

*The Society of Nuclear Medicine
New England Chapter
Technologist Section*

***41st Annual
Spring Symposium***

April 9 & 10, 2010

Radisson Hotel Plymouth Harbor
Plymouth, Mass.

*Technologist Program Brochure
&
Student Program Brochure*

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Dates: April 9 & 10, 2010

Location: Radisson Hotel Plymouth Harbor
180 Water St.
Plymouth, Mass. 02360
508-747-4900
508-746-5386 (Fax)
www.radisson.com/plymouthma

Pre-Registration must be postmarked by March 26, 2010.

Technologist and student registration forms are located at the back of this brochure.

Technologist On-Site Registration: Friday, April 9, 2010, 11:00 a.m.
Saturday, April 10, 2010, 7:00 a.m.

Student On-Site Registration: Friday, April 9, 2010, 10:00 a.m.
Saturday, April 10, 2010, 7:00 a.m.

- *Hotel registration must be made by **March 17, 2010** to secure discounted rate.*
- *After **March 17, 2010**, the discounted rate will be subject to availability.*
- ***Pre-Registration** must be postmarked by **March 26, 2010**. Any registration postmarked after **March 26, 2010** will require **On-Site Registration** fees.*

No refunds will be issued after April 2, 2010

ACCOMMODATIONS

A block of rooms have been reserved at the Radisson Hotel Plymouth Harbor, Plymouth Mass. Reservations can be made Monday through Friday from 9:00AM to 5:00PM by calling 1-508-747-4900 and ask for reservations. To receive the discount group rate, attendees must identify themselves with the Society of Nuclear Medicine New England Chapter.

The rate for single or double occupancy is \$95.00 for Thursday night, \$105.00 for Friday night and \$105.00 for Saturday night plus applicable State and local taxes. There is also an additional charge of \$15.00 per person for a third and fourth adult in the room. Free Parking.

Directions:

Radisson Hotel Plymouth Harbor
180 Water Street
Plymouth, MA 02360
508-747-4900

Email: info@radissonplymouth.com

From the North:

- From Route 3 south – take exit 6A (Route 44 east)
- Turn right onto Route 44 (Samoset Street)
- Continue through two sets of traffic lights
- Follow through the small rotary to turn left which puts you onto Water Street
- The Radisson is a hundred yards on the left

From the South:

- From Route 3 north – take exit 6 (Route 44)
- Turn right onto Route 44 (Samoset Street)
- Continue through two sets of traffic lights
- Follow through the small rotary to turn left which puts you onto Water Street
- The Radisson is a hundred yards on the left

From Boston Logan International Airport

- Take I-93 south to Route 3 south
- Take exit 6A (Route 44 east)
- Continue through two sets of traffic lights
- Follow through the small rotary to turn left which puts you onto Water Street
- The Radisson is a hundred yards on the left

From New York/Connecticut/Providence

- Take I-95 north to I-495 south (towards Taunton)
- Take Route 44 east to Route 3 south
- Take exit 6A (Route 44 east)
- Continue through two sets of traffic lights
- Follow through the small rotary to turn left which puts you onto Water Street
- The Radisson is a hundred yards on the left

Approximate mileage to Plymouth, Mass.

From Boston, Mass.	42 mi.	From Albany, NY	215 mi.
From Providence, RI	50 mi.	From New York, NY	212 mi.
From Hartford, Ct.	106 mi.	From Portland, Me.	160 mi.

VOICE Credits

CE credit will be given for each scientific session. Attendance during at least 80% of an instructional hour is mandatory. Sign-in sheets will be available at the registration booth. **Participants must be signed in each day.** Credit cannot be recorded on your VOICE transcript without a VOICE membership number. If you are a member in good standing of the Society of Nuclear Medicine Technologist Section or VOICE tracking program, you must leave your Verification form at the attendance desk for delivery to the SNM for VOICE tracking. Your voice certificate will be mailed to you after the meeting for your records. If you are not a member of the Society of Nuclear Medicine, you must retain your own VOICE credit reporting form for your records.

