Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of ASN, we invite you to the 2020 Board Review Course & Update (BRCU), held at the Fairmont Chicago Millennium Park Hotel from Saturday, July 18, through Thursday, July 23.

We have worked to bring together an impressive and diverse line up of nephrology experts to provide a comprehensive review of the most important renal topics. Throughout the course, experience both live and online lectures, case discussions, audience response questions, and updates on emerging information to bring home to your practice and to the boards. This course provides a basis of keeping your knowledge up-to-date, along with preparing you for your initial or recertification examination.

In addition, the course is held in the beautiful city of Chicago which offers both travel convenience and amazing summer activities. Please join us for an exciting week at BRCU.

Sincerely,

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The American Society of Nephrology (ASN) Board Review Course & Update (BRCU) focuses on key information needed to prepare for the ABIM Nephrology Board certification and recertification examinations. ASN structures BRCU to maximize participants’ readiness for these examinations.

BRCU is the best way to sharpen your knowledge and review core nephrology concepts. Interactive case discussions are incorporated into lectures and panel Q&A sessions to help provide a comprehensive and indispensable update for practicing nephrologists. Each topic and its time allocation are patterned after the ABIM nephrology blueprint, giving you the most efficient preparation.

Through this course, you will be able to interpret the fundamental concepts of nephrology in the areas of:

• Kidney Function and Structure
• Sodium and Water Abnormalities
• Glomerular and Vascular Disorders
• Potassium Disorders and Acid-Base
• Tubular, Interstitial, and Cystic Disorders
• CKD and ESRD
• Hypertension
• AKI and ICU Nephrology
• Pharmacology
• Calcium, Phosphorus, and Magnesium Disorders and Stones
• Bone and Mineral Metabolism
• Kidney Transplantation

You will also formulate diagnostic and therapeutic options for the management of kidney diseases and test individual medical practice competence against a series of simulated patient/case scenarios.

Who Should Attend?

• Senior Nephrologists: Practicing nephrologists in all key areas of the specialty. The course also benefits pediatric nephrologists, intensivists, and hospitalists.
• Board Examination Participants: Individuals are thoroughly prepared for certification and recertification exams.
• Nephrology Fellows: Fellows seeking a detailed outline and discussion of what their current fellowship program should include.
• FASN Candidates: The 65.25 CME credit hours earned at BRCU can be applied toward the 70 hours required to qualify for FASN status.

Highlights

• Exam-focused curricula, patterned after the ABIM blueprint
• Opportunity to interact with 30 expert faculty
• Interactive case-based studies
• "How to Study for the Board: How to Approach a Board Question" presentation
• Printed and PDF course books – preliminary slides and references
• Complimentary online access to all lectures after the course (streaming media and downloadable audio)
• Online practice exam with 300+ questions
• Up to 65.25 CME Credits and MOC Points
• nephrology Board "Pearls of Wisdom" following the course to help focus your studying

Colette Lee-Lewis, MD
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Potassium and Acid Base
Scintific educators clarify these topics as we engage in thoughtful discussions. After challenging cases, engage your learning for • Thyroiditis
• Hypothyroidism
• Hyperthyroidism
• Thyroiditis
• Hypothyroidism, Diabetic kidney disease
• Acute and Chronic Kidney Disease
• Renal Cystic Disease Cases
• Case Discussions: Onco-Nephrology
• Case Discussions: Dialysis Nephropathy

Tubulointerstitial Diseases and Nephrolithiasis
Expert bring together the disciplines of the tubulointerstitial disease and enhance understanding. Focus on drug toxicity and kidney injury. Case presentations provide realistic examples to highlight to the attendee.

Nephrology:
• Case Discussions: Chief, Nephrology
• Case Discussions: Kidney Disease

Potassium: Physiological Principles, Hypokalemia, and Hyperkalemia

Pregnancy and Kidney Disease

Acute and Chronic Interstitial Nephritis

Renal Cystic Diseases

Case Discussions: Volume, Sodium, and Water Disorders

Course Schedule by Day

Saturday, July 18
7:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Assessment of Kidney Function and Structure

Sunday, July 19
7:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Glomerular and Vascular Diseases

Monday, July 20
7:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Potassium and Acid Base

Tuesday, July 21
7:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Chronic and End Stage Renal Disease

Wednesday, July 22
7:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Bone and Mineral Metabolism

Thursday, July 23
7:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Kidney Transplantation

"Presumed Consent" Register at www.asn.org/ABRC

How do I register?
To register for BCRCU, visit www.asn.org/BCRCU. Register by Thursday, June 18 to ensure your space, receive early bird pricing.

Registration Type

ASN Member $795
ASN Fellow-in-Training Member $695
Nonmember $895

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Wednesday, July 22
7:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Bone and Mineral Metabolism

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Monday, July 20
7:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Potassium and Acid Base

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Sunday, July 19
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Glomerular and Vascular Diseases

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Saturday, July 18
7:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Assessment of Kidney Function and Structure

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What is included in my registration fee?
- Exam-focused curricula with expert faculty, prepared after the ABM blueprint
- Printed and digital courses - bonus site visits and readings
- Complete access to online lectures after the course (streaming media and downloadable audio)
- All content is available 24 hours - 7 days a week
- Continuing educational credits (CME) and/or MOC points
- Photography* of faculty and attendees

Hotel and Travel Information
Prairie Cottage Milwaukee
200 North Corkcliffe Drive, Chicago, IL 60601
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Reservations: 600-441-1414
Group Code: ASCR2000
Book Online: Visit www.asn.org/BCRCU and click on Housing & Travel
ASN Room Rate: $225 single/double (includes complimentary internet in guestrooms)
Hotel Lakeside and Downtown
The Farmington Milwaukee Parkway is centrally located downtown Chicago, close to Lake Michigan and easy access to the airport. To book housing at the Farmington, please visit the following site by June 18, 2020, or until block is sold.

Questions?
Contact ASN at meetings@asn-online.org or call 202-640-4600.