Leptomeningeal Disease: Overcoming Treatment Challenges through Novel Clinical Trials

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Objectives: At the conclusion of this activity, participants should be able to:
• Outline background of Leptomeningeal Disease (LMD)
• Identify challenges in LMD treatment
• Review key results in recent LMD Clinical Trials
• Discuss clinical trials planned to open at Northwestern Medicine
• Identify considerations in trial design in LMD (application to other rare diseases)

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