



VAPA 2018 FALL CONFERENCE

DOUBLETREE MCLEAN TYSONS • MCLEAN, VA

NOVEMBER 3-4, 2018

Earn Category 1 CME credits while enjoying the opportunity to network with fellow PAs!



Faculty will present their perspectives and provide you with excellent educational updates in their field of expertise. Participants will gain knowledge and practical strategies to provide the highest level of care to their patients. The meeting registration fee includes Saturday general sessions, access to Saturday exhibits, Saturday continental breakfast, lunch and a drink ticket to the Networking Reception. All Sunday workshops are an additional fee.

This activity has been reviewed and is approved for a maximum of 14.00 AAPA Category 1 CME credits by the AAPA Review Panel. PAs should claim only those credits actually spent participating in the CME activity. This activity was planned in accordance with AAPA CME Standards for Live Programs and for Commercial Support of Live Programs.

AGENDA

NOVEMBER 3

- 7:00-7:30 AM** Breakfast & Registration
- 7:30-8:30 AM** The Limping Child: The Good, The Bad and the DO NOT MISS
Kelly Crown, PA-C
- 8:30-9:30 AM** Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD) in Children
Otto Louis-Jacques, MD
- 9:30-10:00 AM** Break With Exhibitors
- 10:00-11:00 AM** Avoiding an Unwelcome Invitation: Top Malpractice & Board Issues Facing Physician Assistants
Christina Dwyer, J.D.
- 11:00 AM-12:00 PM** Atrial Fibrillation: An Overview and Emerging Treatments
Scott Baute, PA-C
- 12:00-1:00 PM** Sponsored Lunch: LONSURF® for the Treatment of Refractory Metastatic Colorectal Cancer (*non-CME, pre-registration required*)
Ayodele Ayoola, MD
- 1:00-2:00 PM** From Knowledge to Implementation: Strategies for Increasing Patient's Participation and Success with Behavior Change
Sheila Hautbois, PA-C
- 2:00-3:00 PM** Practical Suicide and Violence Risk Assessment
Robert Gardella, MD
- 3:00-3:30 PM** Break With Exhibitors
- 3:30-4:30 PM** Migraine Headaches
Harold Felton, PA-C, DHEd

4:30-5:30 PM Pediatric Sickle Cell Disease Emergencies
Maggie Connealy, PA-C

5:30-6:30 PM Networking Reception
3rd Annual VAPA Student Challenge Bowl
Begins at approximately 6:30 PM after the Networking Reception

NOVEMBER 4

- 7:15 AM** Registration Opens
- 7:45-9:45 AM** Workshop: Wilderness Medicine Top 10
Randy Howell, DHSc, PA-C
An overview of common topics in Wilderness Medicine including environmental emergencies, musculoskeletal injuries, hemorrhage control, HEENT injuries, envenomation, and wound management.
- 8:00-10:00 AM** Workshop: Suturing - Techniques for Superficial & Deep Closures
Sara Nicely, DHEd, PA-C
Participants will learn how to select appropriate suture materials, understand the need to thoroughly cleanse, explore, and identify deep spaces in wounds, understand and apply superficial closure techniques, and understand and apply deep closure techniques.
- 10:00 AM-12:00 PM** Workshop: Introduction to Basic Bedside Ultrasound
Shea Dempsey, DMSc, PA-C & Janice Benton, RDMS, AB/OB/GYN
This course will introduce ultrasound basics like probe positioning, image formation, and common bedside exams such as eFAST, vascular procedures, cardiac, and gallbladder. This is a hands-on workshop and will involve practicing on each other. Please wear appropriate attire.