# ohio foot and ankle annual scientific seminar **Annual scientific seminar Scientific seminar**

April 20, 2024 VIRTUAL • May 16 - 17, 2024 IN PERSON

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### **25 CONTACT CME HOURS**

Presented by the Ohio Foot and Ankle Medical Foundation in conjunction with the Ohio Foot and Ankle Medical Association www.ohfama.org

## **Schedule at a Glance**

Saturday, April 20, 2024 VIRTUAL ONLY	Course Title	Presenter(s)
7:00 AM - 9:30 AM	108th Annual Foot and Ankle Scientific Seminar Welcome and Course Introduction	Thomas Arnold, DPM
	The Forefoot & Revision Forefoot Cases	Pat Burns, DPM; Lawrence DiDomenico, DPM; Jacqueline Donovan, DPM Scott Malay, DPM; Robert Mendicino, DPM; Al Ng, DPM
9:30 AM - 9:45 AM	BREAK	
9:45 AM - 11:30 AM	Diabetic Salvage, My "Sweetest" and Worst Case	Pat Burns, DPM; Lawrence DiDomenico, DPM; Jacqueline Donovan, DPM Mike Dujela, DPM; Scott Malay, DPM; Al Ng, DPM
11:30 AM - 1:30 PM	PICA Risk Management Lecture: Principles of Complications Management	Luke Cicchinelli, DPM; June Laird, Esq.; Kate Swanstrom, DPM
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1:45 PM - 4:00 PM	Hindfoot and Ankle Cases	Lawrence DiDomenico, DPM; Mike Dujela, DPM; Scott Malay, DPM Robert Mendicino, DPM; Al Ng, DPM
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6:30 AM - 7:00 AM	Registration	
7:00 AM - 9:30 AM	108th Annual Foot and Ankle Scientific Seminar Welcome and Course Introduction	Thomas Arnold, DPM
	Diabetic Patient Management	Patrick Burns, DPM; David DeLuccia, LP; Krishna Mannava, MD; Suhail Masadeh, DPM Rolland Ramdass, DPM; Matthew Reiner, DPM; Randall Thomas, DPM <b>  Regent Ballroom 2 &amp; 3</b>
9:30 AM - 10:00 AM	BREAK — Exhibit Hall	Easton Grand Ballroom
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM	MIS Possibilities and Forefoot Surgery	Joshua Banks, DPT; Samantha Bark, DPM; Roberto Brandao, DPM
		Elizabeth Wakefield, DPM   Regent Ballroom 2 & 3
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Lunch And Learn (Pickup Tickets in the Exhibit Hall) Choose from 3 Educational Presentations	Non-CECH — Ohio Category I
1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Scientific Paper and Poster Competitions: Presentations from Podiatric Physician Residents in Ohio	Robert Brarens, DPM, Chair   Regent Ballroom 2 & 3
3:00 PM - 3:30 PM	BREAK - Exhibit Hall   Easton Grand Ballroom	
3:30 PM - 5:30 PM	Looking Forward: Cutting Edge Technologies, Recent Trends, and How to Protect Yourself in a Changing World	Peter Highlander, DPM; Christopher Hyer, DPM; Rolland Ramdass, DPM Matthew Reiner, DPM; Dan Zinsmaster, Esq. <b>  Regent Ballroom 2 &amp; 3</b>
8:00 AM - 5:30 PM	Assistants Program	Marc Greenberg, DPM; Karen Kellogg, DPM, MBA; Amy Masowick, DPM; Richard Schilling, DPM <b>Magnolia Room</b>
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**Dr. Lawrence DiDomenico** April Virtual Seminar Co-Chair



**Dr. Sarah Abshier** May In-Person Seminar Co-Chair



Dr. Tom McCabe Exhibit Hall Chair



**Dr. Robert Mendicino** April Virtual Seminar Co-Chair



Dr. Christopher Hyer May In-Person Seminar Co-Chair



Resident Competitions Chair



### 108TH ANNUAL OHIO FOOT AND ANKLE

# Scientific Seminar

### Mission Statement for The Annual Ohio Foot and Ankle Scientific Seminar

The OFAMF's and OHFAMA's educational mission is to purposefully advance the art and science of podiatric medicine by providing the highest quality of didactic and clinical learning experiences to members, non-members, and their medical assistants, and shall include a variety of instructional sessions aimed at significantly enhancing patient care, treatment protocols and practice efficiency. The program may include interactive educational adult learning methods and principles utilizing lectures, panel discussions, point-counterpoint, excuse the interruption forums, case studies, question and answer, handouts, audio visual materials (including media or narrations), hands-on workshops and roundtable discussions with moderators to achieve a well-rounded venue of postgraduate instruction. (updated September, 2022)

#### Key Goal

To achieve 25 Hours of CME Category I in evidence based podiatric medicine for professional development.

#### **Objectives**

Upon conclusion of the Annual Seminar, podiatric physicians will be able to: Upon conclusion of the Annual Seminar, podiatric physicians will be able to:

- be knowledgeably informed or recall information regarding podiatric conditions, maladies or circumstances relating to the practice of medicine and podiatry
- extrapolate by comprehension, understanding or perception the insight gained via lecture and discussion relating to the practice of medicine and podiatry
- formulate or infer by *application* case relevance relating to the practice of medicine and podiatry
- distinguish by *analysis* the appropriate modalities in the treatment, care and protocols of current trends, application and practices of medicine in podiatry
- generalize, synthesize, or deduce by classification ways to develop treatment
  protocols based on current literature and evidence-based medicine
- compare, contrast and *evaluate* judgment values for those ideas presented between
  medical and surgical applications

## Welcome!

### Welcome to The 108th Annual Ohio Foot and Ankle Scientific Seminar

#### **General Information**

A confirmation e-mail will be sent following receipt of your registration. Registrants have the option to attend the virtual seminar day, the in person seminar days, or both for full credit.

#### Virtual Attendance 8.0 total hours Saturday, April 20, 2024

Registrants for the virtual portion of the seminar will receive an email the week of the seminar with complete login information and directions. The email will be sent to the email used during registration. Registrants will sign into the session at the start time and complete an evaluation at the end. Each session will be streamed so physicians may earn up to 8 CECH for the virtual seminar day depending on what is attended.

The seminar will not be recorded, and registrants will need to participate during the live presentations in order to receive continuing education credit. Each registrant will have unique login credentials to verify what sessions are attended for credit to be awarded.

