



14th Congress of Asia Pacific League of Associations for Rheumatology

11-15 July 2010, Hong Kong Convention & Exhibition Centre

Program Highlights:

We have a full variety of 'hot topics' in the coming 14th Asia Pacific League of Associations for Rheumatology (APLAR) Congress. In the following few months, we will keep you update on different topics. This time we are more concentrated in rheumatoid arthritis, osteoarthritis, osteoporosis and related clinical, basic and allied health issues.

Topics in Rheumatoid Arthritis:

- Plenary session in rheumatoid arthritis
- EULAR symposium in management of early rheumatoid arthritis
- Special issue of safety of TNF blocker
- Biologic therapies of rheumatoid arthritis
- Pathogenesis of rheumatoid arthritis

Concurrent symposium:

- Osteoarthritis
- Osteoporosis

Allied health symposium:

- Management model for arthritis related pain
- Bone health and osteoporosis
- Life style re-design and exercises for people with arthritis

Review courses: (free for full and day delegates)

- APLAR basic science review course
- ACR review course

Pre-congress APLAR Musculoskeletal Ultrasound Course in Rheumatology (additional registration fee is required)

Updated congress schedule can be viewed at: http://www.aplar2010.com/congress_schedule.html

Updated speakers list: <http://www.aplar2010.com/faculty.html>

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Call for abstracts (deadline: 28 February 2010)

Online abstract submission: http://www.aplar2010.com/abstract_submission.html

Travel grants & Awards

Aichi Diabetes, Rheumatism & Gout Foundation and Korean Rheumatology Research has kindly sponsored a number of travel grants to support delegates who have submitted abstracts of outstanding quality and have requested sponsorship to attend the Congress. For application, please specify on the online abstract submission form.

Registration (early bird registration deadline: 30 April 2010)

Register before Early Bird Deadline to win Free Registration, Free Hotel Accommodation and Free Tour!
Online registration: <http://www.aplar2010.com/registration.html>

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