

AGENDA - Biological Therapies for Rheumatoid Arthritis, Psoriatic Arthritis, Ankylosing Spondylitis, Osteoarthritis: Comparative Effectiveness Based on Treatment Profiles and Guideline Recommendations – September 19, 2015 – Philadelphia, PA		
7:00 AM	Continental Breakfast and Registration	
8:25 AM	Opening Remarks and Introductions	Philip J. Mease, MD
	State of the Art Lectures – RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS	
8:30 AM	Update on European League Against Rheumatism (EULAR) and American College of Rheumatology (ACR) Guidelines in the Treatment of Rheumatoid Arthritis	Roy Fleischmann, MD
9:00 AM	Discuss Optimal Strategy to Monitor Early and Established Patients with Rheumatoid Arthritis Disease Activity and Response to Novel Therapies	Gregg J. Silverman, MD
9:30 AM	Focus on Early Stage Rheumatoid Arthritis: Update on Role of Biosimilars	Jonathan Kay, MD
10:00 AM	Panel Discussion and Case Presentation	Roy Fleischmann, MD/ Gregg J. Silverman, MD/ Jonathan Kay, MD
10:15 AM	BREAK	
	PSORIATIC ARTHRITIS	
10:30 AM	Algorithm for Evaluation and Treatment Options for Patients with Psoriatic Arthritis	Alexis Ogdie-Beatty, MD
11:00 AM	Discuss Optimal Strategy to Monitor Early and Established Patients with Psoriatic Arthritis and Comparative Efficacy and Safety of Biological Therapies	Philip J. Mease, MD
11:30 AM	Panel Discussion and Case Presentation	Alexis Ogdie, MD/Philip J. Mease, MD
	ANKYLOSING SPONDYLITIS	
11:45 AM	New Concepts in the Diagnosis and Treatment of Ankylosing Spondylitis	Muhammad A. Khan, MD
12:15PM	LUNCH	
1:15 PM	Ankylosing Spondylitis: New Perspective in Novel Therapies	TBD
1:45 PM	Panel Discussion and Case Presentation	Muhammad A. Khan, MD/ TBD
	OSTEOARHTIRITS	
2:00 PM	Identify the Key Components in the Pathogenesis of Knee Osteoarthritis: Current Clinical Data and Outcome Associated with the Use of Chondroitin Sulfate and Glucosamine	Marc C. Hochberg, MD
2:30 PM	BREAK	
	SUPPORTIVE CARE ISSUES	
2:45 PM	An Overview on Increased Cardiovascular Risk in Patients with Rheumatoid Arthritis	TBD
3:15 PM	Neurobiology of Central Sensitization in Conditions Such as Rheumatoid arthritis, Osteoarthritis and Ankylosing Spondylitis – How it Influences Standard Outcome Measures?	Philip J. Mease, MD
3:45 PM	Panel Discussion and Case Presentation	Marc C. Hochberg, MD/ TBD/Philip J. Mease, MD
4:00 PM	Closing Remarks and Adjourn	Philip J. Mease, MD