Friday, April 9, 2010

Student Program

Mayflower Room

Faculty Advisor - Richard T. Serino, M.Ed., CNMT

Moderators – Laura Quillia & Ricardo Hidalgo

10:00 am	On-Site Registration Opens
10:20-10:30 am	Welcome & Overview Tony Sicignano, BS, CNMT, RT (N) Educator's Committee Chair - NECTS
<i>Registry Review</i>	
10:30-11:30 am	Radiopharmacy Richard T. Serino, M.Ed., CNMT
11:30-12:15 pm	Lunch (for Registry Review attendees only)
12:15-1:15 pm	Procedures Leo Nalivaika, MBA, CNMT, NCT
1:15-2:00 pm	Instrumentation Stephanie Rhymer, BS, CNMT, RT (N)
2:00-2:30 pm	Coffee Break - Duxbury Room
2:30-3:00 pm	Radiation Safety Cathy Coleman, BS, CNMT
3:00-3:15 pm	NMTCB Exam Overview David Gilmore, MS, CNMT, NCT, RT(R) (N)
3:15-4:00 pm	Mock Exam
4:00-4:30 pm	Mock Exam Review Richard T. Serino, M.Ed., CNMT
4:30-5:30 pm	Break
5:30-7:00 pm	Vendor Reception - Duxbury Room

Saturday, April 10, 2010

Student Program

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Nuclear Medicine Technology Students will present a variety of Scientific Papers. All students participating will receive a certificate as a token of appreciation.

Student Scientific Presentations

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| 7:00 am | On-Site Registration Opens |
| 7:30-8:15 am | All talks to be downloaded to laptop |
| 8:15-8:20 am | Welcome & Overview
Tony Sicignano, BS, CNMT, RT (N)
Educator's Committee Chair - NECTS |
| 8:20-8:30 am | President's Welcome
Kathleen M. Krisak, BS, CNMT, FSNMTS
President - NECTS |
| 8:30-11:30 am | Student Presentations |
| 11:30-12:00 pm | Awards Presentations |
| 12:30-4:15 pm | Lunch (included in fee)
<i>Presenting students may join Technologist Program</i> |

Friday, April 9, 2010

Technologist Program

Plymouth/Kingston Room

11:00 am **On-Site Registration Opens**

12:00 pm **Vendor Area Opens - *Duxbury Room***

General Session

11:50-12:00 pm **Welcome**
Kathleen M. Krisak, BS, CNMT, FSNMTS
President - NECTS

12:00-1:00 pm **Aseptic Technique for Nuclear Medicine Technologists**
Michele P Egberts, BS, CNMT, RT (N)

1:00-2:00 pm **Investing in Turbulent Times**
Jeanne Beretta, JD MetLife
Larry Mann, Investment Advisor MetLife

2:00-2:30 pm **Coffee Break - *Duxbury Room***

2:30-3:30 pm **Pitfalls and Considerations for a Career in Healthcare Management**
Joe Phillips, MBA, CNMT, RT (N)

3:30-4:30 pm **Practical Brain Imaging**
Dr. John Vento

4:30-5:30 pm **The Next Step in Molecular Imaging**
David Gilmore, MS, CNMT, NCT, RT(R) (N)

5:30-7:00 pm **Vendor Reception - *Duxbury Room***

Saturday, April 10, 2010

Technologist Program

Plymouth/Kingston Room

7am-8am **Past Presidents Breakfast Meeting - Boardroom**

7:00 am **On-Site Registration Opens**

7:00-8:00 am **Continental Breakfast**

General Session

8:00-9:00 am **Succeeding in Tough Times**
Andrew Savo, BS

9:00-10:00 am **Breast Scintigraphy - Considerations and Trends**
Alison Lampke, MHA, CNMT

10:00-10:30 am **Coffee Break - Duxbury Room**

10:30-11:30 am **PET Bone Imaging with F-18 Sodium Fluoride**
Joe Cascone, BS, CNMT

11:30-12:30 pm **Global Mo99/TC99m-Supply Chain Logistics**
Mark A. Alessi, BS, CNMT

12:30-1:15 pm **Lunch and Vendor Raffle**

1:15-2:15 pm **Challenges and Rewards for Nuclear Medicine Technologists in the Field of Research**
Jane Bartosik, BS, CNMT, RT (N)

2:15-3:15 pm **Cardiac PET - 2010**
April Mann, BA, CNMT, NCT, RT (N), FSNMSTS

3:15-4:15 pm **Hybrid Imaging, Past, Present and Future**
Martha Burke-Wilson, CNMT, RT (N) (CT)

Faculty

Mark A. Alessi, BS, CNMT

Senior Account Manager
Covidien Pharmaceuticals
Alden, NY

Jane Bartosik, CNMT, RT (N)

Staff Research Technologist
Molecular NeuroImaging
New Haven, CT

Jeanine M, Beratta, JD

Financial Planner /Functional Manager-Training
MetLife
Holyoke, MA

Martha Burke-Wilson, CNMT, RT (N) (CT)

Staff Technologist
Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center
Boston, MA

Joseph Cascone, BS, CNMT

Territory Sales Manager
PETNET Solutions
New Milford, CT

Cathy Coleman, BS, CNMT

Program Director
Briarwood College School of Nuclear Medicine Technology
Southington, CT

