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Current Concepts in Spinal Oncology



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Webinar Description

Michael Galgano, MD, FAANS, will focus on differentiating the various types of spinal tumors, ranging from metastases, to primary vertebral column tumors, and intradural spinal cord tumors. He will discus the contributions of co-morbidities and frailty on the management of patients with spinal tumors. He will also aim to give the audience a brief exposure to the surgical management of spinal oncology, and what is entailed to execute robust local control.

Learning Objectives

- Understand the different management strategies for spinal cord & vertebral body tumors as they relate to location, neurological exam, histology, and overall prognosis
- Identify the main differences in the treatment of primary and metastatic spinal tumors
- Recognize the multifaceted process of executing a patient-specific treatment plan for individuals with spinal tumors
- Describe the contribution of co-morbidities and frailty to the management of patients with spinal tumors

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