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4th Annual UConn JDH Emergency Stroke Care Conference—June 6, 2018

UConn John Dempsey Hospital will host the fourth annual **Emergency Stroke Care Conference** on June 6, 2018, bringing the area emergency care community the latest in acute stroke care. The conference, which features national and local speakers, is free and provides complimentary breakfast and lunch. The conference runs from 8:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M. EMS providers can earn either 4 hours of CME for half day attendance or 8 hours for full day.

Talks include:

Keynote: Management of Cerebrovascular Disease: Why Flow Matters - Sepideh Amin-Hanjani, M.D., FAANS FACS, FAHA, University of Illinois, Chicago

Keynote: Optimizing Stroke Care within a CSC: Smash the Silos! Vanessa McKenna, M.S., CNRN, Massachusetts General Hospital

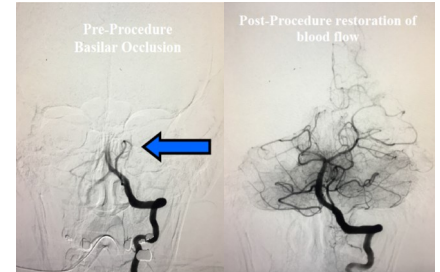
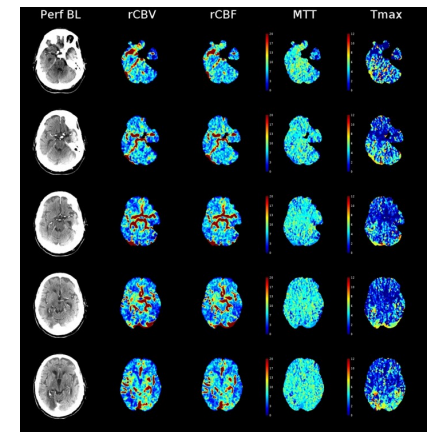
Innovative Acute Stroke Imaging Leo Wolansky, M.D., Chair, Department of Diagnostic Imaging, UConn Health

Interesting Cases in the Cerebrovascular/Skull Base/ Endovascular Era-Ketan Bulsara, M.D., M.B.A., Chief, Division of Neurosurgery, UConn Health
Prehospital Stroke Care: Past, Present & Future Peter Canning, Paramedic, R.N. and Richard Kamin, M.D., UConn Health

There will be afternoon breakout sessions that will include these topics:

Stroke Assessment: 5 Things Every EMS Provider Needs To Know

Strokes: Anatomy, Localization & NIHSS



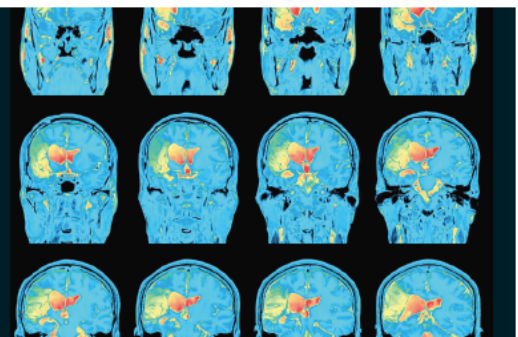
This is a great conference that sells out each year. Register now to reserve your seat.

Register online at h.uconn.edu/stroke2018, or by phone at 860.679.7692

**EMERGENCY STROKE
CARE CONFERENCE**

Wednesday, June 6, 2018

The fourth annual stroke conference at UConn Health brings you the latest in acute stroke care—unbiased information at no cost to you.



STEMI Honor Role

Bristol EMS paramedic Peter Cherepanov and his partner Patti Lizotte

43 Minute Door- to-Balloon.

80 Minute First Medical Contact-to-Balloon Time.
(66 Minutes from EMS Diagnostic ECG to Balloon).

American Medical Response

paramedic John Pourciau and his partner Tara Wheeler

30 Minute Door- to-Balloon.

61 Minute First Medical Contact-to-Balloon Time.



In Memory

Ross Chagdon

Area Paramedic

1989-2018



(Photo: Ross Chagdon graduating from New Britain EMS paramedic program)

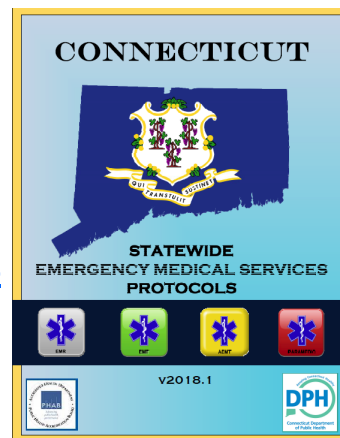
Special 2018 Statewide EMS Protocols Supplement

Check out special May 2018 supplement, highlighting changes in the new 2018 statewide protocols, including pediatric anaphylaxis, pediatric fever, pacing, alcohol withdrawal, hyperkalemia, chemical restraint and pain management.



Updated Statewide Protocols are available for download at :

<http://www.portal.ct.gov/DPH/Emergency-Medical-Services/EMS/Statewide-EMS-Protocols>



UConn Health JDH EMS Website

For news, educational information, CME schedule and past copies of our newsletter *Partners*, check out our website at:

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UConn EMS CONTINUING EDUCATION



**UConn JDH
May 18th
CME
Is Cancelled**



(See you in June)

UConn EMS CONTINUING EDUCATION 2018



June 20, 2018
July, August – No CME
September 19, 2018
October 17, 2018
November 21, 2018
December 19, 2018



8:30-11:30 A.M.

Cell and Genome Building
400 Farmington Avenue, Farmington, CT

3 Hours CME
ALL EMS RESPONDERS WELCOME

CONTACT US:

Any questions or suggestions about EMS?
Looking for patient follow-up?



Contact EMS Coordinator Peter Canning at canning@uchc.edu or call (860) 679-3485.