

# Roadmap to Recovery

Restoring Life after  
Surviving Brain Injury



**Wednesday, April 10, 2024**

8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Lunch provided

**Cleveland Clinic Akron General  
Health & Wellness Center, Bath**

Summit 1 & 2 Conference Rooms, 2nd Floor  
4125 Medina Road, Akron, OH 44333

This conference and continuing medical education (CME/CE) event will explore both the immediate and long-term care needs of the traumatic brain injury (TBI) patient population. Special focus will be placed on the role of neurosurgical and primary care physician followup. It will also explore the need to connect survivors and their care partners to legal, vocational and psychological support services in their communities.

**Target audience:** Primary care physicians, PTs, SLPs, OTs, psychologists, nurses, counseling/social workers, service and support administrators, recreational therapist and attorneys

**Registration Fee:** \$10



Scan this  
QR code to  
register now!



## Faculty

**DeAnna Frye, Ph.D.**  
Neuropsychologist

Cleveland Clinic General Health &  
Wellness Center, Akron

**Anthony A. Hayek, D.O.**  
Medical Director

Cleveland Clinic Rehabilitation  
Hospital, Edwin Shaw

**Lauren E. Holly, CMC**  
Executive Director

Brain Injury Association of Ohio

**Enyinna L. Nwachuku, M.D.**  
Director of Neurotrauma

Cleveland Clinic Foundation

**Ameya D. Joshi, M.D.**  
Associate Staff Physician

Neurological Institute at Cleveland Clinic

**Eric S. McDaniel, Esq.**  
Attorney & Managing Partner

Malyuk McDaniel Kasper, LLC

**Steven A. Richman, M.D.**  
Physician Director of Quality & Safety

Cleveland Clinic Rehabilitation  
Hospital, Edwin Shaw

**Allison Esber, LISW-S**  
Network Success Manager

Unite Us

**John Ballard**  
Executive Director

Tri-County Independent Living Center

## Conference Objectives:

1. State the roles of neurosurgery, physiatry and internal medicine in the inpatient acute settings for individuals with TBI
2. Understand the referral process and services provided to help continue the TBI patient's recovery post discharge
3. Identify the names of community organizations and how to make a referral for services

## Session Objectives:

### Session Title: Current Management and Outcomes in Traumatic Brain Injury

1. Understanding the current literature that shapes guidelines in the management of traumatic brain injury
2. Understanding how technology is advancing patient specific outcomes in traumatic brain injury

### Session Title: Rehabilitation of the Head Injury Patient

1. Understand the care and timeline of the brain injury patient
2. Understand the multiple complications that arise with brain injury patients

### Session Title: Recovering from Brain Injury, a Primary Care Perspective

1. Improved understanding of primary care provider's role in initial and ongoing management of patients with traumatic brain injuries
2. More in depth understanding of potential referrals and resources appropriate for patients recovering from traumatic brain injuries

### Session Title: Comprehensive Outpatient Care of the TBI Patient

1. To understand the challenges faced by TBI survivors while transitioning to the community and need for timely intervention
2. To understand the role outpatient TBI clinics
3. Management of the cognitive and psychosocial challenges of the brain injury survivor

### Session Title: Disability Benefits — Medical Professionals As Gatekeepers

- 1: Understand the process of securing disability benefits.
- 2: Understand the critical role of medical professionals as gatekeepers in the disability benefits process.

### Session Title: Coordination of Care Network

1. Learn an overview of Unite Us, including history and technology
2. Develop an understanding how Unite Us can assist communities in addressing SDOH, including data and use cases from around the country
3. Explore how Unite Us may help organizations streamline efforts in their work

### Session Title: Housing Issues and Options for your Patient

1. Discuss how CILs can assist persons with TBI to live successfully in the community.

## CE Information

**Ohio — Physical Therapy:** Pending approval by the OPTA for 6.75 continuing education units

**Occupational Therapy:** This course meets the criteria established by Ohio's occupational therapy licensing board for 6.75 continuing education contact hours

**Speech Therapy:** Meets the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association certification standards for 6.75 professional development hours

**Psychology:** Documentation needed to apply for single course review will be provided

**Nursing:** Materials needed for individuals to submit for 6.75 hours of nursing CEUs will be provided

**Attorneys:** 6.75 hours of CLE credit has been applied for and approval is pending through NEOBIF

**Counseling/ Social Work:** Pending approval for 6.75 CE hours Ohio counselor, social worker and marriage and family therapist board

**CPDU:** 6.5 hours of approval are pending through Summit County DD

**Recreational Therapy:** Materials needed for individuals to submit for 6.75 hours CE for recreational therapy will be provided.

**CME:** This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of Penn State College of Medicine and Select Medical Corporation.

Penn State College of Medicine is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians. Penn State College of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of *4 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)<sup>TM</sup>*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

**Certificates:** Certificates will be available for each discipline to print after the attendees complete the online survey.

**Successful Completion:** Learners must sign in and out and complete a program evaluation. The learner must be present for the entirety of the program. No partial credits will be awarded for this activity.

**Disclosure:** It is the policy of Select Medical's Specialty Hospital Division to ensure balance, independence, objectivity and scientific rigor in all its programs. All faculty participating in this program have declared that they have nothing to disclose. There is no commercial support for this program.

**Special Needs Requests:** In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, we will make all reasonable efforts to accommodate persons with disabilities. Please call 216.618.1560 with your requests.

**Cancellation Policy:** Registration will be accepted until midnight April 9, 2024 or as space permits. Registration fees will be refunded for cancellations received by midnight March 31, 2024. Cancellations received after March 31, 2024 will forfeit the registration fee. No refunds will be issued for cancellations received after March 31, 2024. Refunds will be issued within 30 days of your written cancellation request. Unless otherwise provided for herein, the conference sponsor will not be responsible for distributing refunds due to a cancellation being beyond an individual's control, including due to Acts of God, illness, unforeseen occurrence, natural disaster, or any other event(s) that hinders attendance to this conference.

**Guest Attendance Policy:** All conference activities (including educational sessions, meals, exhibits, etc.) are exclusively reserved for conference attendees. Non-registered guests are not allowed in the conference areas.

**Grievances:** If you have any questions or complaints regarding this program, please contact Andrew Mirabella at [amirabella@clevelandclinicrehab.com](mailto:amirabella@clevelandclinicrehab.com) providing your complaint and contact information and we will respond within 72 hours.