#### In Person Attendance

You must sign for your annual seminar packet at the conference Registration desk.

- 9.5 total hours
   Thursday, May 16, 2024
   7.5 total hours
- Friday, May 17, 2024

Registration materials, including scanning information, will be provided in your registration packet. To receive member pricing, you must be a current OHFAMA or APMA member. CPME hours do not apply to practice management sessions. Please remit your CME signature sheet (white copy) before your hotel departure. You retain the yellow file copy.

Nondiscrimination: No person shall be denied registration or participation in any continuing education program provided by this Association for reasons of race, religion, sex, national origin or physical ability. This program is ADA Compliant. Please notify our staff when registering if you require special accommodation for training or attendance at (614) 457-6269.

#### **Conference Attendance**

Registration and payment do not automatically result in the issuance of any CME credit. Virtual attendees will need to login and follow attendance prompts when requested. In person attendees must complete two methods of attendance verification; scanning and an NCR form. Attendees will be scanned twice each day to verify attendance. The paper NCR form attests that you have attended the program for the number of CME hours awarded. Please retain one copy for your file for state licensure audit. A signed copy is required to receive the Certificate of Attendance. Please remit your CME white copy signature sheet before your hotel departure at the seminar registration desk.

Consent to use of photographic images: Registration and attendance at or participation in OFAMF/OHFAMA meetings, academy functions and other activities constitute an agreement by the registrant to the use and distribution (both now and in the future) of the registrant or attendee's image in photographs, videotapes, and electronic reproduction of such events and activities for marketing and professional use.

#### **Continental Breakfast & Breaks**

Included with your in person registration, join us in the Exhibit Hall for a light daily continental breakfast and for all scheduled breaks on Thursday and Friday.

#### Lunch and Learns

Thursday, May 16, 20224 will offer 3 diverse Lunch and Learn options. Enjoy a private, 90-minute lunch with lecture hosted by one of our sponsors with the opportunity to earn CME credit. Tickets must be picked up at the sponsor's exhibit booth. Each session is limited to 40 registrants and tickets are available on a first come first served basis.

#### Exhibitor's Marketplace – Friday

Lunch (included with your registration) is provided to all registered attendees in the Exhibit Hall at the Marketplace. This event is 90 minutes — exclusive with all exhibitors. No CME is provided; there are no opposing lectures. You must wear a name tag for admittance. Be sure to visit all exhibitors and have your Play To Win Cards marked for your chance to win door prizes during the Friday afternoon break. Exhibitors' participation supports the podiatric profession. Please let them know how much you value their presence and participation at The Annual Seminar.

#### **Exhibit Hall & Scanning**

Exhibits are Thursday and Friday. You must wear a name tag for admittance. Scanning will occur in the Exhibit Hall in selected areas prior to 11:00 AM and 4:00 PM daily. Exhibits will dismantle after the 3:00 PM break on Friday afternoon. NCR forms attesting to attendance per session must be completed and remitted before conference departure for CME certificates.

#### Cancellations

A \$50 administration fee will be charged. Cancellations must be received in writing to OFAMF/OHFAMA prior to May 7, 2024. No refunds for cancellations will be honored after that date.

#### **Online Registration**

Register online at www.ohfama.org; FAX at (614) 457-3375; or mail to: 108th Annual Foot and Ankle Scientific Seminar, 1960 Bethel Rd., Ste. 140, Columbus, OH 43220-1815. Make check payable to OFAMF (Ohio Foot and Ankle Medical Foundation). *Registration closes on May 7.* Registrations postmarked after that date will be charged the \$50 on-site registration fee without exception.

**On-Site Registrations** Online and faxed registration will be closed on May 7; registration cannot be confirmed after that date. After

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## **2024 Faculty**

#### Sarah Abshier, DPM – Seminar Chair

Dr. Abshier is in a multispecialty practice in Columbus Ohio. She is a board-certified podiatrist and certified wound care specialist. She is a past president of OHFAMA and was a founding board member for the OHFAMA Foundation. She is Ohio's current private insurance advisory committee (PIAC) representative to APMA and also represents Ohio at the APMA House of Delegates. Dr. Abshier is a member of the APMA coding committee and is involved in their leadership group. She frequently lectures on matters related to coding and is an advocate of coding education for young physicians. She is also involved in the APMAs Education Committee and Membership Stakeholders Committee. In addition. Dr. Abshier serves as a material expert in US patent cases. Dr. Abshier was an alternate advisor to the AMA CPT Editorial Panel on behalf of the APMA until recently. She was appointed to the AMA CPT Editorial Panel by the AMA board of trustees earlier this year and is currently serving a 4-year term

#### Joshua Banks, DPT

Dr. Banks earned a Bachelor of Science degree in 2009 and Master of Science degree in 2013 from The University of Akron. He received his Doctor of Physical Therapy from Wheeling Jesuit University in 2012. Before becoming the Clinical Director of Physical Therapy at Orthopedic Foot and Ankle Center in 2019, he practiced physical therapy at Fowler Physical Therapy in Salisbury, North Carolina and Physio in Columbus, Ohio. He and his team of experienced physical therapists consistently achieve measurable results in patient-rehabilitation and have acquired a formidable reputation.

#### Samantha Bark, DPM

Dr. Bark graduated from New York College of Podiatric Medicine in 2007. She completed her residency at Inova Fairfax Regional Trauma Center and Hospital for Children. Dr. Bark completed her first fellowship in reconstructive foot and ankle surgery at the Palo Alto Medical Foundation, and a second fellowship in limb lengthening and deformity correction at the Rubin Institute for Advanced Orthopedics. She is Boardcertified in Reconstructive Rearfoot, Ankle, and Foot Surgery. Currently, Dr. Bark practices at Avita Health System's Orthopedic Center in Galion, Ohio.

#### Robert Brandao, DPM

Dr. Brandao is a graduate of University of Pittsburgh Medical Center Residency and completed a 1-year advanced foot and ankle surgery fellowship at the Orthopedic Foot and Ankle Center in Columbus, OH. He currently serves as research director and faculty surgeon at the Orthopedic Foot & Ankle Center Surgical Fellowship and practices in the greater Columbus area including Gahanna and Zanesville. He is a Fellow of the ACFAS, Diplomate of the ABFAS, and board-certified in Foot and Reconstructive Rearfoot and Ankle Surgery.

