

## Registration Information

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### 8th Annual Yale Epilepsy Symposium

Friday, March 29, 2019

Register online, at [cme.yale.edu](http://cme.yale.edu)

#### ONLINE REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Visit “Find/Register for CME”
2. Go to “Live Courses”
3. Scroll down and select “8th Annual Yale Epilepsy Symposium”
4. Click the Register tab in order to proceed

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OR, Please scan the image at right (QR Code) with your Smartphone or Tablet to be directed to the conference homepage and proceed with Step 4.



#### REGISTRATION FEES

Registration fee\* includes all conference materials, continental breakfast, refreshment breaks, and lunch:

Physician – \$150  
Nurse/PA/Allied Health Professional – \$75  
Non-Yale Resident/Fellow/Student† – \$30  
Yale Resident/Fellow/Student† – complimentary  
Yale Comprehensive Epilepsy Center Nurses – complimentary  
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\*All cancellations must be received in writing (or via e-mail) at least one week prior to the start of the conference to receive a refund. Any requests for refunds received after this date, or by telephone, will **not** be honored.

†A letter of verification from department head must accompany registration. Letter should be sent separately to Yale CME at the address below. You may also e-mail a pdf copy of your verification letter to [cme@yale.edu](mailto:cme@yale.edu).

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If you have any questions, please contact Yale CME at [cme@yale.edu](mailto:cme@yale.edu) or 203.785.4578.

## Details

#### ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

The Yale School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

#### DESIGNATION STATEMENT

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#### FINANCIAL SUPPORT

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#### DIRECTIONS

Yale West Campus, 100 West Campus Drive, Building 800 / Conference Center, Orange, CT.

*Coming from the South.* If you are coming from the South (New York), take I-95 North and get off at Exit 41 (Marsh Hill Rd). At the end of the ramp, go straight through the light. This is Frontage Road and the entrance ramp to I-95 Northbound. Stay in the right lane and bear right at the fork. Follow signs to Conference Center.

*Coming from the North.* If you are coming from the North (Hartford/New Haven/Madison, etc.), take I-95 South. Get off at Exit 41 (Marsh Hill Rd). At the light at the end of the exit ramp take a left onto Marsh Hill Road. At the next traffic light, take a left onto the Frontage Road/I-95 Northbound entrance ramp. Follow this to the fork, stay in the right lane. Follow signs to Conference Center.

*Coming from the Merritt Parkway.* Take the Merritt Parkway North to Exit 54 (Milford Connector). Go under the I-95 overpass and exit onto the ramp designated to New Haven (I-95 North). Get off at Exit 41 and continue with the directions above (Coming from the South) to reach West Campus.

*GPS Users:* If your GPS has not been updated the current physical address may not pull up properly. If so, please enter 141 Frontage Road, Orange, CT to arrive at destination.

#### PARKING INFORMATION

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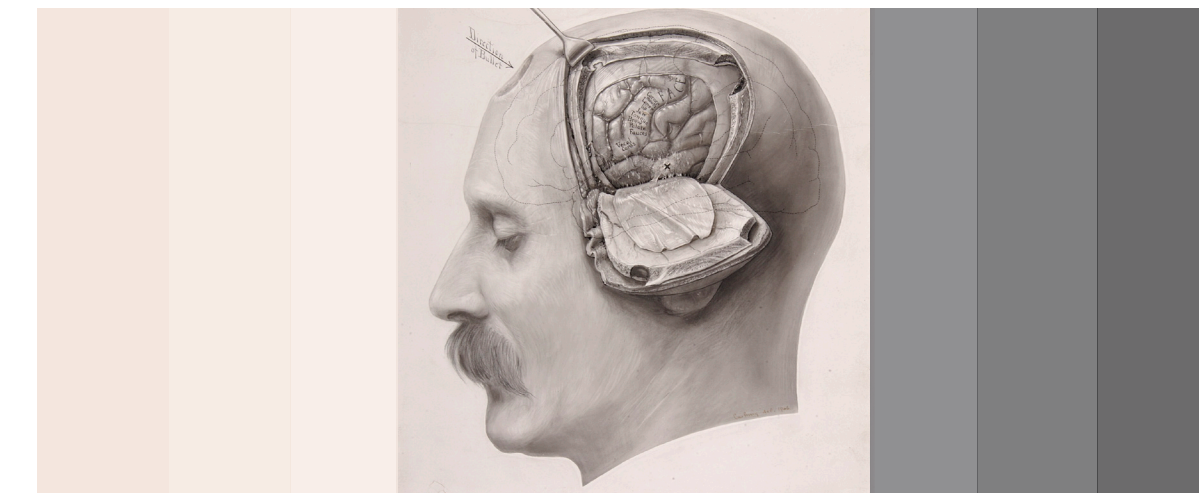
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Presented by the Yale Comprehensive Epilepsy Center

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Location: This educational CME program will be held at the exclusive Yale West Campus Conference Center in Orange, CT

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Aline Herlopian MD Assistant Professor of Neurology	Benjamin Tolchin MD, MS Assistant Professor of Neurology

**GUEST SPEAKER**

Allison Gamber BS  
Associate Director,  
Epilepsy Foundation of Connecticut

**YALE SCHOOL OF MEDICINE SYMPOSIUM**

This symposium will take place at Yale West Campus, 100 West Campus Drive, Building 800 / Conference Center, Orange, CT.

