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Ada Canyon Medical Education Consortium's Monthly Newsletter

New Academic Year, New Look

ACMEC IS PLEASED TO UNVEIL ITS NEW NEWSLETTER AND WEBSITE

Summer 2015 has been busy at ACMEC! In addition to our usual mid-year CME management activities, we've updated our newsletter and www.acmec.org website.

As you can see, the newsletter has a fresh, new look, highlighting key sections like the Grand Rounds schedules. While most of the content sections remain the same, we have taken out the *On the Lighter Side* and *Regularly Scheduled Series* (RSS) sections. You can now find the RSS schedule on its own page on our revamped website. We also invite you to take a look at our new *Miscellaneous Medical Corner* for a potpourri of news from the world of CME and medicine. Plus, you never know when an *On the Lighter Side* comic or joke might make its way to the *Corner*!

On our new website, we hope you'll find that content has been organized to make it easier to find what you're looking for and packaged in a visually appealing way.

In our new **MEMBERS ONLY** section, in addition to being able to access their online CME transcripts, members will be able to explore the expanded **RE-SOURCES**, which include *Local Connections* and *CME & Medical Resources*. We're also happy to unveil the **CALENDAR** section where you can access the new *CME Calendar*, *Grand Rounds* and *RSS* schedules, and get a more detailed look at *Upcoming Activities*.

We thank you in advance as we work out any lingering kinks, and invite you to share your feedback and suggestions.

Grand Rounds Kick-Off

FALL SLATE OF PROGRAMS KICKS OFF WITH TWO GREAT SPEAKERS

ACMEC is pleased to kick off the 2015-2016 curriculum year with **Blood Pressure Measurement for Decision Making and Quality Reporting: Where and How Many Measurements?**, presented by Ben Powers, MD, on September 2nd at the Anderson Center of St. Luke's Boise Medical Center.

Grand Rounds at the Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center will kick off on September 4th with a talk by Tom Rand, MD, PhD, on **Screening for Primary Immunodeficiency**. The talk will be held in the McCleary Auditorium. All Grand Rounds are scheduled from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Hope to see you all there!

Upcoming Conferences

September 3 - 4, 2015 **2015 St. Luke's Children's Pediatric Emergency Conference**
For information and registration, contact Karla Dickson at dicksoka@slhs.org.

September 9, 2015 **Idaho Summit on Prescription Drug Diversion**
For information and registration, go to <http://usaoidtraining.org/idahodrugsummit>.

September 19 - 20, 2015 **7th Annual Specialty Medicine Conference for the Primary Care Provider**
For information and registration, go to http://www.stlukesonline.org/for_physicians/.

October 24, 2015 **Faculty Development Workshop: Surviving and Thriving as a Clinical Teacher**
For information and registration, go to <http://www.uwmedicine.org/education/faculty-development-workshop>.

UPCOMING GRAND ROUNDS

September 11
Fraud Awareness Training: Safeguarding Your Practice
Denise McClure, CPA, CFE

Valuable to both independent and hospital-employed physicians, this talk will use case studies to cover:

- The risk of fraud, in general and for physicians and medical groups
- Tips for prevention, deterrence and early detection
- What to do if you suspect someone is stealing

September 23 & 25
Ready, Set, Go To ICD-10-CM
Teresa Cirelli, CPC, CPMA

ICD-10 implementation is right around the corner! Teresa Cirelli, Director of Reimbursement of the Idaho Medical Association, will discuss recommendations for a successful transition for your practice.

For more Upcoming Grand Rounds, go to www.acmec.org.

Ada County Medical Society News

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

FOR ACMS MEMBERS ONLY

Go Wild at Zoo Boise

September 22, 2015
5:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Members and their immediate family are invited to come enjoy a night at Zoo Boise with the Ada County Medical Society.

After a hosted BBQ, your family can roam the zoo while you catch an **Infectious Disease Update** from Dr. Sky Blue of Sawtooth Epidemiology & Infectious Diseases.

Annual Meeting & New Physicians Dinner

October 30, 2015

Recognizing our Physician of the Year and electing our new slate of directors.

