WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT ALLERGIES & ASTHMA: A PRACTICAL APPROACH

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7:30 AM – 12:00 NOON

CROWNE PLAZA HOUSTON RIVER OAKS
WINDSOR I & II
2712 SOUTHWEST FREEWAY
HOUSTON, TEXAS 77098

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Texas Allergy, Asthma and Immunology Society

GENERAL INFORMATION

LOCATION
This meeting will be held at the Crowne Plaza Houston River Oaks, 2712 Southwest Freeway, Houston, TX 77098. For directions, please call the Crowne Plaza Houston River Oaks directly at (713) 523-8448.

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### Target Audience
Family Practice Physicians, Internists, Pediatricians, Nurses, Nurse Practitioners and Physician Assistants.

### Educational Objectives
Upon completion of this program, participants should be better able to:

1. Discuss characteristics and treatment plans for atopic dermatitis.
2. Explain the rationale and implementation of inhaled rescue and controller medications for asthma.
3. Describe risks associated with unproven and controversial approaches to the management of allergy.
4. Recognize the differences between drug allergy and other adverse drug reactions.
5. Describe the criteria for appropriate consultation with an allergy/immunology specialist.

### Accreditation Statement
This live activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint sponsorship of the American Academy of Allergy, Asthma and Immunology (AAAAI) and the Texas Allergy, Asthma and Immunology Society (TAAIS). The AAAAI is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

### Designation Statement
The American Academy of Allergy, Asthma and Immunology designates this live activity for a maximum number of 3.75 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

The American Academy of Allergy, Asthma, and Immunology (AAAAI) is a Provider, approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider #10704, for up to 4.50 Contact Hours.

### Program Agenda

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### Registration
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Registration is online through the American Academy of Allergy, Asthma and Immunology (AAAAI). To register for this program, please follow these instructions:

1. Go to [http://education.aaaai.org/rsl/HOU13](http://education.aaaai.org/rsl/HOU13)
2. Click “yes” to enroll in the activity.
3. Login with your AAAAI Username and Password. **New users/Forgot your password:** type your email address in the field below username and password and click “continue”. You will receive an email with a link to reset/create your login.
4. Once logged in, go to the site above if not directed back to the registration page for the “TAAIS: What You Need to Know about Allergies & Asthma: Houston, TX 2013” meeting.
5. Click the red “Take Course” button.
6. Complete the CME Info Begin and Pre-test (mandatory to claim credit).
7. After you register, you will receive a confirmation email.
8. Attend the live meeting and sign in.

**THERE IS NO REGISTRATION FEE – space is limited so register early!**

If you have questions about registration, please email cme@aaaai.org
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