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“Axial Spondyloarthritis: Why should the internists care”

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UArizona College of Medicine – Tucson
Lecture Hall, Room 5403
1501 N. Campbell Ave., Tucson, AZ 85721
Noon – 1:00 pm | Wednesday, Dec. 13, 2023

– A light lunch will be served –

About the Presenter: A professor in the Division of Arthritis & Rheumatic Diseases at the Oregon Health & Science University in Portland, Dr. Atul Deodhar has been a principal or co-investigator in over 100 clinical trials. His research interests are axial spondyloarthritis, which affects joints in your chest, spine and pelvis, and psoriatic arthritis, which is linked with psoriasis – a chronic skin and nail disease. He’s on the steering committee of the Group for the Research and Assessment of Psoriasis and Psoriatic Arthritis (GRAPPA) and is a past-chair of SPARTAN, an organization of North American rheumatologists focused on axial spondyloarthritis. He served numerous roles with the American College of Rheumatology and the Association of Health Professionals in Rheumatology as well as on the Rheumatology Board of the American Board of Internal Medicine. With three books, over 300 peer-reviewed articles, several book chapters and multiple editorials to his credit Dr. Deodhar is also editor-in-chief of Best Practices & Research: Clinical Rheumatology and was a guest editor or reviewer for several other prominent medical journals.



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Learning Objectives:

1. Diagnose a variety of internal medicine illnesses
2. Understand more clearly advances in therapy
3. Become truly professional physicians

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