# **Peripheral Nerve Surgery**

### I. Peripheral Nerve Anatomy

- A. Anatomic Course and Innervation Patterns
- B. Injury Patterns: Signs on Physical Examination
- C. Differential Diagnosis: Nerve vs. Nerve Root Pathology

#### **II. Diagnostic Procedures**

- A. Electrodiagnostics
- B. Nerve Imaging
- C. Intraoperative Diagnostic Techniques and Navigation

#### **III. Nerve Entrapment**

- A. Median Nerve at the Wrist
- B. Ulnar Nerve at the Elbow
- C. Peroneal Nerve at the Knee
- D. Lateral Femoral Cutaneous Nerve
- E. Other Nerve Entrapment Syndromes

## **IV. Nerve Injury**

- A. Grading of Nerve Injuries
- **B.** Primary Nerve Repair
- C. Nerve Repair with Allograft
- D. Split Nerve Repair
- E. External and Internal Neurolysis
- F. Nerve Transfer

# **V. Nerve Tumors**

- A. Benign Primary Peripheral Nerve Tumors
- B. Malignant Primary Peripheral Nerve Tumors
- C. Peripheral Nerve Involvement in Metastatic Disease
- D. Neurofibromatosis
- E. Other Tumor Syndromes

# VI. Neuropathies

- A. Genetic Neuropathies
- **B.** Inflammatory Neuropathies
- C. Toxic Neuropathies
- D. Degenerative Neuropathies