



Downeast Association of Physician Assistants

DEAPA E-News Brief

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Greetings From The DEAPA 22nd Annual Winter CME Conference! Sunday River, Newry Maine



DEAPA leaders and staff are enjoying camaraderie and excellent lectures at our annual CME conference. For this reason, there will be no formal e-news blast this week.

However, as anyone who follows Maine news knows, there is ongoing activity in Augusta with regard to the Governor's proposed supplemental budget. One major side note during the discussion focused on appropriate treatment of chronic and acute pain, and the relationship of opioid prescribing to the state's high rate of drug-related death and prescription drug addiction. This has led DEAPA leaders to discuss ways that PAs can improve treatment of pain, while reducing drug misuse and diversion. We welcome comments on the issues around prescribing of controlled medications, as well as the larger issues raised in the proposed supplemental budget cuts, from all members.

Comments may be addressed to DEAPA staff liaison Karen Snell at ksnell@mainemed.com, or to any DEAPA Board member. Contact information is listed on DEAPA's website, www.deapa.com. We greatly value your input.

News will be updated over the next few weeks. Stay tuned

2012
Emergency Medicine
Winter Symposium



Sugarloaf XXX

February 27 - March 1, 2012

Summit Hotel, Sugarloaf, USA

Sponsored by Maine Medical Center
Department of Emergency Medicine

& Maine Chapter ACEP



PROGRAM

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28th

LLSA

■ 07:00-11:00

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Drs. Alexander, Baumann, Sweeney & Peredy

Ultrasound

■ 16:00-17:00

Ultrasound for the Pediatric Abdomen

Dr. Haber

■ 17:00-18:00

The RUSH Exam: Rapid Ultrasound for Shock and Hypotension

Dr. Goulding

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 29th

Airway/Critical Care

■ 07:00-07:45

Airway Update: What, When and How - The Year in Review

Dr. Lutfy-Clayton

■ 07:45-08:30

What Now? Ventilation ... Know Your Knobs

Dr. Green

■ 08:30-09:30

Updates in ACS Treatment

Dr. Bisanzo

■ 16:00-16:30

Literature Update: Critical Care

Dr. DeBiegun

■ 16:30-17:00

Rapidly Fatal Infections

Dr. DeLaney

■ 17:00-18:00

ECGs You Should Recognize

Dr. Torrey

THURSDAY, MARCH 1st

Potpourri

■ 07:00-07:45

Journal Club Update: A Year in Review

Dr. Wolfe

■ 07:45-08:30

Pediatric Resuscitation: Big Heads, Small Tubes

Dr. Kellogg

■ 08:30-09:30

Bath Salts and Other New Drugs of Abuse

Dr. Peredy

■ 16:00-17:00

Special Considerations in the Care of the Obese and Post-Bariatric Surgery Patient

Dr. Bloch

■ 17:00-18:00

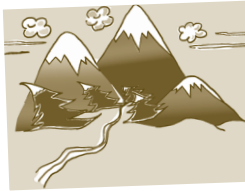
Quality, Value and ACOs: New Terms on the Horizon

Dr. Haydar

Emergency Medicine Winter Symposium

Course Description

This 30th annual Maine Chapter ACEP winter symposium will present a broad spectrum of emergency medicine related topics. Designed to assist the active emergency care provider in both topical and classical areas of emergency medicine, this course will be useful for other health practitioners who may encounter or have an interest in urgent and emergent situations. Practical and focused, each topic will be presented in a manner which will allow extensive discussion and shared experience between speaker and participant. This year we have again joined forces with BayState Medical Center, in order to broaden our educational experience. Our 30th conference will be primarily devoted to critical care, ultrasound, and innovations and updates in emergency medicine.



The first morning will be devoted to reviewing the articles which comprise the 2011 LLSA.

Accommodations

Special rates will be offered by the Sugarloaf Inn. Registrants may call 1-800-THE-LOAF.

Accreditation

Maine Medical Center is accredited by the Maine Medical Association to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Maine Medical Center designates this educational activity for a maximum of 15 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s). Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Registration & Fee Schedule

Enrollment will be limited to optimize the educational experience. Maine ACEP members, \$400; other Physicians, \$450; Physician Assistants/Nurse Practitioners, \$350; Nurses, \$200; Residents in Training \$200.

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Registration Form for Sugarloaf XXX

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Place of Employment _____

Home Address _____

Business Address _____

Home Phone _____

Email Address _____

Tuition: Maine ACEP Member ___\$400 Other Physician ___\$450 Physician Assistants/Nurse Practitioner ___\$350
Nurse ___\$200 Resident in Training ___\$200

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