

CME INFORMATION

**Physicians' Research Network Meeting: November 11, 2020, jointly provided by the Medical Society of the State of New York
7:00 PM -- 9:00 PM (EST), Webinar via Zoom video conferencing platform**

Target Audience: Physicians, Nurse Practitioners, and Physician Assistants caring for people at risk for, or infected with HIV and/or viral hepatitis.

Course Director: James F. Braun, DO, President, Physicians' Research Network, 545 West 45th St., 9th Fl., New York, NY 10036

Moderator: William M. Valenti, MD, Chair, Infectious Diseases Committee of the Medical Society of the State of New York

Faculty Introductions and Disclosures: Dr. Valenti

Guest Speakers and Presentations: Dr. Gandhi at 7:00 PM (EST) – Dr. Brown at 8:00 PM (EST)

Multidimensional Challenge of COVID-19: Including COVID-19 and HIV

Rajesh T. Gandhi, MD
Professor of Medicine, Harvard Medical School
Director of HIV Clinical Services and Education
Clinical Research Site leader, AIDS Clinical Trials Group
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Learning Objectives:

At the completion of this program, participants will be able to:

1. Describe the major clinical manifestations of COVID-19.
2. List considerations in treating a person with COVID-19.
3. Summarize current understanding of COVID-19 in people with HIV.

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Controversies in Testosterone Treatment 2020 in Cisgender and Transgender Men

Todd T. Brown, MD, PhD
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Learning Objectives:

At the completion of this program, participants will be able to:

1. Understand the potential risks and benefits of testosterone treatment in the older cisgender male.
2. Be familiar with the findings of the T Trials and the clinical questions that still remain.
3. Understand what is known about the risks of testosterone for gender-affirming therapy in transgender men.

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