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Potential of CME Gold

ACMEC is pleased to announce this month’s Grand Rounds.

On March 6th, we will continue the annual FMRI Resident Talks with Dr. Marion Cook’s talk on Applications for Harm Reduction.

For March 13th, Dr. Benjamin Perry, dermatologist with Mountain Pine Dermatology, will be presenting Psoriasis: Comorbidities and Management.

On March 20th, Dr. Leah Fleming, geneticist at St. Luke’s Children’s Hospital, will present a talk on Inborn Errors of Metabolism & Screening in Psychiatric Disease for the March St. Luke’s Children’s Hospital Grand Rounds.

For the last session of the month taking place on March 27th, we will tentatively be presenting a talk related to the recent measles outbreak. Please check our online Grand Rounds calendar closer to the date for the latest updates for this session at www.acmec.org/calendar.

We look forward to seeing you!

Now Scheduling: Fall 2019 Grand Rounds

Looking for Member Suggestions for Speakers & Topics

Scheduling for Fall 2019 is underway, and we would love to hear from members on the topics and speakers you would like to have in the schedule.

Are there any specialties you would like to see represented? Any dynamic speakers you’ve heard elsewhere that you think we should bring to the Treasure Valley? Any local providers doing innovative things or offering unique services that the medical community should know about? Any hot medical topics that must be covered? Let us know.

Suggestions can be sent via email to acmec@acmec.org with Grand Rounds Suggestions in the subject line. Please note that while we review all suggestions, we will book topics with broad applicability, especially those targeted at primary care physicians. Thanks in advance!

Upcoming Conferences

March 30, 2019
2019 Idaho Society of Anesthesiologists Annual Meeting
For information and registration, go to www.idahoanesthesiologists.com.

April 19, 2019
7th Annual Clinical Neuroscience Conference
For information and registration, go to https://2019idaho-neurocon.eventbrite.com.

April 27 - 28, 2019
2019 Summit on National & Global Cancer Health Disparities
For information and registration, go to http://cancersummit.binayfoundation.org.

June 29 - 30, 2019
7th International Conference on Advances in Hematology and Oncology
For information and registration, go to http://icaho.binayfoundation.org.

Upcoming Grand Rounds

March 13
Psoriasis: Comorbidities and Management
Benjamin Perry, DO Dermatologist
Mountain Pine Dermatology
Join us for a discussion on psoriasis, common comorbidities, and the latest development in management.

March 20
Inborn Errors of Metabolism & Screening in Psychiatric Disease
Leah Fleming
Genetacist
St. Luke’s Children’s Hospital
Join us for a discussion on inborn errors of metabolism in pediatric patients.

For more Upcoming Grand Rounds, go to www.acmec.org.
2019 ACMS Winter Clinics Recap: Celebrating Sixty Years of "Ski-M-E"
By Steven Reames, Executive Director, Ada County Medical Society

I n 1959, the first “Mid-Winter Scientific Meeting” was hosted by Southwest Idaho Medical Society (SWIMS) at Shore Lodge. That following January, the Idaho Medical Association granted a charter for Ada County Medical Society (ACMS) to break off from the SWIMS territory. Each year, from then until 1984, ACMS and SWIMS jointly or alternately organized “The Winter Clinics.”

This year, we celebrated the sixty-year legacy of the annual medical education conference. On Friday evening, a crowd sung “Happy Birthday to Winter Clinics” while retired physician, Dr. Eric Stackle, cut the cake and blew out the candles. We also took pains to point out that at least three of the four Dr. A.C. Jones and family from Boise have been fixtures at Winter Clinics since the very beginning.

It was not too long ago that keeping the weekend event alive was in doubt due to declining attendance. But this year, several longtime attendees commented wistfully that there were so many younger families beginning to bring their children to enjoy the weekend together year after year and they had hope for it to remain viable.

This year’s focus on neurological care was kicked off by local epilepsy specialist, Dr. Robert Wechsler, followed by discussions on movement disorders, stroke care and prevention, dementia care, assessment of vertigo and balance, and treating depression. Saturday morning was devoted to medical cannabis, CBD oil, and the current state of cannabis, and appropriately will start on our snowboard racing exhibition.

Next year’s theme is slated to focus on Envisioning the Future of Medicine and Technology and appropriately will start on 02-20-2020. We welcome any ideas for topics and speakers which can be emailed to director@adamedicalsociety.org for committee consideration.

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