Neurology Grand Rounds
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8:00 to 9:00 AM
Onstead Auditorium
Mitchell Basic Science Research Building

Autophagy: a novel therapeutic target for Parkinson’s disease

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Objectives:
At the end of this program, participants should be able to:
- understand the causes and pathogenesis of Parkinson’s disease;
- recognize two most important protein degradation pathways: ubiquitin-proteasome system (UPS) and autophagy-lysosome pathway (ALP) related to Parkinson’s disease; and
- be aware of the role of autophagy lysosome pathway as a potential therapeutic target for Parkinson’s disease.

References:

Target Audience, Needs, Educational Methods, Activity Evaluation:
Physicians, residents, fellows, and other healthcare professionals need to be updated about new advances in the clinical and research areas for the diagnosis, treatment, and management of patients with neurological disorders. Educational methods will include lectures, case presentations, audio/video presentations, and questions & answer sessions. Participants will be asked to complete an activity evaluation.

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