*Epilepsy and seizures affect almost 3 million Americans of all ages. Tremendous advances have been made in epilepsy treatment over the years, including new pharmacological approaches, surgery, neurostimulation, dietary modification and other nonpharmacological treatments. Despite these advances, a large proportion of patients continue to have seizures, possibly partially due to the gap between established therapies and recommended treatments and the actual care patients receive. This activity will provide participants with the tools to stay up-to-date on new advances in the treatment of epilepsy and related disorders, and will increase participants' awareness of emerging diagnostic and therapeutic options.*

7:00 AM	Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:00 AM	Welcome and Introductions <i>Dennis D. Spencer MD</i>
8:15 AM	Update on Antiepileptic Drugs <i>Richard H. Mattson MD</i>
8:45 AM	Neuroimaging Cases in Epilepsy <i>Richard A. Bronen MD</i>
9:15 AM	Cannabinoids in the Treatment of Epilepsy <i>Aline Herlopian MD</i>
9:30 AM	Questions and Answers
9:45 AM	Epilepsy Fellow's Patient Case: Part I <i>Epilepsy Fellow</i>
10:00 AM	Refreshment Break
10:10 AM	SUDEP <i>Lawrence J. Hirsch MD</i>
10:30 AM	Psychiatric Comorbidities in Epilepsy <i>Hamada Hamid Altalib DO, MPH</i>
11:00 AM	Psychogenic Nonepileptic Spells <i>Benjamin Tolchin MD, MS</i>
11:15 AM	Driving and Epilepsy <i>Hal Blumenfeld MD, PhD</i>
11:30 AM	Questions and Answers
11:45 AM	Epilepsy Fellow's Patient Case: Part II <i>Epilepsy Fellow</i>

12:00 PM	Lunch
12:45 PM	Epilepsy Fellow's Patient Case: Part III <i>Epilepsy Fellow</i>
1:00 PM	Epilepsy Surgery Cases <i>Jason Gerrard MD, PhD, FAANS and Dennis D. Spencer MD</i>
1:30 PM	Epilepsy Surgery Cases <i>Pue Farooque DO</i>
1:50 PM	Questions and Answers <i>Pue Farooque DO; Jason Gerrard MD, PhD, FAANS; and Dennis D. Spencer MD</i>
2:00 PM	Refreshment Break
2:10 PM	ICU-EEG and Status Epilepticus <i>Emily J. Gilmore MD</i>
2:30 PM	EEG Cases: Pearls and Pitfalls <i>Adithya Sivaraju MD, MHA</i>
2:50 PM	Questions and Answers
3:00 PM	Update on Women's Issues <i>Jeremy Moeller MD, FRCPC</i>
3:15 PM	Update in Epilepsy Genetics <i>Imran Quraishi MD, PhD</i>
3:30 PM	Dietary Therapy of Epilepsy <i>Vinita Misra Knight MD, MPH</i>
3:45 PM	Epilepsy Foundation <i>Allison Gamber BS</i>
4:00 PM	Closing Remarks and Adjourn <i>Lawrence J. Hirsch MD</i>

This course will enable participants to:

- ~ Update their knowledge of new antiepileptic medications
- ~ Apply the most recent imaging techniques in patients with epilepsy
- ~ Make informed decisions about the use of cannabinoids in the treatment of refractory epilepsy
- ~ Incorporate knowledge of sudden death in epilepsy (SUDEP) into their practice
- ~ Identify patients who might be candidates for a clinical trial for epilepsy
- ~ Discuss treatment options for patients with psychogenic nonepileptic spells
- ~ Recognize issues with driving safety in patients with generalized epilepsy syndromes
- ~ Discuss the surgical treatment options for patients with epilepsy, including neurostimulation
- ~ Identify the indications and limitations of ICU-EEG monitoring for patients with status epilepticus
- ~ Recognize common pitfalls in EEG interpretation
- ~ Update their knowledge of treatment considerations for women with epilepsy
- ~ Discuss the role of genetic testing in patients with epilepsy
- ~ Identify options for dietary therapy for children and adults with epilepsy

