

FREE VIDEO TELECONFERENCE (VTC) !

Trauma and the Geriatric Patient & Anticoagulant Reversal Strategies

Wednesday, October 26, 2016 from 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Each year at least 250,000 older people are hospitalized for hip fractures due to trauma--usually from falling. These falls often result in hip and/or rib fractures, and head injuries. Older adults have more fatal crashes and more traumatic injuries than younger people involved in car accidents. Many older adults have cardiovascular disorders that require the use of anticoagulants. These medications pose a potential risk of excessive bleeding during surgery; therefore the intended effect of these drugs must be reversed.

Expert speakers include:

Kelly Urban, MEd, BSN, RN, CCRN-K, TCRN, Trauma Program Education, Outreach, and Injury Prevention Coordinator at UAMS. Ms. Urban will address trauma prevention and treatment in the geriatric patient.

Gavin Jones, PhD, PharmD, BCPC, Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice at UAMS will share information on anticoagulant reversal strategies in geriatric trauma patients.

FREE CEUs Available: Application for up to 2.0 contact hours for physicians, pharmacists, physical therapists, dietitians, social workers, health educators and long term care providers have been filed with the appropriate accrediting organizations. Determination is pending.

The Center for Distance Health is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. Participation in this educational activity provides up to 2.0 hours of continuing nursing education credit. Attendance at the entire class and completion of an evaluation is required to receive contact hours.

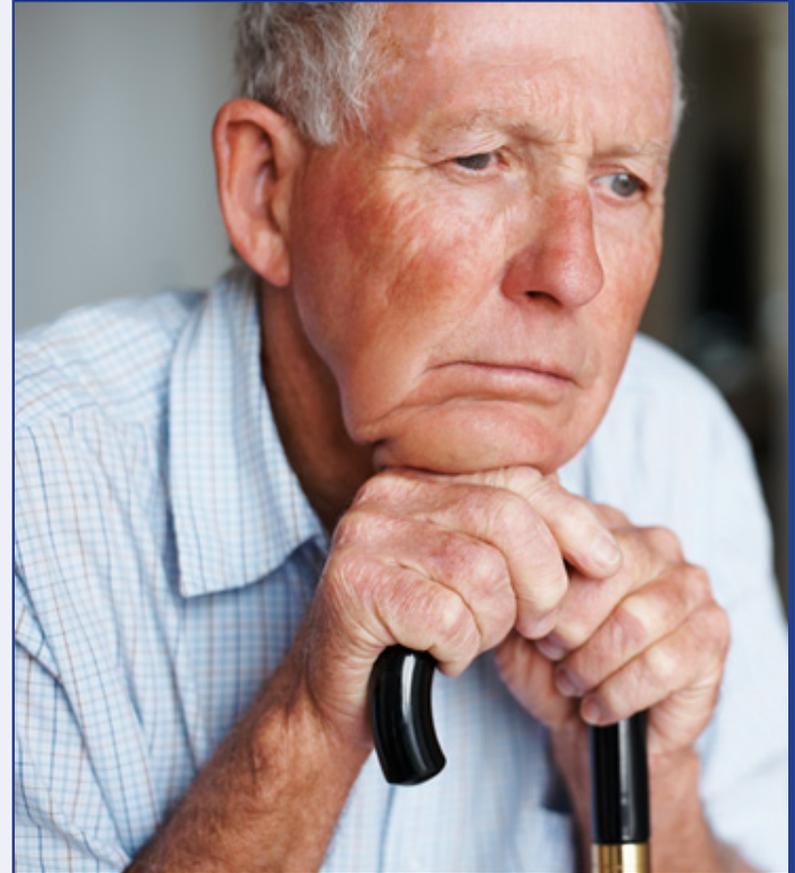
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1) Watch from a computer via UAMS Blackboard Collaborate (<http://agec.us2.list-manage1.com/track/click?u=3f8249c76a84b1819f028d09b&id=a458cabb49&e=c9c6a96c03>)

2) Watch as a group in the Reynolds conference room - 203.