# NEW CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING GUIDELINES: THE RATIONALE Satellite Conference and Live Webcast

Tuesday, September 18, 2012, 2:00-4:00 p.m. (Central Time) 3:00-5:00 p.m. (Eastern) =1:00-3:00 p.m. (Mountain) =12:00-2:00 p.m. (Pacific)

## \*PART 1- 2:00-3:00 p.m. (Central Time)

Program faculty will discuss the new cervical cancer screening recommendations released by the U.S. Preventive Services Task Force and the American Cancer Society/American Society for Colposcopy and Cervical Pathology/American Society for Clinical Pathology. The rationale behind the changes will also be discussed. Continuing education credit will be provided to nurses and social workers for this portion of the program only. Target Audience: Nurses, social workers, clinicians, health educators, and other healthcare professionals and administrators involved in women's health Continuing Education: Nurses 1 hour, Social Workers 1 hour

## **PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:**

- 1. Discuss the natural progression of HPV.
- 2. Identify recent changes in cervical cancer screening guidelines and understand rationale supporting the changes.
- 3. Demonstrate application of the new cervical cancer screening guidelines by using case studies.
- 4. Discuss how to manage pap smears that lack endocervical component and how to manage discordant pap results.
- 5. Explain the importance of HPV vaccination and how it will affect the future of cervical cancer screening.

## FACULTY:

Edward E. Partridge, MD Director UAB Comprehensive Cancer Center Professor of Gynecologic Oncology *Evalina B. Spencer Chair in Oncology* University of Alabama at Birmingham

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#### \*PART 2- 3:00-4:00 p.m. (Central Time)

Program faculty will review the recent Family Planning protocol changes. Alabama Department of Public Health Nurses and Nurse Practitioners are required to participate. No continuing education credit will be provided for this part of the training. Target Audience: ADPH Nurses and Nurse Practitioners

# **PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:**

1. Discuss recent Alabama Department of Public Health Family Planning protocol changes.

# FACULTY:

**Grace Thomas, MD** Medical Director Women's Health Bureau of Family Health Services Alabama Department of Public Health

## **CONFERENCE DETAILS:**

Registration: www.adph.org/alphtn

Technical Information: To receive complete technical information you must register at www.adph.org/alphtn

- Satellite Live satellite conference on C band (analog).
- Webcast Watch with RealPlayer or Windows Media Player. Test your computer with the "test connection link" at www.adph.org/alphtn
- Audio To listen by phone, call 1-888-557-8511. Enter access code 972-1530 #. Press # again to listen to the conference.

On Demand - Available 2-3 business days after the live broadcast from the On Demand page of our website.

Conference Materials: Posted on our website approximately one week before the program for registered participants.

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