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Safety

IN SPINE SURGERY SUMMIT

Transforming Patient Care and Optimizing Outcomes

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An **ESSENTIAL** program for:

- Spine surgeons
- Surgical spine team members
- Hospital execs responsible for patient safety

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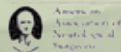
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**CALL FOR
 ABSTRACTS:**
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GUEST LECTURER

General Stanley A. McChrystal

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Craig Albanese, MD
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 Nick Fletcher, MD
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Faculty subject to change.

Dear Colleague:

First do no harm! It's an admonition that all medical professionals strive to follow. Yet statistics still show unacceptably high numbers of medical and surgical errors. Sadly, these errors often cause human suffering, damage the reputation of the medical community, and increase costs.

However, we can make a difference! You're invited to attend the *Safety in Spine Surgery Summit* to learn about the numerous safety and quality advances that are being made in our field. During one day of sessions, you'll hear from a diverse faculty about tips and tools that can help us all improve patient care. Our 2018 theme is: *"Toward New Rules of Engagement for an Increasingly Complex Spine World."*

You won't want to miss our keynote lecture on "Team of Teams" by General Stanley A. McChrystal, a four-star general and one-of-a-kind commander with a remarkable record of achievement. General McChrystal is widely praised for revolutionizing the way military agencies interact and operate. He will share his field-tested leadership lessons, stressing a uniquely inclusive model that focuses on building teams capable of relentlessly pursuing results.

Spine surgeons, members of spine surgery teams, OR directors, hospital executives, and more will benefit from this program, and *most importantly, so will all of our patients.* Please plan on joining us in April in New York. The 2016 & 2017 Summit were sold out with a waiting list, so don't delay; register today!

Warmly,

Michael G. Vitale, MD

CHAIRMAN

John M. Flynn, MD, Lawrence G. Lenke, MD, Paul C. McCormick, MD, Rajiv K. Sethi, MD

CO-CHAIRMEN

Who

SHOULD ATTEND

- ▶ Spine surgeons, fellows, and residents
- ▶ Pre-op to recovery spine surgery team members
 - o Nurses
 - o PAs
 - o Neuro monitoring
 - o Anesthesia techs
 - o OR techs
- ▶ OR management personnel
- ▶ Hospital quality and safety personnel
- ▶ Hospital leadership responsible for Spine Service

Course Objectives

At the completion of the program, participants should be able to:

- 1 Discuss strategies and techniques for enhancing safety during the pre, intra, and post-surgical stages of spine surgery.
- 2 Describe how the development of specific culture and team characteristics can be used to enhance safety in spine surgery.
- 3 Discuss macro trends within healthcare and their potential impact on patient safety.



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Toward New Rules of Engagement for an Increasingly Complex Spine World

7:00 AM Registration & Continental Breakfast

7:25 Welcome

Part I: Surgeons Fixing Problems

SESSION 1: Optimizing Self for Patient Safety

8:00 Combating Physician Burnout to Improve Patient Care and Safety

8:16 Performance

8:32 Discussion

SESSION 2: Optimizing (or Firing) Your “Host” Before Surgery

8:45 Caveat Emptor: Ways to Avoid Trouble in the Complex Kid

8:58 Strategies to Optimize Your Patient and The Ethics of Saying “No” to Your Adult Patient

9:11 Discussion

SESSION 3: Judgment and Planning:

Measure Twice, Cut Once

“Enabling Technologies”: Making Spine Care Better?