#### **Robert Brarens, DPM**

Dr. Brarens served in the United States Marine Corps upon graduation from high school and had the honor of serving in both Desert Shield and Desert Storm. Honorably discharged, he enrolled in Colorado State University, after which he was accepted into Temple University Medical School, Graduating in the top 10 of his class, Dr. Brarens was selected for one of the top podiatric surgical residencies in the country at Case Western Reserve in Cleveland, Ohio, under Dr. Gerard V. Yu, where he finished as chief resident. In practice for over fifteen years, Dr. Brarens opened SureStep Foot & Ankle Medical Center in 2010. He remains active in the Cincinnati community, both private and medical, lecturing and volunteering locally and nationally

#### Michael Brody, DPM

Dr. Brody is in private practice in New York and founded the residency program at the VA hospital in Northport, New York, where he was a staff podiatrist for 27 years. He was a committee member with the Certification Commission for Health Information Technology (CCHIT), the US Technical Advisory Group to the International Standards Organization for Health Information Technology, Integrating the Healthcare Enterprise, the HIMSS Physician Committee, and other local, national and international organizations in the field of health information technology. Dr. Brody writes for Podiatry Management magazine and maintains the Health Information Technology website TLDSystems.com. Dr. Brody provides consulting services to PICA and Televere Systems. He is the chief medical officer for Podiatry Plan.

#### Patrick Burns, DPM

Dr. Burns is a graduate of Dr. William M. Scholl College of Podiatric Medicine in Chicago, and completed his residency at the University of Pittsburgh. In 2006, he joined the Foot and Ankle Division of the University of Pittsburgh Department of Orthopedic Surgery. In 2023, he joined the foot and ankle surgery team at Wheeling Hospital, WVU. He is a member of the APMA and a diplomate of the ABFAS. Dr. Burns is the associate editor of the surgical section of the Journal of the American Podiatric Medical Association and on the editorial board of several other publications.

#### Doug Chalker, RT(R)(RC)

Mr. Chalker is a clinical applications specialist at CurveBeam AI. Doug earned his bachelors in Allied Health Professions from the Ohio State University. He has worked as an RT at Christ Hospital in Cincinnati, St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Edgewood, KY, and Mercy Medical Center in Batavia. Mr. Chalker now works with CurveBeam AI customers around the United States helping them optimize protocols for weight bearing CT imaging.

#### Luke Cicchinelli, DPM

Dr. Cicchinelli is the Chief Medical Director of PICA with over 30 years' experience both domestically and internationally as a podiatric surgeon, consultant, speaker, and educator in sports medicine, reconstructive surgery of the foot and ankle, and diabetes limb salvage, including 28 years as a lead surgeon on humanitarian missions in pediatric surgery in Central and South America. Dr. Cicchinelli is a Fellow of the American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons (USA), a Fellow of the Australasian College of Podiatric Surgery (Australia) and the Colegiado in Galicia and Austurias (Spain).

#### David DeLuccia, LPO

Mr. DeLuccia is a board-certified prosthetist and orthotist who specializes in lower extremity orthotics, wound care, and post-amputation recovery. After completing his residency, he received his Certificate in Orthotics from the Newington Certificate Program before joining the professional staff at American Orthopedics. Mr. DeLuccia is a past President of the State of Ohio Orthotic, Prosthetic and Pedorthic Licensure board.

#### Lawrence DiDomenico, DPM – Seminar Chair

Dr. DiDomenico is in private practice in Youngstown. He is an adjunct professor at the Kent State University College of Podiatric Medicine. He is the Director of Reconstructive Rearfoot and Ankle Surgical Fellowship and the Director of Residency Training at Northside Hospital. He has a special interest in diabetic wound care, diabetic foot and ankle reconstruction, hallux valgus and total ankle replacement

Jaqueline Donovan, DPM Dr. Donovan is an assistant professor in the Division of Foot & Ankle Surgery and Biomechanics at KSUCPM and is double board certified in foot and reconstructive rearfoot and ankle surgery. Dr. Donovan is on staff at University Hospitals Ahuja, Bedford, and Richmond Campuses, as well as Cleveland Clinic Fairview Hospital. She completed a three-year residency program at Grant Medical Center in Columbus, OH where she served as co-chief; then proceeded with an Orthopedic Trauma Fellowship. She currently practices at Erie Foot and Ankle Center

#### Mike Dujela, DPM

Dr. Duiela is a nationally recognized orthopedic fellowship trained surgeon at Washington Orthopaedic Center. He is the co-chairman of the DPM foot and ankle courses for the AO Foundation; and is a director of the ACFAS approved advanced foot and ankle surgical reconstruction fellowship at Washington Orthopaedic Center. Dr. Duela teaches surgical techniques to other physicians throughout the USA and serves as AO North America Trauma Faculty. He serves on the board of directors for the ABFAS, and on a national committee responsible for developing the board certification exam for foot and ankle surgeons

#### Melissa Galli, DPM

Dr. Galli practices with The Core Institute in Phoenix, AZ, and received her medical degree from Des Moines University while simultaneously completing her Master of Health Care Administration. Dr. Galli completed her podiatric surgical residency in the Department of Orthopedics at Wexner Medical Center, Columbus, OH. She completed her fellowship at Coordinated Health in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania where she received comprehensive reconstructive training, including primary and revision ankle joint replacement. In addition, she studied abroad for a 5-week international external fixation fellowship in limb deformity correction with Dr. Kirienko in Milan, Italy. She is an active member of the ACEAS. APMA. AzPMA and is an ongoing trauma section editor for its Journal of Foot and Ankle Surgery.

#### Marc Greenberg, DPM

Dr. Greenberg is a graduate of Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science, Scholl College of Podiatric Medicine and is in private practice in Dayton, OH. Dr. Greenberg currently serves as an APMA Delegate for the OHFAMA, is the Trustee for the Midwest Academy and past president of OHFAMA. He is board certified in foot surgery by ABFAS.

#### Peter Highlander, DPM

Dr. Highlander is a graduate of Barry University School of Podiatric Medicine and completed his residency at the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center. In 2018, Dr. Highlander formed The Reconstruction Institute, located in Bellevue, Ohio which provides orthopedic and podiatric surgical services to north-central Ohio. His interest in 3D printing and its utilization in complex foot and ankle reconstruction has led to multiple headlines and accolades. He was named "Physician Innovator" by Crain's Cleveland Business for his development and utilization of custom 3D-printed implants. He serves as fellowship director at The Reconstruction Institute and medical director at The Bellevue Hospital Wound Center. He serves on the advisory board for the Miller 3D Print Lab and is an Associate Clinical Professor at The University of Toledo College of Medicine. In addition, he is a founding member and current Secretary of the American Orthopaedic Society of 3D Printing.

