, FCNS
- 3 pm **Patient Story**  
Ms. Karen Rich
- 3:15 pm **State of the Art Intracerebral Hemorrhage Care**  
Stacey Wolfe, MD
- 4:05 pm **Wrap-up**
- 4:15 pm **Adjourn**

## Faculty

**Cynthia Bautista, PhD, APRN, FNCS, FCNS**

Owner  
Nursing Brains, LLC

**Cheryl Bushnell, MD, MHS**

Professor of Neurology  
Vice Chair of Research  
Stroke Division Chief  
Wake Forest School of Medicine

**Allison Caban-Holt, MD**

Maya Angelou Center for Health Equity  
Wake Forest School of Medicine

**Paola Castri, MD**

Assistant Professor of Neurology  
Wake Forest School of Medicine

**Sanjay Gandhi, MD**

Heart and Vascular Center  
Wake Forest Baptist Health

**Patrick Whalen, MD, FHRS**

Associate Professor of Medicine  
Director, Cardiac Electrophysiology  
Heart and Vascular Center  
Wake Forest Baptist Health

**Stacey Wolfe, MD**

Associate Professor  
Residency Program Director  
Director, Neurointerventional Surgery  
Wake Forest Baptist Health

## Credits

- 6.00 Contact Hours from Northwest AHEC
- 0.6 CEUs from Wake Forest School of Medicine
- 6.25 Nursing Contact Hours  
Criteria for successful completion requires attendance for at least 90% of the activity and submission of the evaluation.  
Northwest AHEC is approved as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by the North Carolina Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.
- Application for CME credit has been filed with the American Academy of Family Physicians. Determination of credit is pending.
- As of July 1, 2018, the NCBOT no longer accepts applications for pre-approval of CCAs. OT practitioners need to make sure they are completing activities that comply with Section .0800 of the NCBOT Rules. 6.0 CCAs.
- This course is approved for physical therapy licensees by virtue of NCBPTE Rule 21 NCAC 48G .0108(c)(8) for 5.5 contact hours.
- This program will provide 6.0 contact hours of continuing pharmacy education credit.

### ACPE# 0046-9999-20-326-L01-P



The University of North Carolina Eshelman School of Pharmacy is accredited by the the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education as a provider of continuing pharmacy education.

AHEC Faculty Coordinator:  
**Sheila Bogan, MPH, MCHES, CFD, CDP**  
Dental and Pharmacy Coordinator  
Northwest AHEC

### No partial credit will be offered for this program.

Continuing Education Credit: To receive CE credit, participants must preregister and acknowledge their attendance by signing in at the beginning of the program. Participants must attend 100 percent of the program and participate in learning activities. Statements of credit can be viewed and printed from CPE Monitor.

Important new requirement from the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE) and the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy (NABP) for all pharmacists and technicians who obtain CPE credit. The CPE Monitor system will securely track all your completed CPE credits in a central system. Learn about the new requirement at [www.nabp.net](http://www.nabp.net)

Jointly provided by:

Northwest Area Health Education Center (AHEC), a program of Wake Forest School of Medicine and part of the NC AHEC System, and the University of North Carolina Eshelman School of Pharmacy.



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## Cost and Registration

\$45—Registration fee, physicians and pharmacists

\$25—Registration fee, nurses and non-physicians

\$15—Registration fee, EMTs

**Register and pay online** at [www.nwahec.org/63390](http://www.nwahec.org/63390) or complete and return the attached registration form. Payment by credit card (Visa, MasterCard and American Express) accepted online. Personal check, corporate check, money order or WFBMC internal transfer accepted by mail.

**Registration for this activity will close at noon on November 12, 2020.**

**Payment Policy**—Payment is required on or before entrance into any Northwest AHEC activity. If a corporate payment has not been received before the activity start date, you will be required to provide a personal credit card or check. To avoid personal payment, you should check with the financial staff at your organization to determine status of payment. If and when the corporate payment is received, Northwest AHEC will issue a full refund based on your original form of payment.

**Refund Policy**— Cancellations received in our office at least two weeks (14 business days) before the activity will receive a 100% refund. Registrants cancelling between two weeks and two full business days prior to the first day of the event will be refunded at 70% of the registration fee subject to a minimum \$25 cancellation fee. The registration fee will not be refunded if a cancellation is received less than two days before the activity. **Cancellations must be in writing (email).** You may send a substitute in your place.

When planning for an educational activity, registration fees are not based on credit hours or agenda. Registration fees are based on expenses such as equipment, staff, etc., and are not adjusted by issues such as cancellation of speakers or other unforeseen circumstances. Every effort will be given to ensure the activity is a success.

If you have not received confirmation of your registration 24 hours before the program date, please contact Carty Beaston at 336-713-7754 or email [cbeaston@wakehealth.edu](mailto:cbeaston@wakehealth.edu) to verify the status of your registration.

## For More Information and Assistance

If you have questions about registering for this activity or need auxiliary aids or special services to attend, please contact Carty Beaston at least five working days before the activity by calling 336-713-7754 or emailing [cbeaston@wakehealth.edu](mailto:cbeaston@wakehealth.edu).

# Registration Form Stroke Care Across the Continuum

Register online at [northwestahec.org](http://northwestahec.org)

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Please select registration fee:

- \$45—Registration fee, physicians and pharmacists
- \$25—Registration fee, nurses and non-physicians
- \$15—Registration fee, EMTs

Primary Phone # (last 4 digits only):      
*\* required*

First Name	MI	Last	Degrees (e.g., MD)		
Profession		Job Title			
Home Address		City	State	Zip	County
Home Phone		Cell Phone			
Employer					
Employer Address		City	State	Zip	County
Employer Phone		Employer Fax			

**Email Required**

Preferred Email       Home Email       Work Email

*By providing your fax number, email address and telephone number, you have granted permission for us to contact you via the numbers and address indicated.*

### Three Ways to Register:

Please Register online at [www.nwahec.org/63390](http://www.nwahec.org/63390) (recommended)

OR select one of the following options:

- Make check payable** to Wake Forest University Health Sciences and mail, with registration form, to:  
Wake Forest School of Medicine / NW AHEC  
Medical Center Boulevard, Winston-Salem, NC 27157-1060  
Attention: Carty Beaston  
or email to [cbeaston@wakehealth.edu](mailto:cbeaston@wakehealth.edu)
- WFBMC Internal Transfer:** 25-digit chartfield # \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_
- Employer will make payment.** Supervisor completes below and faxes registration to 336-713-7701.

Supervisor's Name (Printed)	Signature	Phone
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By signing, I am certifying that agency payment will follow. If you have a balance due and do not attend or send a substitute, you will be invoiced for the full program fee.