



## 2022 Stroke Awareness Month EMS Lecture Series

<p><b>May 4<sup>th</sup> 12-1 pm EST</b> (11 am-12 pm CST)</p>	<p><b>EMS: The Critical Link</b> Presented by: Harold Brown, BSN, RN &amp; Casey Okong’o, MSN, RN, SCRNP <i>Nurse Educators, SCN</i> Upon completion of this activity, participants will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recognize utilization of standardized tools to maximize the identification and triage of stroke</li> <li>• Assess prehospital strategies that can optimize stroke patient outcomes</li> <li>• Verbalize key elements of the EMS report that are vital to care decisions in the ED</li> <li>• Discuss the options for stroke intervention and associated time windows</li> </ul>
<p><b>May 11<sup>th</sup> 12-1 pm EST</b> (11 am-12 pm CST)</p>	<p><b>Strengthening the Critical Link with Communication</b> Presented by: Margie Campbell, BSN, RN &amp; Tammy Watts, RN <i>Stroke Program Coordinator &amp; Stroke PI Coordinator, UK HealthCare</i> Upon completion of this activity, participants will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discuss the importance of EMS in the stroke alert process</li> <li>• Identify ways to strengthen EMS role in the stroke alert process</li> <li>• Describe the importance of feedback to our EMS partners</li> </ul>
<p><b>May 18<sup>th</sup> 12-1 pm EST</b> (11 am-12 pm CST)</p>	<p><b>Stroke vs. Stroke Mimics</b> Presented by: Bryan Eckerle, MD, MSc <i>Neurologist, Norton Healthcare</i> Upon completion of this activity, participants will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Describe clinical syndromes that mimic stroke but are not stroke</li> <li>• Identify clinical syndromes that actually represent stroke but may present initially as suspicious for alternate pathology</li> <li>• Describe the practical relevance of rapid identification of mimics and chameleons</li> </ul>
<p><b>May 25<sup>th</sup> 12-1 pm EST</b> (11 am-12 pm CST)</p>	<p><b>Coverdell Stroke Strategies/Resources for EMS</b> Presented by: Lacy Shumway, BA <i>Coverdell Grant Manager, UK HealthCare</i> Upon completion of this activity, participants will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Explain the purpose of the Coverdell Grant</li> <li>• Describe the importance of EMS in the Stroke System of Care chain</li> <li>• Illustrate how increased clinical based knowledge can improve stroke runs for EMS</li> </ul>

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<https://scnetwork.ukhc.org/2022-stroke-awareness-month/>  
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