## **SYLLABUS**

Title: Understanding Ultrasounds and Extremity MRIs

Dates& Locations:

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**CE Hours Requested:** 12

## I. COURSE OBJECTIVES

This program will enhance the doctor's knowledge of imaging and interpretation of imaging to better help the patient. The doctor will gain valuable information on specific issues or concerns to look for in images and how to correctly take the image and on what platform.

## II. COURSE OUTLINE

8:00 - 9:00 am Introduction to imaging interpretation will cover the benefits of

utilizing specific modalities.

1. Plain film, computed tomography, magnetic resonance imaging, nuclear medicine and diagnostic ultrasonography.

9:00 – 10:00 am Ultrasounds

Reviewing an ultrasound

What can it show & what are you seeing

10:00 –11:00 am Extremity MRIs

What you see vs. what you don't

When to refer

11:00am-12:00pm Correlation of ultrasounds to MRIs

Relationship of these images

12:00 - 1:00pm Using MRI for Extremities

Positioning Weights review

Depth

1:00 - 2:00pm Working Lunch

Introduction to ultrasounds

2:00 – 3:00 pm Ultrasound Imaging

What are you seeing and is it a problem?

Selected cases will be presented as unknowns to reinforce 3:00-4:00 pmconcepts covered and attendee will have the opportunity to test their comprehension. Appropriate discussion on treatment indications and contraindications 4:00 - 5:00 pmRed Flags When to refer Differences in ultrasound images you see 5:00 - 6:00 pm Using Ultrasound Imaging and MRIs 1. Diagnosing specific concerns 2. After the diagnosis 6:00 - 7:00 pm A. Review of Normal Extremity MRI Imaging B. Traditional MRI recumbent imaging Understanding the MRI
T-weights & their meaning
When is there a medical emergency?
What can you treat 7:00 - 8:00 pm