



Tuesday, April 28, 2015 5:00 – 9:00 PM

Connecticut State Medical Society  
127 Washington Ave., East Bldg. 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
North Haven, CT

Dinner will be served  
Limited space -advance registration required

Connecticut State Medical Society presents:

CURRENT ISSUES IN

**SCHOLASTIC CONCUSSIONS:**

RETURN TO LEARN PLUS RETURN TO PLAY

In just the past few years, experts in the field of concussion have come to the realization that cognitive demands, much like physical demands, can worsen symptoms and can delay recovery. While the end result of continuing to push through cognitive exertion has yet to cause catastrophic brain damage or death, it would be wrong to believe that there are no risks at all. In concussion management, both Return to Play and Return to Learn are common and important terms, but they are not parallel processes. To date, there are no agreed upon formulas for return to learning.

**Target Audience:** Pediatricians, Primary Care, Family Practice, Orthopaedists

**PROGRAM BEGINS PROMPTLY AT 5:00**

Registration and Dinner

Introduction – Carl Nissen, MD

Concussion Overview 2015/Return to Play – David Wang, MD, MS

Return to Play – Anthony Alessi, MD, FAAN

Return to Learn – Karen Laugel, MD, FAAP

Return to Learn – Michael Krinsky, MD

Return to Learn – Michael Lee, MD

Panel Discussion – Carl Nissen, MD – Moderator

Registration Fee: \$20 CSMS Members, \$100 Non-member Physicians, \$20 Allied Health Professionals

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Connecticut State Medical Society (CSMS) through the joint providership of Bridgeport Hospital and CSMS. Bridgeport Hospital is accredited by CSMS to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Bridgeport Hospital designates this educational activity for a **maximum of 4.0 credit(s) toward the AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)<sup>™</sup>**. Physicians should claim only credits commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Follow this link to register online:

<http://csms.org/event/current-issues-in-scholastic-concussions-return-to-play-plus-return-to-learn/>

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