Objectives: Provide a practical review of the common arthritis X-ray findings that are seen in a chiropractic practice. Emphasis will be placed on interpretation of signs, differential diagnosis, and case management implications. An emphasis will be placed on the common disorders seen in that region of the spine. Caveats will also be discussed where appropriate.

Hours 1-2.5: Review of common arthitides seen in the cervical spine, especially DJD and DISH. Discussion will include radiographic signs, associated conditions, clinical impact, need for additional studies if applicable, and impact on prognosis both short term and long term. Caveats will also be discussed where appropriate.

Hours 2.5-3: Review of common arthitides seen in the thoracic spine, especially DJD and DISH. Discussion will include radiographic signs, associated conditions, clinical impact, need for additional studies if applicable, and impact on prognosis both short term and long term. Caveats will also be discussed where appropriate.

Hours 3-4: Review of common arthitides seen in the lumbar spine and pelvis, especially DJD, DISH and ankylosing spondylitis. Discussion will include radiographic signs, associated conditions, clinical impact, need for additional studies if applicable, and impact on prognosis both short term and long term. Caveats will also be discussed where appropriate.

Hour 5: Review of common arthitides seen in the lower extremity, especially DJD and gout. Discussion will include radiographic signs, associated conditions, clinical impact, need for additional studies if applicable, and impact on prognosis both short term and long term. Caveats will also be discussed where appropriate.

Hour 6: Review of common arthitides seen in the upper extremity, especially DJD, CPPD and HADD. Discussion will include radiographic signs, associated conditions, clinical impact, need for additional studies if applicable, and impact on prognosis both short term and long term. Caveats will also be discussed where appropriate.