#### Mark Hofbauer, DPM

Dr. Hofbauer practices at WVU Medicine Wheeling Hospital. He received his Doctorate from the Ohio College of Podiatric Medicine and completed an Internal Fixation Trauma Fellowship at The Free University of Berlin, Germany and in Interlaken, Switzerland. He is Board Certified in Foot and Ankle Reconstructive Surgery by the American Board of Podiatric Surgery. Dr. Hofbauer is also a fellow of The American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons.

#### Christopher Hyer, DPM – Seminar Chair

Dr. Hyer is a board certified, two-year orthopedic fellowship-trained foot and ankle surgeon and partner at the Orthopedic Foot & Ankle Center (OFAC), a multi-specialty foot and ankle practice in Columbus, OH. Dr. Hyer is co-director of the advanced foot and ankle reconstruction fellowship training both DPM and MD/D0 Orthopedic physicians at OFAC. Dr. Hyer is very active in research and has authored over 170 peer reviewed scholarly publications as well as multiple textbook chapters and co-editor of the 1st and 2nd editions of Primary and Revision Total Ankle Arthroplasty textbook and editor of Essential Foot and Ankle Surgical Techniques. Dr. Hyer has expertise in all areas of foot and ankle surgery with special interest in cartilage replacement techniques, reconstructive and deformity correction surgery, sports and trauma injury repair and is a leader in total ankle replacement. He has also been actively involved in product development and invention and holds several patents on numerous orthopedic implants and devices

#### Karen Kellogg, DPM, MBA

Dr. Kellogg is a graduate of the OCPM/KSUCPM. She completed a two-year residency in podiatric surgery at Dunlap Hospital in Orrville, OH. Dr. Kellogg spent 12 years in private practice in Fairlawn, OH, and currently practices at the Cleveland VA Medical Center Ravenna outpatient clinic. Dr. Kellogg earned an MBA from Kent State University in 2018. Dr. Kellogg is an OHFAMA past president, a Trustee of the OHFAMA Board, a Director of the OFAMF Board, and an APMA

Delegate. She is also a member of the KSUCPM Advisory Board.

#### Mike King, DPM

Dr. King is a past president of the APMA. He is a graduate of OCPM and trained at Toledo Riverside ospital. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Foot and Ankle Surgery. Dr. King has served in all major capacities of the APMA in the Health Policy arena and has been a chart auditor for insurance companies. He has also served as the APMA advisor to the AMA CPT editorial panel in coding matters. He is currently the Chief Medical Officer for Upperline Healthcare, Inc

#### June Baker Laird, Esq

June Laird is a Partner in the Colorado office of McElroy Deutsch. She graduated in 1989 from the University of Oklahoma College of Law with honors. June is a trial lawyer who defends lawyers and healthcare providers against professional malpractice claims at trials and arbitrations, bringing dozens of cases to defense verdict for her clients. June also represents lawyers on disciplinary matters before the Office of Attorney Regulation, and healthcare providers before their licensing Boards. June is a member of the Colorado and Florida Bar Associations, the Colorado Defense Lawyers Association and Colorado's Federal Faculty of Advocates. She is rated AV Preeminent by Martindale-Hubbell.

#### Scot Malay, DPM

Dr. Malay is a graduate of Pennsylvania College of Podiatric Medicine and received advanced training at The Doctor's Hospital. He is currently the Directo of Podiatric Research at Penn Presbyterian Medical Center, and a physician on staff at Penn Podiatry University City. He is board-certified in foot surgery and reconstructive rearfoot/ankle surgery. Dr. Malay is a national and international lecturer in foot and ankle surgery and his works are published in textbooks and journals of foot and ankle surgery. He is particularly interested in reconstructive and traumatological foot and ankle surgery, diabetic foot infections and wound care, and management of the insensitive and dysvascular foot

#### Krishna Mannava, MD

Dr. Mannava practices in Columbus, Ohio and launched Vive Vascular in 2020, the largest freestanding vascular center in the region. He is a graduate of Northeastern Ohio Universities College of Medicine, completed his surgery residency training at Case Western UH of Cleveland and a two-year vascular surgery fellowship at the Ochsner Clinic in New Orleans. He continues to hold academic teaching positions at The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center and also at Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine. While Dr. Mannava provides a comprehensive range of vascular services, his passion is preventing unnecessary amputations in patients with peripheral arterial disease (PAD).

#### Suhail Masadeh, DPM

Dr. Masadeh is a graduate of KSUCPM and completed his fellowship in advanced reconstructive foot and ankle surgery. He has extensive training in the evaluation and management of foot, ankle, and lower leg pathology. His clinical interests include diabeti foot management / reconstructive surgery & limb salvage, peripheral nerve surgery, pediatric foot surgery and ankle arthroscopy. Dr. Masadeh serves as Associate Professor of Clinical-Affiliate and Residency Program Director of the Division of Podiatric Medicine and Surgery at the University of Cincinnati College of Medicine.

#### Amy Masowick, DPM

Dr. Masowick is a board-certified podiatric physician who graduated from William Scholl College of Podiatric Medicine. She completed her residency at a level 1 trauma facility where she developed expertise in surgical intervention for traumatic foot and ankle injuries. She is also well-trained regarding conservative and elective surgery options for treatment of bunions and toe pain, heel pain, arthritis, neuromas, and sports injuries, as well as skin and nail conditions. Dr. Masowick currently practices with Cincinnati Foot and Ankle Care

Gladstone McDowell, MD Dr. McDowell is the Medical Director of Integrated Pain Solutions in Columbus, Ohio. He graduated

from medical school at the University of Texas Health Science Center. Dr. McDowell completed his Residency in Anesthesiology at the University of Colorado and a Urologic Oncology Fellowship at the University of Texas in Houston. He performed a Pain Management Fellowship at the Ohio State University Pain Control Center

#### Mark Mendeszoon, DPM

Dr. Mendeszoon is a senior partner at Precision Orthopaedic Specialties in Chardon, Ohio and is the co-owner of Achilles Running Shop in Ohio and PA. He is a professor at Iowa State University, Kent State University, Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine, Miami University, and Ohio University. He is the Director of University Hospitals Geauga Medical Center, advanced foot and ankle fellowship surgery program. He is also the chief of podiatry at Geauga Medical Center, With a strong passion for sports medicine, he is a team doctor for several local high schools as well as a medical consultant to SPIRE Institute and several universities. He's had the privilege to work with athletes of all levels, including Olympians and professionals

#### Robert Mendicino, DPM – Seminar Chair

Dr. Mendicino is board certified by the American board of foot and ankle surgery in foot and rearfoot and ankle surgery. He has over 150 peer reviewed publications and has lectured extensively throughout the United States and abroad. Dr. Mendicino is the past director of the Grant Medical Center foot and ankle residency and a past president of the ACFAS.

