MISSION STATEMENT:

GENERAL LEARNING OBJECTIVES: The 32nd Annual Western Regional Meeting is sponsored by the Pacific Southwest Technologist and Physicians Chapters, Northern California Chapter and Pacific Northwest Chapter of the Society of Nuclear Medicine.

VOICE: VOICE credit is pending approval from the SNMTS.

CME: This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essentials and Standards of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint sponsorship of the Society of Nuclear Medicine and the Western Regional SNM. The SNM is accredited by the ACCME to sponsor continuing medical education for physicians.

The Society of Nuclear Medicine designates this education activity for a maximum of 23.75 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity. Each physician should claim only those credits that he/she actually spent in the educational activity. At the end of the session/lecture, attendees will be able to:

- Review current procedures and new developments.
- Demonstrate “how to do it” (technical aspects).
- Learn how to determine which test and technique optimally addresses the clinical problem.
- Compare nuclear medicine with other modalities.
- Update their practical knowledge concerning performing and interpreting studies (case presentations and panel discussions at the end of each session).

Registration Hours
Thursday – Friday: 6:45am – 4:00pm
Saturday: 7:15am – 4:00pm
Sunday: 7:15am – 10:00am
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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11
6:45 Registration Opens/Continental Breakfast
7:45 Welcome and Announcements

SESSION I: NEUROENDOCRINE
8:00-9:00 “MIBG vs Octreotide” Sandy McEwan, MD
9:00-10:00 “Radiotherapy for Neuroendocrine Tumors” Randy Hawkins, MD

10:00-10:30 Break (Exhibit Hall)

SESSION II: CARDIOLOGY
10:30-11:30 “Nuclear Cardiology 2007 and Beyond” Rory Hachamovich, MD
11:30-12:30 “Applications of Cardiac CT” Daniel Berman, MD

12:30-2:00 Lunch (On your own)

SESSION III: NEUROLOGY
2:00-3:00 “Neuron Imaging Movement Disorders” John Seibyl, MD
3:00-4:00 “How to Build a Practice in Functional Brain Imaging” Alan Waxman, MD
4:00-5:00 “Base Learning Approach for Functional Brain Imaging” Edwin Glass, MD

5:00-6:30 ICEBREAKER RECEPTION IN THE EXHIBIT HALL

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12
6:45am Registration/Continental Breakfast
In the Exhibit Hall

PLENARY SESSION & AWARDS
8:00-8:15 Presentation of the Distinguished Scientist Award
Recipient: Alan Waxman, MD
Presentor: Daniel Berman, MD

8:15-8:30 Mickey Williams Distinguished Service Award:
Recipient: Susan Gavel, CNMT
Presentor: Kathy Thomas, CNMT
Frances Neagley, CNMT

8:30-8:45 Technologist Award
(Sponsored by Medi/Nuclear): Winner: TBD

8:45-9:00 In-training Winner: TBD

9:00-9:15 MD/Scientist Winner: TBD
9:30-10:30 Taplin Lecture: “Pharmacological Kinetic Imaging” Walter Wolf, PhD

10:30-11:30 “Evolution of Nuclear Medicine Instrumentation and Recent Developments” Ramsey Badawi, PhD

11:30-1:00 Lunch (on your own)

SESSION IV: PET and PET/CT
1:00-2:00 “PET Mammography” Peter Conti, MD
2:00-3:00 “PET/CT and PET/MR” David Shelton, MD

3:00-3:30 Coffee Break in the Exhibit Hall

SESSION V: Imaging
3:30-4:30 “Horizons and New Frontiers in Molecular Imaging” Dave Rollo, PhD
4:30-5:30 “Current and Future Novel Molecular Agents” Peter Conti, MD

5:45 General Business Meetings

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13
7:15 Registration/Continental Breakfast
In the Exhibit Hall

SESSION VI: CT
8:00-9:00 “Optimization of CT Applications” Patrick Colletti, MD
9:00-9:30 “Oral and IV Contrast for CT Examinations” Ben Yeh, MD
9:30-10:00 “Technologist’s Role in CT Contrast Administration” Cliff Marticorena, RT

