Program objectives

1. Appreciate the latest developments in the diagnosis and management of rheumatoid arthritis.
2. Describe clinical features and complications of rheumatoid arthritis.
3. List the biologic treatment options for rheumatoid arthritis and indications for their use.
4. Explain the role of traditional disease modifying drugs in the treatment of rheumatoid arthritis.
5. Discuss pipeline therapies that hold promise for further improving the care of RA patients.
6. Identify imaging modalities useful in diagnosis and treatment of RA.
7. Review surgical procedures available to address the complications of RA.
8. Verbalize an awareness of the infectious complications of disease-modifying therapy used in RA.
9. Discuss the impact that RA has on cardiovascular (CV) risk and what can be done to prevent CV disease.

Purpose

The overall symposium objective is to clarify the current understanding of rheumatoid arthritis and to outline the clinician’s approach to diagnosis and management of rheumatoid arthritis as an illness.

Target audience

Rheumatologists, nephrologists, orthopedists, radiologists, general practitioners, residents, PAs, PharmDs, APRNs, RNs, LPNs, allied health and medical students

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About

The 2016 symposium continues a 47-year tradition of medical education conferences begun by Harry J. Wisner, MD, Wichita internist and founder of the Kansas Chapter of the Arthritis Foundation.

We gratefully acknowledge the valuable work done in our community by the Arthritis Foundation.
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Guest faculty

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Division of Rheumatology  
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