

Title

CEUS: Expert Glances at a Growing Modality

Summary

This collaborative webinar with the AIUM and ICUS will cover timely views about the performance and applications of contrast-enhanced ultrasound (CEUS) after its first 4 years of availability in the United States. These include liver indications, renal indications, and the rapidly expanding utilization of CEUS in the pediatric population.

Details

Learning Objective(s)

After watching this activity, you should be able to:

- Understand the unique capabilities of liver CEUS, including dynamic real-time scan and use of an intravascular bubble;
- Recognize the many benefits of using CEUS to image the kidney for resolution of indeterminate focal renal masses;
- Be familiar with the safety of CEUS, including the absence of ionizing radiation, no nephrotoxicity, and no requirement for adequate renal function for contrast injection;
- Know the range of applications for pediatric use of CEUS beyond liver and vesicourethrography; and
- Explain the universal CEUS benefits of dynamic real-time imaging using a purely intravascular contrast agent.

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Available Credit

2 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™/ 2 ARRT Category A Credit(s).



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