#### Alan Ng, DPM

Dr. Alan Ng graduated from Dr. William M. Scholl College of Podiatric Medicine, After completing his Residency and Fellowship with Harris County Podiatric Surgical Residency Program, he joined Advanced Orthopedics in Denver, CO. Dr. Ng specializes primarily in Foot and Ankle Reconstructive Surgery and Trauma. Outside of his own practice, he is heavily involved in the world of podiatric medicine, serving as a past President for the American Board of Foot and Ankle Surgery, and has been Chair of the Oral Foot examination for Board Certification in foot surgery since 2009. He is also involved in designing surgical equipment and consulting for multiple surgical companies to enhance patient outcomes and to use new technology to improve surgical techniques.

#### Andrew Pavelescu, DPM

Dr. Pavelescu earned his medical degree from OCPM, and he completed his residency and training in the Department of Orthopedics at New York-Presbyterian Hospital, an affiliate of Weill Cornell Medical College. In addition to his residency, he received supplemental training at the Rubin Institute for Advanced Orthopedics, in Baltimore, MD in lower limb deformity correction. Dr. Pavelescu received advanced training in reconstructive foot and ankle surgery by the AO Foundation, and completed fellowship training in hyperbaric medicine, limb salvage, and wound care. Dr. Pavelescu is double certified by the ABFAS, in foot & ankle surgery, and by the ABPM, in medicine of the lower limb. He is also a Fellow of the ACFAS

#### Rolland Ramdass, DPM

Dr. Ramdass is in private practice at the Foot and Ankle Center Winchester, VA. He is board certified in Foot Surgery and Reconstructive Rearfoot and Ankle Surgery by the ABFAS. He serves as the Secretary/ Treasurer on the Board of Directors for ABFAS, is the immediate past President of the National Board of Podiatric Medical Examiners and past President of Virginia Podiatric Medical Association and ACFAS Mid-Atlantic Region.

#### Matthew Reiner, DPM

Dr. Reiner graduated from KSUCPM, and completed his residency at St. Vincent Charity Medical Center in Cleveland, OH. Dr. Reiner honed his skills in advanced techniques and procedures with additional fellowship training from the Northern Ohio Foot and Ankle Foundation. He is board-certified in foot and ankle surgery by the ABFAS. He currently practices with Integrative Foot & Ankle Centers of Washington.

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## **Physicians Program**

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#### Marcus Richardson, DPM

Dr. Richardson earned his Doctorate of Podiatric Medicine from Temple University School of Podiatric Medicine. Afterwards, he completed a three-year residency at Grant Medical Center in Columbus, Ohio. Dr. Richardson practices at the Adena Orthopedic and Spine Institute in Chillicothe, Ohio and is affiliated with Adena Regional Medical Center. He is a member of the American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons and OlfFAMA.

#### William Scherer, DPM

Dr. Scherer has maintained a private practice in South FL since 1991 and has served 17 years as an Adjunct Professor at Bary University School of Podiatric Medicine. He has published several peer reviewed articles on onychomycosis, of which three were honored with an APMA William J. Stickel Award for outstanding research in Podiatric Medicine. Dr. Scherer completed a PSR-24 residence in California, and since has been an innovator with medical and educational computer technology and created the Keystone Board Examination Software for Podiatric Surgery and Podiatric Medicine that has been used by thousands of physicians to prepare for their board examinations. He is board certified by the American Board of Podiatric Surgery, board certified by the American Board of Podiatric Orthopedics and Primary Podiatric Medicine.

#### **Richard Schilling, DPM**

Dr. Schilling graduated from OCPM in 2002 and completed a residency at DePaul Hospital in St. Louis, Missouri, as well as a Fellowship training in Reconstructive Foot and Ankle Surgery at the Weil Foot and Ankle Institute in Des Plaines, IL. Through his education and years of experience, Dr. Schilling has developed specializations in diabetic foot care, sports medicine, reconstructive foot and ankle surgery, and wound care. Dr. Schilling is affiliated with several hospitals in his hometown of Columbus, OH, Including Grant Medical Center and Mount Carmel East Hospital. Dr. Schilling is a past president of the Ohio Foot and Ankle Medical Association and is on the Board of Directors for the Ohio Foot and Ankle Medical Foundation.

#### Jeffrey Strakowski, MD

Dr. Strakowski completed his undergraduate studies at Indiana University and attended medical school and completed his residency at The Ohio State University Department of Physical Medicine. Dr. Strakowski is board certified in Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, with subspecialty certifications in Neuromuscular Medicine, Ports Medicine, and Spinal Cord Injury Medicine. He is also ABEM certified in Electrodiagnostic Medicine and ARDMS Certified in Musculoskeletal Ultrasound. Dr. Strakowski is a Clinical Professor in the Department of PM&R at The Ohio State University, as well as Director of Medical Education in the Department of PM&R at Riverside Methodist Hospital.

#### Rebecca Sundling, DPM, MPH

Dr. Sundling is a graduate of Scholl College of Podiatric Medicine and completed her residency at Grant Medical Center. She also earned a Master's degree in Public Health from Dartmouth College in Hanover, NH. Currently, she practices with Foot and Ankle Specialists of West Michigan. Because of her personal involvement in sports, she has a specialized interest in sports medicine, as well as other areas, such as diabetic foot care and surgery. Dr. Sundling is a member of the APMA, also serving as the Young Physician Member of their Board of Trustees.

