

2026 SCENES FROM A CEM: CLINICAL UTILITY OF CONTRAST ENHANCED MAMMOGRAPHY



Join us on **Saturday, October 3, 2026** for Dr. Anat Kornecki's annual Virtual Conference. Advance your breast imaging expertise with this practical, evidence-based CME course on **Contrast-Enhanced Mammography (CEM)**. Designed for radiologists, technologists, and sonographers, this expert-led program explores CEM principles, patient selection, examination techniques, image interpretation, and integration into clinical practice.

Through practical clinical scenarios, participants will explore CEM's expanding role in breast cancer detection, diagnostic problem-solving, staging, treatment planning, and monitoring response to therapy. Attendees will gain a clearer understanding of the evidence, benefits, limitations, and practical considerations for CEM and greater confidence using it to improve diagnostic accuracy and guide patient management.

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When

Saturday, October 3, 2026 | **WEBCAST ONLY**

Time

8:30 AM – 2:00 PM (EST)

Cost

Paid OAR Members: \$150
Non-OAR Members: \$250
Radiology Residents & Fellows: **FREE**
Other Specialties: \$250
Technologists & Sonographers: \$125

Can't Attend Live?

No problem! This course will be recorded and made available on-demand to all registered participants approximately 3–5 business days following the live event.

Schedule

- 8:30 AM – 8:35 AM – **Welcome & Course Overview** | Dr. Anat Kornecki & Mr. Sean Foley
- 8:35 AM – 8:55 AM – **Introduction to CEM** | Dr. Maya Grisaru Kacen
- 8:55 AM – 9:20 AM – **CEM for Local Tumor Staging** | Dr. Mindy Gill
- 9:20 AM – 9:45 AM – **CEM for Callback from Abnormal Screen** | Dr. Marcio Saito
- 9:45 AM – 10:10 AM – **CEM in the Assessment of Breast Calcifications** | Dr. Thiemo van Nijnatten
- 10:10 AM – 10:20 AM – **Question and Answer and Panel Discussion**
- 10:20 AM – 10:40 AM – **CEM in the Assessment of Palpable Lumps** | Dr. Maya Grisaru Kacen
- 10:40 AM – 11:00 AM – **CEM in the Assessment of Nipple Symptoms** | Dr. Marcio Saito
- 11:00 AM – 11:10 AM – **Question and Answer and Panel Discussion**
- 11:10 AM – 11:20 AM – **Break**
- 11:20 AM – 11:50 AM – **Utility of CEM in Assessment of Pathology Concordance** | Dr. Bret Wehrli
- 12:00 PM – 12:25 PM – **CEM in the Assessment of Response to Neoadjuvant Therapy** | Dr. Anat Kornecki
- 12:25 PM – 12:50 PM – **CEM for Screening** | Dr. Anat Kornecki
- 12:50 PM – 1:15 PM – **Technical Consideration for Screening** | Mrs. Karen Betteridge
- 1:15 PM – 1:40 PM – **Second Look Ultrasound after CEM** | Mrs. Tianna Heffernan
- 1:40 PM – 2:00 PM – **Panel Discussion** | All Panelists

Meet the Speakers



Dr. Anat Kornecki
Course Director
Radiologist



Dr. Marcio Saito
Speaker
Radiologist



Dr. Thiemo van Nijnatten
Speaker
Radiologist



Mrs. Karen Betteridge
Speaker
Technologist



Dr. Maya Grisaru Kacen
Speaker
Radiologist



Dr. Bret Wehrli
Speaker
Pathologist



Dr. Mindy Gill
Speaker
Radiologist



Mrs. Tianna Heffernan
Speaker
Sonographer

Why Should I Attend?

CEM is rapidly expanding its role in breast imaging. This practical, expert-led course will help you understand where CEM adds value, when to use it, and how to confidently integrate it into clinical practice.

By attending, you will:

- Identify appropriate clinical scenarios in which CEM can be used for the assessment of patients recalled from abnormal screening mammograms.
- Identify patients who may benefit from supplemental screening with CEM and identify the challenges associated with introducing CEM as a supplemental screening tool.
- Recognize the advantages and limitations of CEM as a screening modality for breast cancer.
- Evaluate the strengths and limitations of CEM in the assessment of suspicious calcifications, palpable breast lumps and nipple symptoms. Apply imaging findings to patient management decisions.
- Assess the performance of CEM for monitoring response to neoadjuvant systemic therapy.
- Apply CEM as a problem-solving tool for equivocal findings identified on mammography, tomosynthesis, or ultrasound.
- Describe the role of second-look ultrasound in the evaluation and management of lesions detected on CEM.
- Integrate current evidence into the use of CEM in the assessment of breast malignancy to improve diagnostic accuracy and patient outcomes.
- Integrate the utility of CEM in the determine breast pathology concordance

Target Audience

Radiologists, Diagnostic Imaging Residents and Fellows, Specialists, Medical Radiation Technologists, Diagnostic Medical Sonographers and General Surgeons.

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