

LECTURE ANNOUNCEMENT

Autologous Haematopoietic Stem Cell Transplants for Autoimmune Disease

Date : Wednesday, 26 September 2005
Time : 1.00 pm - 2.00 pm
Venue : Postgraduate Medical Institute (PGMI),
Singapore General Hospital

Allogeneic Haematopoietic and Embryonic Stem Cell Transplants for Autoimmune Disease

Date : Thursday, 27 September 2005
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Speaker

Richard Burt, MD

**Chief, Division of Immunotherapy and Autoimmune Diseases,
Northwestern University, Chicago**

Richard Burt, M.D. is a pioneer in haematopoietic stem cell transplantation for autoimmune diseases in the Northwestern University, where the world's first transplant for Systemic Lupus Erythematosus was performed. He has received funding from the NIH to conduct the largest controlled trial evaluating stem cell transplants autoimmune diseases and has published his work on transplants for patients with rheumatoid arthritis, multiple sclerosis, scleroderma, myasthenia gravis, and more recently, the world's first adult stem cell transplant to treat Crohn's disease.

Clinicians and scientists seeking to challenge current paradigms in autoimmune disease would be well served in meeting and learning from this clinical and scientific adventurer

ALL ARE WELCOME

Light refreshments will be served at 12.30 pm

Speaker and refreshments are sponsored by Schering AG