Winter Garden a Glow

December 1, 2015

Our most popular event of the year is held in beautiful Idaho Botanical Gardens with the entire place lit up with Christmas lights.

For more information and to register for events, go to www.adamedicalsociety.org

Questions?

Email director@adamedicalsociety.org or call 208.336.2930.

NEW MEMBERS

- Rodde Cox, MD
- James Dardis, MD
- Nancy Keegan-Ovando, MD
- William Lindner, MD
- Edward McEachern, MD
- Timothy Moore, MD
- Christopher Partridge, MD
- Marc Nagel, PA-C
- Tyler Watkins, NP

ACMS welcomes the following residents to the Family Medicine Residency of Idaho:

- Liz Atnip, MD
- Loren Colson, DO
- Robert Crouch, DO
- Mandy Dauten, MD
- Billy Galligar, MD
- Kacy Herron, MD
- Ben Holland, MD
- Emily Knudsen, MD
- Janae Krahn, MD
- Luke Mather, MD
- Molly McCormick, DO
- Margaret-Mary Morelli, MD
- Kaleb Redden, DO
- Andrew Schweitzer, MD
- Jacob Smith, MD
- Kenneth "KC" Stupka, MD

Idaho Summit on Prescription Drug Diversion

By Wendy Olson,
United States Attorney, District of Idaho

The Treasure Valley's hospital community, the State of Idaho health professional licensing boards, private law firms, law enforcement agencies and other organizations are partnering to host the Idaho Summit on Prescription Drug Diversion on Wednesday, September 9, 2015, at Washington Group Plaza.

"Prescription drug abuse and prescription drug diversion have created a national public health and public safety crisis. Idaho is not immune," said U.S. Attorney Wendy J. Olson. "Prescription drug addiction can lead directly to heroin use and addiction, and to accidental death. Prescription drug abuse is responsible for impaired driving and property crimes as addicts seek means to fuel their addiction. Fortunately, Idaho's health care leaders and federal and local law enforcement are committed to educating providers and the community about the dangers associated with prescription drug diversion."

Olson said that her office in the last few years has prosecuted an increasing number of defendants who have illegally obtained, diverted or sold prescription drugs. Nationally, a Center for Diseases Control analysis found that one in twenty people in the United States ages 12 and older used prescription painkillers non-medically in 2010. Prescription painkiller overdoses killed nearly 15,000 people in 2008, triple the number from 1999.

Moreover, according to the 2010 National Survey on Drug Use and Health, more than half of those 12 and over who used prescription painkillers non-

medically for the first time obtained them from a family member or friend who had been prescribed the painkiller by a health care provider. The statistics are also alarming in Idaho. There were 456 drug-induced deaths in Idaho from 2007-2009. Of those, 262 involved narcotics, with 68 deaths from Hydrocodone and 43 from Oxycodone prescriptions alone.



The four-hour summit will involve presentations from the Drug Enforcement Administration, Boise Police Department and U.S. Attorney's Office on how prescriptions are diverted to street sales, the community impact, the law enforcement response, and criteria for prosecution of cases. Medical professionals and regulators will provide tools for health care providers and health care organizations to identify diversion and diversion risks. They will also discuss medical standards in Idaho for safely prescribing prescription drugs.

"This conference is intended to provide medical providers of all specialties with critical information on simple steps they can take every day to help stop the flow of these prescription drugs

from would-be patients while at the same time learning how these government agencies work to protect our community," said Terrence S. Jones, partner at Quane Jones McColl, PLLC, and one of the event organizers.

"Our objective is not only to slow the flow of diverted prescription drugs, but also to open a dialogue and promote understanding between the medical community and law enforcement about each other's practices and concerns," said Olson. "This is a community health care and public safety problem and I am pleased that so many members of Idaho's law enforcement and health care community are committed to finding community solutions."