#### Katie Swanstrom, DPM

Dr. Swanstrom is in private practice as an owner of the Spokane Foot Clinic and is President of the Northwest Surgery Center in WA. She has served on the Board of Directors of the ABFAS since 2020. Dr. Swanstrom is board certified in both Foot Surgery and Reconstructive Rearfoot/Ankle Surgery. She serves her local medical community as the Vice Chief of Staff at Valley Hospital and is proud to be the first Podiatric Surgen to serve in this role. She is the Chair of the Credentialing Committee at Valley Hospital. Dr. Swanstrom is also on the PICA Medical Advisory Committee.

#### Randall Thomas, DPM

Dr. Thomas is a graduate of Barry University, and a high-volume foot and ankle surgery residency training program at Grant Medical Center in Columbus, OH. After residency he took on the role of the assistant director for OhioHealth's foot and ankle surgery residency program. Dr. Thomas has held leadership positions in the past such as the chair of surgery at Riverside Methodist Hospital. He was previously the foot and ankle appointee for surgery peer review committee for OhioHealth. Dr. Thomas is a fellow of the ACFAS and a Diplomeat of the ABFAS, holding the prestigious double hoard certification in Foot as well as Reconstructive Rearfoot and Ankle Surgery. He currently practices with Orthopedic Foot & Ankle Center in Columbus, OH.

#### Elizabeth Wakefield, DPM

Dr. Wakefield graduated in 2009 with a BA in Biochemistry and Molecular biology from The College of Wooster, where she also received honors for her independent study thesis for original research on the topics of diabetes and glycemic control. In 2013, she graduated from KSUCPM, and went on to complete a podiatric medicine and surgical residency, with reconstructive rearfoot and ankle surgery at Grant Medical Center in Columbus, OH. In 2019, she joined Schwein Foot and Ankle Clinic in Mansfield, Ohio.

#### Congressman Brad Wenstrup, DPM

Dr. Wenstrup earned his Doctor of Podiatric Medicine degree from Scholl College of Podiatric Medicine at Rosalind Franklin University in Chicago. After completing his surgical residency at Thorek Hospital in Chicago, Dr. Wenstrup returned to Cincinnati to open his own private practice, treating patients in southwest Ohio for over 27 years. Dr. Wenstrup also served on the Cincinnati Board of Health and was the Podiatric Surgical Residency Director at Christ Hospital in Cincinnati. He served in the U.S. Army Reserve from 1988 to 2022, retiring with rank of colonel. From 2005 to 2006, he deployed to Irag where he served as the Chief of Surgery with the 344th Combat Support Hospital. He was awarded the Bronze Star and the Combat Action Badge for his service and in 2018, he was awarded the Soldier's Medal. In 2012, Dr. Wenstrup was elected to represent the people of Ohio's Second Congressional District in the United States House of Representatives and currently in the 118th Congress, Dr. Wenstrup serves on the House Committee on Ways and Means and the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. As a member of the Ways and Means and Intelligence Committees, Dr. Wenstrup works to address the national health and systemic poverty issues, while strengthening our national security. He has long been a voice of support for southern Ohio's veteran community. He also serves as a co-chair of the GOP Doctors Caucus. This past November, Dr. Wenstrup announced that he will be retiring from Congress at the conclusion of his term to spend more time with his wife and two children

#### Dan Zinsmaster, Esq

Mr. Zinsmaster is a partner in the Corporate Division and Health Care Law Practice Group at Dinsmore & Shohl, and provides counsel and advocacy to clients on a variety of matters, including health care compliance, strategic counseling, enforcement and litigation, as well as telemedicine and telehealth issues. He also advises clients on antitrust matters and white-collar crime. Prior to joining Dinsmore & Shohl, Mr. Zinsmaster practiced with the State Medical Board of Ohio, where he advised members and agency personnel on issues related to administrative proceedings, state regulatory investigations, and federal rules and regulations implicating the field of health care. He is a member of the American Bar Association (Health Law Section, Substance Use Disorders Task Force), Ohio State Bar Association (Health Law Committee, Administrative Law Committee), and Columbus Bar Association (Health Care Law Committee), American Health Lawyers Association, and Society of Ohio Healthcare Attorneys Association. He graduated from Ohio University as well as Capital University School of Law, during which time he interned at the Legal Office of the Ohio Governor and the Business and Regulations Division of the Columbus City Attorney's Office.

### Virtual Sessions Saturday, April 20, 2024

#### 7:00 – 9:30 AM

Pat Burns, DPM; Lawrence DiDomenico, DPM; Jacqueline Donovan, DPM; Scott Malay, DPM; Robert Mendicino, DPM; Al Ng, DPM The Forefoot & Revision Forefoot Cases

Objective: Attendees will review and discuss real life experiences with forefoot and revision cases on the lower extremity. The session will present several cases for attendees to review how to perform surgical management of lower extremity surgery.

#### 9:30 - 9:45 AM | BREAK

#### 9:45 – 11:30 AM Pat Burns, DPM; Lawrence DiDomenico, DPM; Jacqueline Donovan, DPM; Mike Dujela, DPM; Scott Malay, DPM; Al Ng, DPM Diabetic Salvage, My "Sweetest" and Worst Case

Objective: Attendees will learn how to diagnose and treat diabetic limb salvage of the lower extremity. The session will discuss how to treat diabetic limb salvage non-operatively and operatively. Attendees will review how to perform surgical management of lower extremity diabetic limb salvage.

#### 11:30 – 1:30 PM PICA Risk Management Lecture

Non-CECH — Ohio Category I Luke Cicchinelli, DPM; June Laird, Esq; Kate Swanstrom, DPM

PICA Risk Management Lecture:

Principles of Complications Management Objective: This session will explore the intricacies of podiatric care through indepth analysis of real-life cases, shedding light on exposures and complications. This course delves into the management and potential mismanagement of complications, emphasizing principles that could have averted legal implications. Attendees will review case analysis and examine multiple real-world podiatric cases to understand the factors leading to exposure. The session will discuss complication management and explore the nuances of managing podiatric complications, dissecting both successful and problematic approaches. Attendees will discuss the principles that could

have averted complications and potential legal ramifications. The presentation will review legal safeguards and delve into the legal aspects surrounding podiatric care complications, identifying key principles and safeguards that if implemented, could help to prevent legal action.