Michele P. Egberts, BS, CNMT, RT (N)

Radiation Safety & Regulatory Compliance Officer
Nuclear Diagnostics Products
Cherry Hill, NJ

David Gilmore, MS, CNMT, NCT, RT(R) (N)

Program Director
Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center
School of Nuclear Medicine Technology
Boston, MA

Faculty

Alison Lampke, MHA, CNMT

Operations Manager, Nuclear Medicine
Lahey Clinic
Burlington, MA

April Mann, BA, CNMT, NCT, RT (N), FSNMITS

Manager, Non-Invasive Cardiology
Hartford Hospital
Hartford, CT

Larry Mann

Investment Advisor Representative
MetLife

Leo Nalivaika, MBA, CNMT, NCT

National Council Representative - NECTS
Historian Emeritus - NECTS
Educational Coordinator/Clinical Instructor
UMASS Medical Center/Worcester State College
Worcester, MA

Joseph M. Phillips, MBA, CNMT, RT (N)

Director of Imaging Services
Southwestern Vermont Healthcare
Bennington, VT

Stephanie Rhymer, BS, CNMT, RT (N)

Secretary - NECTS
Clinical Coordinator and Faculty Associate
Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences
Boston, MA

Andrew Savo, BS

Senior Imaging Specialist
GE Healthcare
Waterbury, CT

Faculty

Richard T. Serino, M.Ed., CNMT

Chairperson- Medical Imaging
Springfield Technical Community College
Springfield, MA

Tony Sicignano, BS, CNMT, RT (N)

41st Annual Symposium Program Coordinator
President-Elect - NECTS
Educator's Committee Chair - NECTS
Hospital of St. Raphael
New Haven, CT

Dr. John Vento

UCONN Medical Center
Farmington, CT

Exhibitors

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ASTELLAS

BRACCO

CARDINAL HEALTH

COVIDIEN

GE HEALTH CARE

IBA MOLECULAR

JRT ASSOCIATES

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NORTHEAST ELECTRONICS

PETNET SOLUTIONS

PHILIPS MEDICAL SYSTEMS

SIEMENS MEDICAL SOLUTIONS

SPECTRUM PHARMACEUTICALS

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Technologist - Registration Form (PLEASE PRINT)

Name _____
(Include Degree/Certification)

Mailing Address _____

City/ State/Zip _____

Daytime Telephone () _____

SNM Member Number _____ Email _____
(Needed for registration)

Please Check Appropriate Box

Pre-Registration Fees by 3/26/10	One Day	Two Day
	<i>Circle One</i>	
Technologist, SNM Member	<u>Fri or Sat</u> \$50	_____ \$80
Technologist, Non SNM Member	<u>Fri or Sat</u> \$150	_____ \$200

On Site Registration Fees after 3/26/2010

Technologist, SNM Member	<u>Fri or Sat</u> \$75	_____ \$100
Technologist, Non SNM Member	<u>Fri or Sat</u> \$200	_____ \$250

All fees include handouts, coffee breaks, continental breakfast and boxed lunch on Saturday.

____ If you have a disability, requiring special accommodations, please check here and advise us of your needs at least two weeks in advance of the program.

Sorry, but there will be no refunds after April 2, 2010

Cash or Check only Accepted NO CREDIT CARDS

Please make checks payable to- **New England Chapter, SNM** and mail to:

Tony Sicignano BS, CNMT, RT (N)

14 Dunham Drive

Guilford, Conn. 06437

Any questions please check our web page at www.nects.org

Or contact Tony Sicignano at tsicignano@srhs.org

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Student - Registration Form (PLEASE PRINT & answer all questions)

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Daytime Telephone () _____ Fax () _____

SNM # _____ Email _____

School Name _____

Are you presenting? Yes _____ No _____ Oral _____ Poster _____

Are you attending:

The Registry Review on Friday? Yes _____ No _____

The Student Presentations on Saturday? Yes _____ No _____

The Technologist Program? Yes _____ No _____ on Friday (all day)

Yes _____ No _____ on Saturday (all day)

Yes _____ No _____ on Saturday (after student talks)

Please Check ALL Appropriate Boxes

Students Pre-Registration by 3/26/10 One Day (\$15.00) ___ Two Day (\$25.00) ___

Students On-Site Registration after 3/26/10 One Day (\$25.00) ___ Two Day (\$35.00) ___

Presenting students: Is Hotel Room needed for Friday night? Yes _____ No _____

Any student (presenting or non-presenting) requiring a hotel room must call hotel to reserve a room.

*Friday's fee includes handouts, coffee breaks and lunch for **only** those attending the Registry Review.*

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