The Summit sponsors are: the Idaho Boards of Medicine, Pharmacy, and Nursing, the Idaho Bureau of Occupational Licenses, the Idaho Office of Drug Policy, the Idaho Medical Association, Boise State University, Idaho State University, the Drug Enforcement Administration, C.N.A. Professional Insurance, West Valley Medical Center, St. Luke's Health Systems, Independent Doctors of Idaho, the Boise City Police Department, St. Alphonsus Hospital, Garrett Richardson, PLLC, and Quane Jones McColl, PLLC. The Summit will be held from 1:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Washington Group Plaza Main Auditorium.

Interested providers can register online at:
<http://usaoidtraining.org/idahodrugsummit>.

Miscellaneous Medical Corner

In this section, you'll find a potpourri of miscellaneous news from the world of CME and medicine.

ADVANCING CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION Dr. Graham McMahon, President and CEO of the ACCME, discusses opportunities and challenges in advancing the role of continuing medical education for professional development: <http://jama.jamanetwork.com/article.aspx?articleid=2398245>.

RISE OF SIMULATION MEDICINE A look at how virtual reality may change medical education and save lives: <http://www.forbes.com/sites/robertglatter/2015/05/22/how-virtual-reality-may-change-medical-education-and-save-lives/>.

SUGGESTED READING FOR MEDICAL EDUCATORS Explore ten must-read articles for those who want to be medical educators: <http://www.ama-assn.org/ama/ama-wire/post/10-must-read-articles-want-medical-educator>.

Always laugh when you can. It is cheap medicine.
- Lord Byron

September 2015

GRAND ROUNDS SCHEDULE

ST. LUKE'S BOISE MEDICAL CENTER Anderson Center Wednesdays, 8:00 - 9:00 a.m.		BOISE VA MEDICAL CENTER AW Horsley Learning Center Thursdays, 8:00 - 9:00 a.m.		SAINT ALPHONSUS REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER McCleary Auditorium Fridays, 8:00 - 9:00 a.m.	
2	Blood Pressure Management for Decision Making and Quality Reporting: Where and How Many Measurements? Ben Powers, MD	3	NO CONFERENCE	4	Screening for Primary Immunodeficiency Tom Rand, MD, PhD
9	Differential Diagnosis: Auditory Neuropathy vs. Central Auditory Processing Disorder Jessica Stich-Hennen, AuD, PAS	10	Geriatric Topic Meg Dunay, MD	11	Fraud Awareness Training: Safeguarding Your Practice Denise McClure, CPA, CFE
16	ST. LUKE'S CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL GRAND ROUNDS Screening for Primary Immunodeficiency Tom Rand, MD, PhD	17	Peri-operative OSA Management Matthew Ockander, DO	18	May I Lie to My Husband to Get Him to See a Doctor?: Ethical Issues Involved in the Diagnosis of Alzheimer's Disease Without Patient's Consent Abhilash Desai, MD
23	Ready, Set, Go To ICD-10-CM Teresa Cirelli, CPC, CPMA	24	TBD Speaker TBD	25	Ready, Set, Go To ICD-10-CM Teresa Cirelli, CPC, CPMA
30	TrialNet Type 1 Diabetes Research Dana VanBuecken, ARNP				



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What's Ahead October 2015

ST. LUKE'S BOISE MEDICAL CENTER

- 7** What's New In Adult Immunization
William Atkinson, MD
- 14** Headache Diagnosis and Management
Ryan Smith, DO
- 21** ST. LUKE'S CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL GRAND ROUNDS
Pediatric Hypertension
Randall Jenkins, MD
- 28** Stroke Prevention in Atrial Fibrillation: Current Evidence for Tailoring Antithrombotic Therapy
Alpesh Amin, MD, MBA

SAINT ALPHONSUS REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

- 2** Pulmonology Topic
Paula Carvalho, MD
- 9** Dietary Fat: Is it Time to Change the Dietary Dogma?
Gregory D. Miller, PhD, MACN
- 16** Stress Fractures in Athletes
Craig Smith, MD
- 23** Saint Alphonsus Women's Heart Care Summit: Hormones & Heart Disease in Women
Chrisandra Shufelt, MD
- 30** TBD
Speaker TBD