9:23 Preop Software Planning / Prebent Rods

9:36 Navigation

9:49 MIS or Robotics

10:02 Discussion

SESSION 4: Optimizing Execution through Evidence and Standardization

10:15 Avoidance of Catastrophic Intraop Events

10:27 Checklists to Make Your Spine OR Better

10:40 Optimal DVT/PE Prophylaxis after Spine Surgery

10:53 Discussion

11:04 How to Save Lives through Smarter Opioid Use

11:17 Safety and Quality Tips for the Cervical Spine

11:30 The Truth about BMP

11:43 Discussion

Part II:

How the Wisdom of the Crowd, Dedicated Teams, and Standard Work Make Care Better

SESSION 5: Importance of (and Challenges Developing) Teams

11:54 Using CUSP to Build Team

12:07 PM Developing Dedicated Spine Teams: Lessons Learned

12:20 Q & A: Challenges of Implementation

12:36 Acknowledgment of Supporters

12:40 Lunch

SESSION 6: Free Papers/Abstracts

1:25 Free Papers & Best Paper Award

SESSION 7: Building Culture

1:55 Panel: How to Make the Team “Row in the Same Direction”



SESSION 8: Keynote Speaker

2:25 Team of Teams—
General Stanley A. McChrystal

GEN. STANLEY A. MCCRYSTAL

Former Commander of U.S. and International Forces in Afghanistan, Author of Bestsellers *Team of Teams* and *My Share of the Task*, and Founder of the McChrystal Group

Four-star strategy lessons. When old systems fall short, McChrystal believes true leaders must look for ways to innovate and change. Citing stories from his career, he reveals a four-star management strategy, concentrating on openness, teamwork, and forward-thinking.

Part III: The Macroeconomic Picture

SESSION 9: The Value of Spine Study Groups and Registries

3:15 Making Data Visible to Drive Change: The HSG Experience

3:27 Discussion

SESSION 10: Value in Spine Care

3:38 Ambulatory Surgical Centers: Safety Considerations

3:51 APM, P4P, and Employee Contracting

4:04 Discussion

4:15 Closing Remarks

4:20 Adjourn

PHYSICIAN ACCREDITATION AND CREDIT DESIGNATION

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Meeting Location, Hotel, and Registration

LOCATION

All meeting sessions will be held at:

The Heart Conference Center

173 Fort Washington Avenue
New York, NY 10463

Shuttle service for participants will run between the meeting hotel (The Warwick—see below) and The Heart Conference Center prior to the start of the meeting and at the end of the meeting. Further details will be provided in registration confirmation materials.

HOTEL

Participants are invited to stay at **The Warwick New York Hotel**, an elegant hotel located close to Central Park in Midtown.



HOTEL RESERVATIONS

- ▶ ROOM RATES: **\$285** (plus tax)
- ▶ CALL: **(212) 247-2700** or
TOLL FREE: (800) 223-4099
- ▶ ONLINE: Use the link on our website at:
www.Broad-Water.com/event/SpineSafety

State that you are attending the **“Spine Safety”** meeting to receive the special room rates.

Book by **March 7, 2018** to receive the discounted rates! ***Space will fill rapidly.***

REGISTRATION

Fast, Easy, and Secure Online Registration:



**www.RegOnline.com/
SafetyinSpine2018**

Register early as the limited space will fill very rapidly!

SURGEONS	\$575
FELLOWS/RESIDENTS/ALLIED HEALTH	\$375
HEALTHCARE ADMINISTRATION, CORPORATE PERSONNEL	\$675
LATE REGISTRATION FEE (AFTER MARCH 30)	\$50

- ▶ Registration fee includes continental breakfast, breaks, lunch, and meeting materials.

QUESTIONS: Please call BroadWater at (630) 681-1040.

Call for Abstracts!

A select number of abstracts will be presented as Free Papers at the *3rd Annual Safety in Spine Surgery Summit*, and the top ranked Best Paper will receive a \$500 award. Submit your research for consideration in one of the following categories:

ABSTRACT CATEGORIES

- ▶ Quality
- ▶ Safety
- ▶ Value
- ▶ Throughput
- ▶ Satisfaction
- ▶ Miscellaneous

DATES AND DEADLINES

Call for Abstracts closes February 9, 2018

Authors notified of results March 6, 2018

Presenter registration deadline March 15, 2018

Submit online via the link at
www.broad-water.com/event/SpineSafety.

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The course chairmen reserve the right to refuse admission to anyone whose presence is considered to be incompatible with course objectives.

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