#### 1:30 - 1:45 PM | BREAK

#### 1:45 – 4:00 PM Lawrence DiDomenico, DPM; Mike Dujela, DPM; Scott Malay, DPM; Robert Mendicino, DPM; Al Ng, DPM Hindfoot and Ankle Cases

Objective: Attendees will be able to learn about diagnosis and treatment options for several hindfoot and ankle conditions. The session will review the differential diagnosis, review the pre-op work-up and testing, and surgical techniques for each topic.

## In Person Sessions

#### Thursday, May 16, 2024

#### 7:00 – 9:30 AM

Regent Ballroom 2 & 3 Moderator: Randall Thomas, DPM; Patrick Burns, DPM; David DeLuccia, LPO; Krishna Mannava, MD; Suhail Masadeh, DPM; Rolland Ramdass, DPM; Matthew Reiner, DPM Diabetic Patient Management

Objective: The session will cover important procedures and conditions for the diabetic patient. Presentations will review several Charcot cases focusing on frames, beams, orthotic and prosthetic options, and important malpractice risks to consider.

#### 9:30 - 10:00 AM | BREAK

#### 10:00 – 11:30 AM Regent Ballroom 2 & 3 Moderator: Roberto Brandao, DPM; Joshua Banks, DPT; Samantha Bark, DPM; Elizabeth Wakefield, DPM MIS Possibilities and Forefoot Surgery

Objective: The session will present minimally invasive surgical procedures to consider for treatment of bunions, akin osteotomy's, Achilles tendon injuries, and Haglund's syndrome. Attendees will review several forefoot treatment techniques including hallux rigidus management, MTP fusion options, and discuss strategies for post-op edema.

#### 11:30 – 1:00 PM LUNCH AND LEARN Juniper A, B or C Non-CECH – Ohio Category I

#### 1:00 – 3:00 PM Regent Ballroom 2 & 3 *Robert Brarens, DPM – Chair* Scientific Paper and Poster Competitions: Presentations from Podiatric Physician Residents in Ohio

Objective: Compare the presentations of five surgical or diagnostic cases by podiatric physician residents. Finalists will present their papers. Following the paper presentations, the five finalists from the poster competition will present their research.



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3:00 - 3:30 AM | BREAK

#### 3:30 – 5:30 AM

Regent Ballroom 2 & 3 Moderator: Christopher Hyer, DPM; Peter Highlander, DPM; Rolland Ramdass, DPM; Matthew Reiner, DPM; Dan Zinsmaster, Esq Looking Forward: Cutting Edge Technologies, Recent Trends, and How to Protect Yourself in a Changing World

Objective: The session will highlight new technology and important day-to-day experiences for the current practicing physician to consider. Attendees will learn about the role that 3D printing can play with patient treatment, and how 3D printing can assist when considering treatment options using this technology. The session will discuss how practicing medicine in the days of social media can affect your license and your practice. Attendees will review contractual items when practicing medicine, and encounters to consider to avoid the top reasons for malpractice claims.

#### 5:30 – 6:30 PM Welcome Reception Regent Foyer



#### Friday, May 17, 2024

7:30 – 9:00 AM Regent Ballroom 2 & 3 Moderator: Patrick Burns; DPM, Melissa Galli, DPM, Mark Hofbauer, DPM, Marcus Richardson, DPM, William Scherer, DPM Stuff Happens: How to Make the Most of Bad Outcomes and Complications

Objective: The session will review several procedures that do not go as planned. Topics presented will include when things go wrong for bunions procedures and when salvaging the lesser toe. Attendees will discuss when and why to biopsy skin and nails. The session will review several complications from trauma cases and how to salvage prior hindfoot or ankle reconstruction cases.

9:00 – 10:00 AM | BREAK Varies on Session Attending

#### 9:30 – 11:30 AM Regent Ballroom 2 & 3 Moderator: Sarah Abshier, DPM; Gladstone McDowell, MD; Mark Mendeszoon, DPM; Jeffrey Strakowski, MD; Rebecca Sundling, DPM; Elizabeth Wakefield, DPM; Dan Zinsmaster, Esq.

#### Difficult Patients, Conditions, and Decisions: How to Optimize Their Management

Objective: The session will review several scenarios physicians face in their practice on a weekly basis. Presentations include pain management topics and importance of compliancy with the state medical board. Attendees will discuss evaluation and non-operative management of tarsal tunnel syndrome, strategies for chronic peroneal pain, and new and helpful options for shoe inserts and gear.

#### 11:30 – 1:00 PM | LUNCH Exhibitor's Marketplace Easton Grand Ballroom

Lunch is included with in person registration

### 1:00 – 2:30 PM

Regent Ballroom 2 & 3 Moderator: Christopher Hyer; DPM, Joshua Banks, DPT, Robert Brandao, DPM, Melissa Galli, DPM Ankle Arthritis, TAR, Sports Injury and Recovery

Objective: The session will review several ankle injuries, degenerative joint disease, and treatment options. Attendees will discuss options between fusion and TAR, and the evolution of TAR. The session will review common foot and ankle sport injuries. Discussion will include the importance of proprioception when rehabbing any ankle injury.

#### 2:30 - 3:00 PM | BREAK

3:00 – 4:45 PM Regent Ballroom 2 & 3 Moderator: Patrick Burns, DPM; Doug Chalker, RT; Lawrence DiDomenico, DPM, Mark Hofbauer, DPM, Mark Mendeszoon, DPM, Randall Thomas, DPM Evolution of Practice: Nothing

#### Evolution of Practice: Noth Stays the Same

Objective: The session will highlight how the practice of podiatric medicine has evolved over time. The faculty will share their experiences with several common patient procedures including how to treat; Bunions, PTTD and PPV, and Hammertoes. Presentations will include things to consider about SPECT CT and why to consider weight-bearing computed tomography in your practice.

#### 4:45 – 5:30 PM

Regent Ballroom 2 & 3 Congressman Brad Wenstrup, DPM O Doctor, Where Art Thou?

