

DEPARTMENT OF INTERNAL MEDICINE GRAND ROUNDS

May 2008

MSB 2.103 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

- May 6 **Re-Engineering Dendritic Cells for Improved Cancer Immunotherapy**
David Spencer, PhD
Professor, Division of Immunology
Baylor College of Medicine
- May 13 **Too Much of a Good Thing: The Heart in Obesity**
Heinrich Taegtmeier, MD, DPhil
Professor, Division of Cardiology
The University of Texas Medical School at Houston
- May 20 **Update on Scleroderma – Results from Randomized, Controlled Studies**
Maureen Mayes, MD
Professor, Division of Rheumatology
The University of Texas Medical School at Houston
- May 27 **TBA - Nephrology**

ALL LECTURES ARE ACCREDITED FOR CME CREDIT UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

Educational Objectives: At the conclusion of this program, audience members should be able to understand one of the following:

1. Recent developments in the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of diseases encountered in Internal Medicine.
2. The latest technological advances impacting Internal Medicine.
3. Current non-technological advances in Internal Medicine relating to ethics, professionalism, health care delivery, and economics.

Accreditation Statement: *Grand Rounds lectures which offer accreditation are marked by asterisks (*)*. This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through joint sponsorship of The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston and The University of Texas Medical School at Houston. The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Target Audience: General Internal Medicine residents, interns, students, faculty physicians and private practitioners as well as Internists specializing in Cardiology, Endocrinology, Gastroenterology, Hematology, Infectious Diseases, Medical Genetics, Oncology, Pulmonary, Renal Diseases, and Rheumatology

Credit Designation: The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston designates this educational activity for a maximum of 1 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit TM. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with extent of their participation in the activity.

Educational Method: Lecture