10:00-10:30 Coffee Break in the Exhibit Hall

SESSION VII: DOSIMETRY/PHYSICS
10:30-11:00 “CT Dosimetry and Instrumentation” Kai Lee, PhD
11:00-11:30 “Radiation Dosimetry for CT” Kai Lee, PhD
11:30-12:00 “CT Pitfalls and Artifacts” Ben Yeh, MD
12:00-12:30 “CT Protocols for Abdominal Imaging” Ben Yeh, MD

12:30-2:00 Lunch (on your own)
SESSION VIII: CREDENTIALING AND LICENSURE
2:00-2:45 “PET/CT: Who Can Do What in the Western Region” Lynne Roy, CNMT
2:45- 3:30 “Physician Credentialing Maintenance and Certification” George Segall, MD
3:30-5:00 “Cases for Connoisseurs” David Shelton, MD
5:30 Technologist Business Meetings

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14
7:15 Registration/Continental Breakfast
In the Meeting Room

SESSION IX: THERAPY
8:00-8:45 “Radioimmunotherapy in NHL – the Zevalin/Bexxar Experience” Kathy Thomas, CNMT
8:45-9:30 “Radiomicrosphere Therapy for Liver Tumors” Carl Hoh, MD
9:30-9:45 Break

SESSION X: RADIATION SAFETY
9:45-10:15 “Inpatient vs Outpatient Radioiodine Therapy for Thyroid Cancer”
Donna Earley, MS
10:15-10:45 “Outpatient vs Inpatient Radioiodine Therapy for Thyroid Cancer”
Carol Marcus, MD, PhD
10:45-11:30 “Radiation Safety Considerations in Outpatient vs Inpatient Therapy” Scott Weingarten, MD
11:30-12:00 Panel Discussion
12:00 ADJOURN

The Western Regional SNM would like to thank the 2007 Scientific Program Committee Members:

Patrick Colletti, MD – Chairman
Edwin Glass, MD
Brenda King, CNMT, FSNMTS
Alan Pan, CNMT
George Segall, MD
Kathy Thomas, CNMT, FSNMT
Lalitha Ramanna, MD
Alan Waxman, MD
### MEETING REGISTRATION FORM

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**OCTOBER 11-14, 2007**

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| **NONMEMBER**            |                      |              |
| Physician/Scientist      | $350                 | $450         |
| Technologist             | 275                  | 375          |
| Resident/Intern          | 275                  | 375          |

| **Technologist Weekend (Saturday and Sunday)** | | |
| Member | $100 | $150 |
| Non-Member | $120 | $170 |

| **Technologist Student** | $75 | $100 |

* (MUST HAVE LETTER FROM INSTRUCTOR ON LETTERHEAD ATTACHED)

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Spouse/Guest $100 MUST BE REGISTERED TO ATTEND FUNCTIONS (includes continental breakfasts, coffee breaks and Ice Breaker Reception) SPOUSES/GUEST MAY NOT ATTEND CE SESSIONS NOR RECEIVE CE CREDITS.

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**Is this your first time attending?**  Yes___  No___

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Registration includes: continental breakfasts, refreshment breaks, and reception (bar is non-hosted). Cancellation Policy: Written cancellations received before Sept. 5, 2007 will be refunded less a $50 administrative fee; no refunds after September 5, 2007.
HOTEL INFORMATION

Embassy Suites Anaheim South
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We have reserved rooms for a special rate of $144 single; $167 double/double per night. Ever stay at an Embassy Suites? They are great for families because each room is a mini-suite and offers a microwave and refrigerator. In addition the hotel has a full breakfast in the morning and a manager’s reception at night.

Disneyland® Park, California Adventure and Downtown Disney are located only one mile from the hotel. There is transportation from the hotel to the park for a modest fee if walking is not an option and you can purchase your Disneyland® tickets directly from the hotel.

Interested in Knott’s Berry Farm? They are located only 7 miles from the hotel.

Be sure to make your reservations by September 4, 2007.