5:30 – 6:30 PM Seminar Closing Reception Hilton Patio



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## **Break Out Sessions**

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#### Friday, May 17, 2024

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7:30 – 9:30 AM Juniper A, B and C Michael King, DPM and Andrew Pavelescu, DPM APMA Presents – Coding and Documentation

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#### Advancing foot and ankle medicine and surgery

10:00 – 11:30 AM Juniper A, B and C Michael King, DPM and Andrew Pavelescu, DPM APMA Presents – Coding and Documentation Continued

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1:00 – 1:30 PM Regent Ballroom 1 *William Scherer, DPM, MS* Artificial Intelligence in Lower Extremity Dermatology

Objective: The session will review how artificial intelligence software, computers,

and smartphone apps can aid podiatrists in the diagnosis and management of lower extremity skin and nail conditions. The presentation will provide new knowledge about the application of artificial intelligence in podiatry, and how technology may improve physicians' lower extremity dermatology diagnostic skills. Attendees will understand proper use and limitations of artificial technology in clinical practice, and how it may improve patient outcomes with Al guided diagnosis and treatment of skin and nail disorders. Discussion will include if new technology will reduce errors in the diagnosis of skin and nail pathology.



#### 1:30 – 2:00 PM Regent Ballroom 1 *William Scherer, DPM, MS* Common Podiatric Misdiagnoses Resulting in Malignancies

Objective: The session will review of several podiatry case studies involving the misdiagnosis or failure to diagnose various lower extremity soft tissue, nail, and bone malignancies with emphasis on evidencebased medicine, best practices, and risk management. The presentation will provide new knowledge about common podiatric skin, nail, bone malignancies to improve a physician's diagnostic skill with identifying lower extremity malignancies. Attendees will understand legal and medical factors resulting from failure to diagnose malignancies, and how to improve patient outcomes with early diagnosis and treatment of malignancies.



#### 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM Juniper A, B and C *Michael Brody, DPM* MIPS 2024 Update

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2:30 PM – 3:00 PM Break

#### 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM Juniper A, B and C *Michael Brody, DPM*

The HIPAA Right of Access Rule

Objective: It is important to understand that patients have a right to their health information. This ensures the patient can be engaged in their healthcare, and failure to respond to patient requests can result in major fines. This session will discuss and review the Right of Access Rule. Attendees will understand the exceptions to the Rule, and how patients can use this information to become more engaged in their care.









## Assistants Program

7 Hours CE Approved for May 16, 2024 and 7 Hours CE Approved for May 17, 2024 by the American Society of Podiatric Medical Assistants (ASPMA)

#### Thursday, May 16, 2024

7:30 AM - 8:00 AM Registration

#### 8:00 AM – 8:45 AM Richard Schilling, DPM Foot and Ankle Anatomy, Conditions and Commonly Performed Procedures

Objective: Every team member should understand the basics and be able to work together to provide the best possible service to patients. An educational presentation providing the podiatric assistant with an in-depth view of foot and ankle anatomy, commonly treated conditions and procedures performed.

#### 8:45 AM – 9:30 AM Dan Zinsmaster, Esq Navigating Confidentiality Implications when Communicating with Patients and Third Parties

Objective: Attendees will hear about various legal implications pertaining to Ohio's doctor-patient privilege, HIPAA, and other privacy regulations along with practical tips for engaging in communications with patients and other third parties. The discussion will touch upon things not to say over the phone or at the office, the contents of an appropriate authorization for the release of PHI, permissible disclosures without a release, and what should be documented with regard to discussions and/or disclosures involving patients, guardians, agents, and other third parties.

#### 9:30 AM – 10:00 AM Break

#### 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM Marc Greenberg, DPM Karen Kellogg, DPM, MBA Amy Masowick, DPM & Richard Schilling, DPM Interactive Hands-On Workshop

Objective: Attendees will rotate through four stations and have a hands on experiences with four faculty members. The workshop will include instruction on Anatomy, Dressing Applications and 2 DME stations.

#### 11:00 AM – 11:30 AM *Marc Greenberg, DPM* Chief Complaint and HPI Registration Forms

Objective: Attendees will review the importance of collecting the correct information on intake forms. The presentation will review how to get a complete chief complaint and medical history from the limited written and verbal information initially given.

#### 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM Lunch (on your own)

#### 12:30 PM – 1:00 PM Amy Masowick, DPM Dermatology: What Not to Miss

Objective: Attendees will review skin lesions seen on the lower extremity (Basal Cell Carcinoma, Squamous Cell Carcinoma, Malignant Melanoma). After basic review of etiology, appearance and treatment, medical assistants should be able to recognize lesions of concern. The session will review actual cases and outcomes.

#### 1:00 PM – 1:30 PM *Amy Masowick, DPM* Coding Basics: What Every Medical Assistant Should Know

Objective: The presentation will review the fundamentals of what every medical assistant should know and understand for their office. The session will review frequently used modifiers, the importance of understanding a residual functioning capacity, and commonly used wound care procedures, and everyday experiences when coding for Medicare, Medicaid and private insurance carriers.

#### 1:30 PM – 2:00 PM Richard Schilling, DPM Office Communication: Why It Matters

Objective: An office is a team environment, and each member plays an important role to keep our day-to-day challenges to a minimum. This session will discuss the importance of functional aspects in every office and why details and being forward thinking can prevent mistakes. Attendees will review how having staff meetings and open dialogue can keep medical offices running smoothly and efficiently.

#### 2:00 PM – 2:30 PM Marc Greenberg, DPM Burnout: Prevention, Recognition and Management

Objective: Working in the field of medicine is very rewarding but at times can be extremely stressful. People's day-to-day lives are busier than ever, and individual experiences of stress and burnout are well documented in today's society. Attendees will discuss options when facing burnout and mechanisms for stress management in medical office environments.

#### 2:30 PM – 3:00 PM Break

#### 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM Marc Greenberg, DPM, Amy Masowick, DPM & Richard Schilling, DPM Podiatry Jeopardy

Objective: The session will test attendees' medical knowledge with a fun game. Topics will include everything from things that were discussed in the previous sessions to new topics of relevance. Attendees will be broken up into teams and the battle for bragging rights will be a fun afternoon educational event.

#### 4:00 PM – 4:20 PM Marc Greenberg, DPM, Amy Masowick, DPM and Richard Schilling, DPM (1, 2 or all 3) Pearls from the Attendees' Offices Objective: Attendees are asked to bring some professional highlights from their offices and personal careers. The session will allow for open dialogue about how medical offices have changed and attendees will be able to share pearls that they have learned from personal

#### 4:20 PM – 5:00 PM Marc Greenberg, DPM, Amy Masowick, DPM & Richard Schilling, DPM Expert Panel Discussion

experiences.

Objective: The program faculty will open the floor for discussion about real office experiences that everyone can learn from. Attendees may submit questions prior to the start of the session.

#### 5:00 PM- 6:00 PM Staff Appreciation Reception

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