January 1, 2010
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LOCATION: 
Harper University Hospital - Kresge Auditorium

January 8, 2010
John Ravits, MD, FAAN
Director of Neurophysiology Laboratory
Department of Neurology
Virginia Mason Medical Center
Seattle, WA

TOPIC: 
“ALS Focality: Finding Motor Neuron Degeneration in a House of Mirrors”

OBJECTIVE: 
To discuss the phenotype heterogeneity of ALS and show how it may be explained by fundamental and unified principles, especially focal and contiguous spreading of neuropathology in confined anatomic compartments of the CNS. In turn, this suggests cardinal features of underlying molecular processes and also possibilities of studying them directly with new genomic technologies.

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January 15, 2010
Mark Tarnopolsky, MD, PhD, FRCP (C)
Professor of Pediatrics and Medicine
Director of Neuromuscular and Neurometabolic Clinic
McMaster University Medical Center
Hamilton, ON Canada

TOPIC: 
“Mitochondrial Disease – Diagnosis and Treatment in Children and Adults”

OBJECTIVE: 
1. To review the diagnostic criteria for mitochondrial cytopathies. 2. To review mitochondrial biology and the rationale for treatment. 3. To evaluate the role of exercise and nutraceutical interventions as treatments for mitochondrial cytopathies.

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January 22, 2010
Joseph Berger, MD
Department of Neurology
University of Kentucky College of Medicine

TOPIC: 
“Encephalitis Lethargica”

OBJECTIVE: 
To review this enigmatic disease.

SUPPORT: 
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LOCATION: 
John D. Dingell VA Medical Center Lower Level Auditorium

January 29, 2010
Sandeep Mittal, MD
Department of Neurosurgery
Wayne State University School of Medicine

TOPIC: 
“Advances in the Multimodality Treatment of High-Grade Gliomas”

OBJECTIVE: 
To review the current multidisciplinary management of malignant gliomas.

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Target Audience: Neurologist, Neurosurgeons, Neuroradiologists, Pediatricians, Psychiatrist, WSU/DMC Practicing Physicians, WSU/DMC Faculty, Fellows, House Officer, Medical Students, Nursing Staff, and Allied Health.

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