



FALL 2021 CME CONFERENCE

AGENDA

WYNDHAM BOSTON
BEACON HILL

SATURDAY,
OCTOBER 23

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Time

Description

7:50 AM - 8:00 AM

Opening Remarks by MAPA President

Douglas-Jarrett Cole Turno, MS, PA-C

8:00 AM - 8:50 AM

High Risk and Benign Breast Disease

Michelle P. Khan PA-C

Beaumont Health

1. Identify patients that are at high risk for breast cancer
2. Make appropriate recommendations for high risk patients
3. Learn about common benign breast disease conditions and appropriate diagnostic work up

8:50 AM - 9:40 AM

The Flexner Report: 110 Years of Baking Discrimination Into the Healthcare Education Pie

Chris Cooper, MPAS, PA-C

Associate Professor and Program Director, Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences Boston PA Program

1. Discuss how Flexner's ideal medical student and medical curriculum influences who we select to become PAs and how we teach them once selected.
2. Using the Flexner's key points as a recipe, bake a PA demographic pie.
3. Identify one of Flexner's ingredients that you can change to make a better PA demographic pie.

8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Introduction to Ultrasound Workshop

Jason Parente, MPAS, PA-C and CC Morone PA-C

1. Define point-of-care ultrasound and describe its uses
2. Learn basics about ultrasound equipment and scanning techniques to optimize images
3. Apply principals to perform the FAST exam
4. Learn how to perform bedside pulmonary exam with ultrasound
5. Learn how to perform bedside abdominal exam with ultrasound

Fee: \$25.00 Max Capacity: 10 people

**Registrants will get access to watch the sessions they missed at the conference after conclusion of Conference.*

9:40 AM - 10:00 AM

Break Symposium

10:00 AM - 10:50 AM

Vascular Access: What the non IR PA Needs to Know

Thea Nolan MPAS PA-C

Umass Memorial Medical Center

Department of Radiology

Department of Vascular Interventional Radiology

1. Learn commonly used vascular access devices
2. Identify commonly used vascular access by visual inspection and anatomical location
3. Learn indications for commonly used devices
4. Understand contraindications for vascular access and for specific devices
5. Learn about the most common device complications
6. Learn to perform basic device interrogation in the setting of the non-functioning device

10:50 AM - 11:40 AM

Legislative Updates

Josh Merson, MPAS, MS-HPed, PA-C, EM-CAQ Legislative Chair and The Charles Group

1. Updates regarding MAPA's legislative and regulatory efforts to date

11:40 AM- 12:00 PM Visit Exhibits and networking

12:00 PM- 1:00 PM **AstraZeneca Lunch Symposium - The Role of Dapagliflozin in Managing Progressive CKD in Patients with T2D**

Jennifer Farese, PA-C

1. Describe the Progressive nature of CKD leading to significant morbidity and mortality.
2. Discuss the disease burden of CKD and importance of screening and diagnosis.
3. SGLT2i as recommended part of initial therapy in patients with T2D and CKD.
4. Overview of DAPA-CKD trial and trial endpoints.

1:00 PM - 1:50 PM **Blunt Cerebrovascular Injury**

Nicole Schwensow MPAS, PA-C, DFAAPA

1. Discuss blunt cerebrovascular injury and recognize the clinical importance of diagnosis of this condition.
2. Review anterior and posterior circulation to the brain.
3. recognize signs and symptoms requiring imaging to evaluate for blunt cerebrovascular injury.
4. Describe indications for transfer in a patient with blunt cerebrovascular injury.
5. Summarize the grading scale for blunt cerebrovascular injury and Discuss the appropriate treatment for each grade of injury.

1:50 PM - 2:10 PM **Break Symposium**

2:10 PM - 3:00 PM **Sepsis**

Douglas-Jarrett Cole Turno, MS, PA-C

Massachusetts General Hospital

Department of Emergency Medicine - PA-II, EM APP Medical Education/Acute Training
Department of Surgery - Blake 12/Ellison 14 Multidisciplinary ICU

1. To understand basic epidemiology of sepsis
2. To be able to identify patients with risk factors for developing sepsis
3. To understand sepsis pathophysiology
4. To understand professional definitions for sepsis & understand basic screening tools designed for the early identification of sepsis
5. To understand clinical management & treatment of septic patients

3:00 PM - 3:50 PM **Pharmacology of Attention Deficit and Hyperactivity Diagnosis**

Joseph Sawicki, Pharm D

Manager of Clinical Pharmacy

Saint Vincent Hospital

1. Define and understand the differences between ADD and ADHD
2. Describe the mechanism of action of amphetamines in the treatment of ADD/ADHD
3. Understand the differences in dosage forms of various amphetamine derivatives and use this knowledge to select the most appropriate agent for different patient populations.

3:50 PM - 4:00 PM **Closing Remarks**

Douglas-Jarrett Cole Turno, MS, PA-C

05:00 PM **MAPA Student Challenge Bowl**