

BASCOM PALMER EYE INSTITUTE

2024 Ophthalmic Allied Health Professionals Seminar

March 30, 2024

REGISTRATION

University of Miami Staff:

Registration is free for University of Miami staff.
Please log in to ULearn or scan the QR code to register.



General Registration:

General registration is \$80.00
Please register at
<http://tinyurl.com/2p8rc3uu>

LOCATION

Bascom Palmer Eye Institute
Jose Berrocal Auditorium
900 NW 17th Street, Miami, FL 33136

PARKING

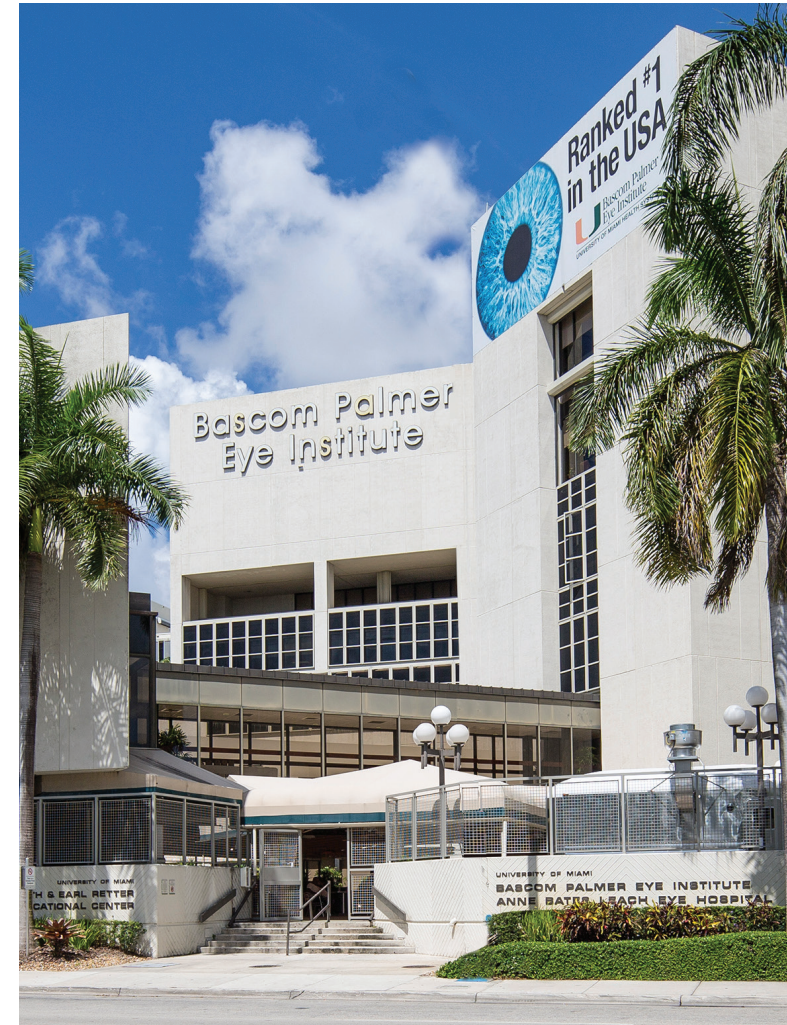
Free parking is available at the Bascom Palmer Eye
Institute's patient parking lot, located at
876 NW 17th Street, Miami, FL 33136
UM employees must present their ID badge
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COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course is designed for ophthalmic technicians, nurses, scribes, technologists, ophthalmic photographers, and all staff interested in the clinical care of the ophthalmic patient. Topics include imaging and treatment strategies for age-related macular degeneration, oculodermal disease, ocular emergencies in the eye clinic, community re-engagement for people living with visual problems, and the nurse's role during minor oculoplastic eyelid procedures. The course is comprised of live, didactic, and interactive sessions, as well as questions and answers.

