



The **Spondyloarthritis Research Consortium of Canada (SPARCC)** is a collaborative trans-disciplinary national research program linking SPARCC investigators across the country into an effective research network to apply state-of-the-art methodologies of basic and clinical research, and address the important gaps in existing knowledge in spondyloarthritis (SpA). SPARCC aims to improve the health of SpA patients in Canada by better defining, diagnosing, and predicting the course of the two prevalent sub-sets of SpA i.e. **ankylosing spondylitis (AS) and psoriatic arthritis (PsA)**.

SPARCC is hosting a training workshop entitled **“Optimal Management of Spondyloarthritis (SpA)”** in VIRTUAL format via ZOOM webinar and you are cordially invited; details below. This is a FREE event to selected invitees nationwide, and accreditation through a Royal College accredited CPD provider is underway; full details will be disseminated to registrants as it becomes available.

The objective of this workshop is to share the strategies used by SPARCC in the diagnosis and treatment of patients with AS and PsA, and will provide current updates in diagnostics, classification and concepts, treatment recommendations as well as extra articular manifestations of SpA. Speakers for this event are world-renowned multi-disciplinary experts in SpA and related fields.

“OPTIMAL MANAGEMENT OF SPONDYLOARTHRITIS (SpA)”

Date : Friday, May 21, 2021

Time : 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM (EASTERN STANDARD TIME)

Format : VIRTUAL (ZOOM Webinar)

Pre-registration is required using the link below.

Link: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/sparcc-cme-workshop-on-spa-tickets-136993147191?aff>

Once registered, you will be provided an email confirmation closer to event date along with the program, with a link to the ZOOM platform in order to participate.

If you have further questions related to this event, please contact the SPARCC Administrative office below:

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