

2024

# TRAUMA SYMPOSIUM

HUNTINGTON CONVENTION CENTER | SEPTEMBER 16, 2024

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
6:30 a.m. – 7:00 a.m.	Registration/Breakfast/Vendors	
7:00 a.m. – 7:15 a.m.	Welcome/Announcements	Dr. Dvorak/D. Rossler
7:15 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.	Geographic Information Systems in Firearm Research; Evidence-Based Firearm Injury Prevention	Dr. Crandall
8:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	Trauma for EMS/ED	Dr. McGonigal
8:45 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	Basic Ballistics, History and the Implications for Civilian Trauma	Dr. Leukhardt
9:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Break/Vendors	
9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Everything You Never Wanted to Know about Burns	Dr. Kohler
10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Pediatrics: The Importance of Parents at the Bedside	Dr. Bacevice
10:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Massive Transfusion in Trauma	Dr. Loudon
11:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Human Trafficking/Opioid Crisis and Where They Intersect	Kristen Hess, Anna Beck
12:00 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.	Networking Lunch/Vendors	
12:45 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Myth Busters	Dr. McGonigal
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Honduras	Dr. Eyman
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Trauma Survivor: September 26, 2023	Jesse Sopko
3:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Closing Statement	Dr. Dvorak and D. Rossler

## PRESENTERS



### ANN MARY BACEVICE, MD, FAAP

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## WELCOME



Thank you for interest in the 14th annual Northern Ohio Trauma System (NOTS) Symposium. The event will be held on September 16th, 2024, in the Huntington Convention Center's Global Center for Health Innovation in downtown Cleveland, with an option to attend virtually. The annual symposium is a collaborative effort of our region's trauma centers to provide education to trauma providers of all levels. The program committee has assembled a regional and national panel of experts to discuss a wide array of trauma topics. Our keynote speaker Dr. Michael McGonigal will provide unique perspective and insights from his more than 20 years as a trauma surgeon and trauma director. We will also hear a courageous story of recovery and

resilience from trauma survivor and paramedic Jesse Sopko. Finally, I would like to recognize and thank our NOTS staff, Danielle Rossler, Sara Arida and Moni James, for their efforts in organizing this annual CME event, as well as our sponsors, without whom we could not provide it. We are excited for you to attend our symposium, whether in-person or virtually, and we hope you find it as valuable as attendees of the past symposiums have.

### JUSTIN DVORAK, MD, FACS

NOTS Medical Director  
Attending Surgeon  
Department of Surgery  
Division of Trauma and Burns  
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## SYMPOSIUM INFORMATION

### WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Physicians, nurses, mid-level and pre-hospital providers, residents and all healthcare providers involved in the care of the trauma patient.

### LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. Evaluation and resuscitation of burns.
2. Assess the importance of patient at the bedside for pediatric patient.
3. Identify new trends in trauma for first responders.

### FACULTY DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

The Cleveland Clinic Center for Continuing Education has implemented a policy to comply with the current Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education Standards for Integrity and Independence requiring mitigation of all faculty conflicts of interest. Faculty declaring a relevant financial relationship will be identified in the activity syllabus.

### AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

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### JOINTLY PROVIDED ACTIVITIES ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

In support of improving patient care, this activity has been planned and implemented by Cleveland Clinic Center for Continuing Education and NOTS. Cleveland Clinic Center for Continuing Education is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the healthcare team.

### PARKING

The nearest available parking is at the Huntington Garage (\$8.00-\$12.00) and the Willard Garage (\$8.00-\$10.00).

\*Parking is not included in the price of registration.

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Cleveland Clinic Center for Continuing Education designates this live activity for a maximum of 7.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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### Certificate of Participation

A certificate of participation will be provided to other healthcare professionals for requesting credits in accordance with their professional boards and/or associations.

## REGISTRATION

### 2024 NOTS TRAUMA SYMPOSIUM PRICING

Category	1-Day	Category	1-Day
In Person	\$75	Day-of Registration	\$100
Virtual	\$50	\$25 fee for cancellation, prior to August 30th.	

Last date for registration is August 23, 2024 at 5pm. No refund after August 30, 2024. If a change request is needed from in person to virtual, a \$25.00 fee may incur (determined at time of request).

Go to [northernohiotraumasystem.com](http://northernohiotraumasystem.com) to register.

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