CREDIT DESIGNATION

UHealth is accredited as a provider of continuing education in nursing by the Florida Board of Nursing, Provider Number 50-2900. UMHC will award five (5) continuing education hours to nurses who attend this program in its entirety. CE Broker Tracking Number:20-1161568.

This program has been accredited for four (4) International Joint Commission on Allied Health Personnel in Ophthalmology (IJCAHPO) continuing education (CE) credits and has been approved by the Ophthalmic Photographer's Society (OPS) for four (4) CE credits.

Disclaimer — This course is not sponsored by IJCAHPO; only reviewed for compliance with IJCAHPO standards and criteria and awarded continuing education credit; accordingly, therefore, IJCAHPO cannot predict the effectiveness of the program or assure its quality in substance and presentation.

DISCLOSURE AND CONFLICT OF INTEREST

All conflicts of interest of any individual(s) in a position to control the content of this educational activity will be identified and resolved prior to this educational activity being provided. Disclosure about provider and faculty relationships, or the lack thereof, will be provided to learners.



COURSE OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this program, participants should be able to:

- Understand the stages of disease progression from intermediate age-related macular degeneration (AMD) to the late stages of AMD.
- Appreciate the use of optical coherence tomography (OCT) for imaging all stages of AMD.
- Describe the role of anti-VEGF therapies in exudative (wet) AMD.
- Learn about the role of complement inhibitors for the treatment of nonexudative (dry) AMD.
- Describe the best injection strategies for preparing and treating patients with AMD.
- Understand differential diagnosis in oculodermal diseases.
- Discuss the importance of eye caregivers in oculodermal diseases.
- Define Mucous Membrane Pemphigoid.
- Describe the importance of imaging and laboratory testing in oculodermal diseases.
- Review common ophthalmic emergencies.
- Identify important components of history, preliminary testing, and exam features based on chief complaint.
- Identify activities that promote universal design within ophthalmology practice setting.
- Understand ways to facilitate equitable and inclusive environments for patients experiencing visual loss and chronic illness.
- Analyze local, state, and national resources to facilitate re-integration of physical activity, social engagement, and community re-engagement for those with visual impairment.
- Understand the role of Occupational Therapy in the rehabilitation of daily living, occupational engagement and re-establishing valuable roles and routines for people living with vision loss and chronic conditions.
- Learn about the different oculoplastic procedures and nursing interventions performed in ophthalmic procedure rooms.
- Determine the role of the nurse in oculoplastics.
- Review post oculoplastic procedure patient education.

SERVICES FOR THE DISABLED

Please contact us at bpeistaffdevelopment@miami.edu should you have any special needs that may require additional assistance.

Program

Subject to change

SATURDAY, MARCH 30, 2024

- 7:30 a.m. Registration and Breakfast
Welcome and Overview
- 8:00 a.m. **Alexander Higgins, OCT-C**
- 8:10 a.m. Imaging and Treatment Strategies for Age Related Macular Degeneration
Phillip J. Rosenfeld, M.D., Ph.D.
- 9:10 a.m. The Role of Ophthalmology in Oculodermal Disease
Jaime D. Martinez, M.D.
- 10:10 a.m. Emergencies in the Eye Clinic
Rami Aboumourad, O.D.
- 11:10 a.m. **Break**
- 11:30 a.m. Addressing Community Re-engagement for People Living with Visual Loss and Chronic Conditions
Lyvette Carrasquillo, OTD, OTR/L, M.Ed.
- 12:30 p.m. Minor Oculoplastic Eyelid Procedures: A Nurse's Role
Lisa Olivia Coton, BSN, CNOR, AMB-BC
- 1:30 p.m. **Adjournment**

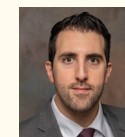
SPEAKERS



Philip J. Rosenfeld, M.D., Ph.D.
Professor of Ophthalmology



Jaime D. Martinez, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Clinical Ophthalmology



Rami Aboumourad, O.D.
Optometrist



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