



RHEUMATOLOGY GRAND ROUNDS

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**Yale School of Medicine's, Department of Internal Medicine,
Section of Rheumatology**

“Rheumatoid Arthritis: Pathogenesis, Prediction, Prevention – Paradigm Shift?”

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Location: 300 Cedar St., TAC Building Room N-203

Time: 8:00-9:00 am

Course Director/Host: Insoo Kang, MD

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This course will fulfill the licensure requirement set forth by the State of Connecticut

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TARGET AUDIENCE

Department faculty, attending physicians, subspecialty fellows, community physicians, resident house staff, physician assistants and medical students.

NEEDS ASSESSMENT

Understanding the pathogenesis of rheumatoid arthritis, especially during the preclinical phase, is important for identifying patients at risk for progression of disease. The use of biomarkers may be helpful in predicting patients who will go on to develop disease. Knowing management strategies for the prevention of rheumatoid arthritis is also crucial for rheumatologists.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

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

- 1) Describe and define the general phases of rheumatoid arthritis development, including the preclinical phase.
- 2) Describe how biomarkers and other factors can be used to predict the likelihood and timing of an individual for developing rheumatoid arthritis in the future.
- 3) Describe several strategies for the prevention of rheumatoid arthritis.

DESIGNATION STATEMENT

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FACULTY DISCLOSURES

Speaker: Kevin Deane, MD, PhD – NONE

Course Director: Insoo Kang, MD - NONE

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