

LIFE AFTER STROKE

Stroke Survivor & Caregiver Symposium

Presented by

*American Stroke Association, a division of the American Heart Association
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Rusk Institute of Rehabilitation Medicine and Hospital for Joint Diseases Orthopaedic Institute

10:00 - 10:20	Registration	
10:20 - 10:30	Welcome / Resources	American Stroke Association
10:30 - 11:00	Stroke: An Overview	Maria Brilliant, MA, RN , Admin. Nursing Coordinator <i>NYU Comprehensive Stroke Care Center</i>
11:00 - 11:30	Secondary Stroke Prevention	Keith Siller, MD <i>Director, NYU Stroke Care Center</i>
11:30 - 12:00	Cognitive and Emotional Changes Following Stroke	Patrick Swift, PhD , Director of Neuropsychology <i>for Brain Injury Unit, Hospital for Joint Diseases</i>
	The Management of Changes Following Stroke	Frank Padrone, PhD , Asst. Dept. Head of Psychology, <i>Rusk Institute of Rehabilitation Medicine</i>
12:00 - 12:30	Communication Disorders Secondary to Stroke	Martha Taylor Sarno, MA, MD (hon) , Dir., Speech <i>Language Pathology, Rusk Institute of Rehab Medicine</i>
12:30 - 1:20	Light Lunch	
1:20 - 1:40	Stroke: The Personal Experience	Dr. Mark Ragucci, DO, MS <i>Clinician and Patient</i>
1:40 - 2:00	Skills for Life After a Stroke	Rachel Feld-Glazman, MS, OTR/L , <i>Neuro Rehab Clinical Specialist</i>
2:00 - 2:20	The Role of PT in Recovery After Stroke	Irene Ward, PT., D.P.T <i>Clinical Specialist of Adult Rehabilitation Rusk Institute of Rehabilitation</i>
2:20 - 2:30	Break	
2:30 - 2:50	The Role of Physiatry in Stroke Rehabilitation	Ira Rashbaum, MD, FAAPMR <i>Director of Stroke Unit, Rusk Institute of Rehab Medicine</i>
2:50 - 3:25	Role of Attorney in Protecting Wishes, Assets and Loved Ones	Janet Slavin, Doctorate of Law <i>Law Firm of Janet Slavin (NYC & LI)</i>
3:25 - 3:35	Evaluation & Adjournment	

Registration Form

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Stroke Survivor & Caregiver Educational Seminar

Tuesday, December 6, 2005

Please respond by November 28, 2005

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone #: _____

E-Mail: _____

Please check the box that applies to you:

Patient: Under 40 40-60 60+

Able to Walk Yes No

Have you previously received rehabilitation services?
 Yes No

How long ago was your stroke? _____

Caregiver: Under 40 40-60 60+

If You Are a Health Professional:

Specify title: _____

Hospital: _____

Mail/Fax Registration to:

American Heart Association/NYC

Attn: Diana Mero

122 East 42nd Street, New York, NY 10168

Fax: (212) 878-5970

If you have questions, call: (212) 878-5947

Did You Know?

- Every 45 seconds, someone in America has a stroke.....
- About 4,700,000 stroke survivors are alive today.

Rehabilitation is an important part of recovery for stroke survivors. The effects of stroke may mean that you must change, relearn or redefine how you live. Stroke rehabilitation can help you return to independent living.

Join us for an educational seminar to learn about the changes associated with stroke. Gain knowledge about things that can help you as you recover and live your new life. Registration is required.

The American Stroke Association's ***Stroke Family Support Network*** is a toll-free service offering referrals and information to stroke survivors, caregivers, family members, and healthcare professionals. To reach them, call
1-888-4-STROKE (478-7653)

For more information visit:
www.strokeassociation.org

Directions

**NYU Medical Center, Farkas Auditorium
550 First Avenue, New York, NY 10016**

BY BUS

The M15 bus on First Ave. in Manhattan it stops directly in front of the Skirball Institute..

The M34 bus at **Penn Station (34th St. & 8th Ave.)** goes east on 34th St. in Manhattan, it stops in front NYU Medical Center on 34th St. and 1st Ave one block from Skirball Institute.

The M16 bus at the **Port Authority Bus Terminal (42nd St. & 8th Ave.)** directly connects with the NYU Medical Center 34th St. bus stop.

BY SUBWAY

At Park Ave., the IRT No. 6 train to 33rd Street

Grand Central Terminal at 42nd St. between Lexington Ave. and Park Ave.

BY CAR

From Brooklyn and Staten Island

Via the Williamsburg Bridge, Manhattan Bridge, Brooklyn Bridge or Brooklyn-Battery Tunnel
Exit onto the FDR Drive. Take the FDR Drive north to 34th St. (left exit).

From the Bronx

Via the Triboro Bridge-Exit onto the FDR Drive south (downtown, left exit). Take the FDR Drive south to the 34th St. exit.

From Queens and Long Island

Via the Triboro Bridge- Exit onto the FDR Drive south (downtown, left exit). Take the FDR Drive south to the 34th St. exit.

Via Queens-Midtown Tunnel-Upon exiting from the tunnel make a left onto 2nd Ave. to 34 & make left to 1st Ave.

Paid Parking is available in nearby garages:

Health Care Center (530 First Avenue) which is about 50 feet from 30th St. on the right hand side, just north of the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner. The Kips Bay Garage is on the left hand side of First Ave. just south 33rd St.

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