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PaACEP Scientific Assembly 2009: Advances, Controversies, and Technology, April 13-16, Pittsburgh, PA

Why Wait? Register today at www.paacep.org!

Hotel Deadline Extended! Book by March 27th and receive the discounted overnight rate. A rate of just \$169 is available at the Sheraton Station Square. Space is limited, so make your reservation today by calling **1-866-716-8103** and requesting the PaACEP Scientific Assembly rate.

PaACEP's Scientific Assembly will take place from April 13-16 at the Sheraton Station Square Hotel in Pittsburgh, PA. Not only can you catch up with peers, colleagues, and old friends, but you will also have the opportunity to **meet with more than 15 companies** offering medical and professional support to emergency physicians. Meet with them throughout the day or during the **Welcome Wine and Cheese Reception**, Tuesday, April 14 at 6:00 pm.

"This course enhances your skill-set while allowing you to earn up to **25 ACEP AMA PRA Category 1TM** continuing medical education credits. There is no better way to earn CME and at the same time interact with chapter leadership and network with colleagues," says Michael Turturro, MD, FACEP, 2009 Scientific Assembly chair.

This Week's Featured Lectures

LLSA Workshop: The 2008 ABEM LLSA Article Review and the 2007 LLSA Exam The LLSA review has become a highly valued and popular course annually at the Scientific Assembly. This session will offer a detailed review of key information from 2008 LLSA articles and interpret issues stressed by ABEM on the exam based on those questions raised on the 2007 examination. *Wednesday, April 15, 5:00 pm*

From the Files of Toxicology Units: Commonly Missed Diagnoses This year's toxicology symposium will feature three different and equally important diagnostic cases. Selected for the commonality of the symptoms presented in an emergency department and subsequent treatment, these commonly mistaken syndromes will enable discussion and debate between the faculty and audience about how to properly diagnose and treat various toxins/syndromes. *Wednesday, April 15, 7:00 pm*

ED Director's Forum This is a unique opportunity for emergency department directors, associate directors, quality coordinators, and anyone interested in ED department management to share collective experience, wisdom, and problem solving. This year's discussion topics include: balanced billing, Mcare, and new Joint Commission requirements for medical staffs. *Wednesday, April 15, 7:00 pm*

**Above lectures are free of charge but do require pre-registration.*

And don't forget the Pre-conference Workshops!

Take advantage of our hands-on state-of-the-art skills workshops- four to choose from! Test your skills and practice with the latest video laryngoscopy techniques with **New Airway Devices** (April 13, 4:30 pm). **The Joy of Local Injection** (April 13, 7:00 pm) will demonstrate anatomic landmarks targeted for treatment of painful conditions as well as local anesthetic techniques. You can practice ultrasound guided DVT screening, central line placement, and other assisted procedures in **Advanced Uses of Ultrasound** (April 13, 7:00 pm). Finally, role-play with simulated patients to practice interacting with the patient and work with your peers to establish a successful communication process in the **Challenging Communications Seminar** (April 15, 9:00 am). Pre-registration is required for all workshops and some additional fees apply.

For a complete schedule, to print a brochure, or to register, visit our website at www.paacep.org

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