

MCV Hospitals and Physicians

Department of Surgery Grand Rounds

December 2007

7:00 – 8:00 am

George Ben Johnston Auditorium

Dec. 6 **“Quality and Safety at VCUHS....Moving Forward**
Ralph R. Clark, MD, Associate Dean Clinical Activities

At the conclusion of this activity, participants should be able to:

- 1) Explain the impact of adverse outcomes on patients and families
- 2) Identify opportunities to improve patient safety
- 3) Outline 12 core practices to improve patient safety

Dec. 13 **“Current State of the Art Wound Management: It’s No Longer Wet to Dry Gauze...”**
Andrea L. Pozez, MD, Professor of Surgery; Chairman, Division of Plastic Surgery

At the conclusion of this activity, participants should be able to:

- 1) Apply an understanding of the concept of Wound Bed Preparation
- 2) Outline an approach to problem solving in Complex Wounds
- 3) Explain new tools, new technologies, and future perspectives in Wound Management

Dec. 20 **“The Evolution of Vascular Grafts”**
Joel A. Berman, MD, Associate Professor, Division of Vascular Surgery

At the conclusion of this activity, participants should be able to:

- 1) Outline a brief history of the development of vascular grafts
- 2) Explain common complications associated with vascular grafting
- 3) Identify changes impacting current practice approaches to grafting in vascular surgery

Dec. 27 **NO GRAND ROUNDS – NO CME OFFERED**

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