

SICKLE CELL DISEASE AND OTHER HEMOGLOBINOPATHIES: NEWBORN SCREENING AND BEYOND

Satellite Conference and Live Webcast

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PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. Describe the pathophysiology of a variety of hemoglobinopathies, including Sickle Cell Disease, and the sequelae associated with each one.
2. Explain appropriate laboratory testing and the criteria utilized to diagnose a hemoglobinopathy.
3. Differentiate between the varying pathways for follow up care and treatment as it applies to each hemoglobinopathy discussed.
4. Recognize the medical significance of Sickle Cell Trait and the importance of thorough patient and family education regarding the diagnosis.

CONFERENCE DETAILS:

Target Audience: Physicians, nurses, social workers, counselors, laboratory staff, and other healthcare professionals who provide services to patients with Hemoglobinopathies, such as Sickle Cell Disease

Continuing Education: 2 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™, Nurses 2 hours and social workers 2 hours

*The Medical Foundation of Alabama designates this live activity for a maximum of 2 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™

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

Conference Details Questions: Call: 334-206-5618 | Email: alphtn@adph.state.al.us

Hemoglobinopathies are a diverse group of inherited blood disorders that result from variations in the structure and/or synthesis of hemoglobin. These autosomal recessive conditions vary greatly from each other with some causing life-threatening symptoms while others cause no symptoms whatsoever. Program faculty will discuss various Hemoglobinopathies to include appropriate testing, follow-up care, patient education, and anticipated lifelong treatment for each.



*This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Medical Association of the State of Alabama through the joint providership of the Medical Foundation of Alabama and the Alabama Department of Public Health. The Medical Foundation of Alabama is accredited by the Medical Association of the State of Alabama to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

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