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Policy & Practice: New Directions in Geriatric Care

The Historic Academy of Medicine at Georgia Tech
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Agenda

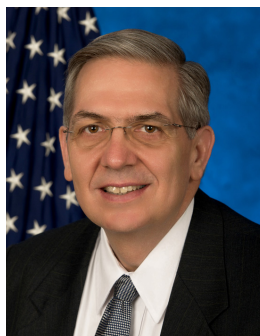
7:30- 8:15	<i>Registration</i> <i>Exhibit Hall Open</i> <i>(Breakfast)</i>	2:15-2:30	<i>Break</i> <i>Exhibit Hall Open</i> <i>(Coffee/Light Snack)</i>
8:15-8:30	<i>Welcome and</i> <i>Conference Opening</i>	2:30-3:30	<i>Breakout Sessions 2</i>
8:30-10:00	<i>Keynote Speaker:</i> <i>National Initiatives in</i> <i>Alzheimer's Disease</i> Richard M. Allman, MD <i>Chief Consultant for Geriatrics</i> <i>and Extended Care Services,</i> <i>Veterans Health Administration</i>		<i>Updates in Rheumatology</i> <i>for Older Adults</i> Kristen Lingle, FNP-C <i>Emory School of Medicine</i>
			<i>The Older Surgical Patient</i> JoAnn Coleman DNP, ANP, ACNP, AOCN <i>Sinai Center for Geriatric Surgery</i>
10:00-10:30	<i>Break</i> <i>Exhibit Hall Open</i> <i>(Coffee/Light Snack)</i>	3:30- 4:30	<i>Advocating for Older Patients:</i> <i>Lessons from the Field</i> Larry Minnix, D.Min. <i>CEO, LeadingAge</i>
10:30-12:00	<i>Highlighted Speaker: The</i> <i>Challenges of Choosing Wisely</i> Aanand Naik, MD <i>Michael E. DeBakey</i> <i>VA Medical Center</i>	4:30	<i>Conference Close</i>
12:00-1:15	<i>Lunch</i> <i>Product Theatre</i> <i>Exhibit Hall Open</i>		
1:15-2:15	<i>Breakout Sessions 1</i>		
	<i>Gait Speed: The Sixth Vital Sign</i> Theodore M. Johnson, II, MD, MPH <i>Emory School of Medicine</i>		
	<i>Geriatric Syndromes for</i> <i>Non-Prescribers</i> Jonathan Flacker, MD, AGSF <i>Emory School of Medicine</i>		

See following pages for
presenter bios and
more information on
their presentations.

Speaker Bios & Presentation Objectives

Richard M. Allman, MD

Chief Consultant for Geriatrics and Extended Care Services, Veterans Health Administration



Keynote Speaker: National Initiatives in Alzheimer's Disease

- Describe the National Plan to Address Alzheimer's Disease
- Identify the role played by the Veterans Health Administration in developing the national plan to address Alzheimer's disease.

Current Position:

Richard M. Allman, MD is the Chief Consultant for Geriatrics and Extended Care for the Veterans Health Administration in Washington, DC. He serves as a member of the National Institute on Aging (NIA) Advisory Council and of the Advisory Committee for the Alzheimer's National Plan. Before becoming Chief Consultant in January 2014, he was the founding director of the Birmingham/Atlanta VA Geriatric Research, Education, and Clinical Center (GRECC).

Educational Background:

- BS, West Virginia University
- MD, West Virginia University
- Residency in Internal Medicine, West Virginia University
- Fellow in General Internal Medicine, Johns Hopkins University

University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB)

- School of Medicine, 1986-2014 - faculty
- Parrish Endowed Professor of Medicine,
- Director of the Division of Gerontology, Geriatrics, and Palliative Care
- Director of the Comprehensive Center for Healthy Aging

Dr. Allman is a board-certified geriatrician, and he was listed annually in Best Doctors in America between 1991 and 2014. He received the 2013 Donald P. Kent Award for leadership and service from the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) and the 2013 Joseph T. Freeman Award from the Health Science Section of GSA in recognition of his research. His research has focused on mobility, cardiovascular disease, and health disparities among older adults.

Aanand Naik, MD

Michael E. DeBakey VA Medical Center



Highlighted Speaker: The Challenges of Choosing Wisely

- Understand the Choose Wisely campaign, developed by the American Board of Internal Medicine
- Describe the role that practitioners play in reducing redundant or unnecessary clinical interventions and provision of appropriate care
- Identify ways in which patients can contribute to reducing redundant or unnecessary clinical interventions and provision of appropriate care

Current Position:

Investigator, Health Decision-Making & Communication Program and Chief, Educ. & Training Core, Ctr for Innovations in Quality, Effectiveness and Safety, Michael E. DeBakey VA Med. Ctr; Assoc. Prof., Dept of Medicine, Section of Health Svcs, Baylor; Adjunct Associate Professor, Sch of Public Health, Univ. of Texas Health Sciences Ctr

Educational Background:

- BA, Univ. of Texas, Austin
- MD, Univ. of Texas Southwestern
- Residency in Internal Medicine, Univ. of Texas Southwestern
- Fellow in Geriatric Medicine, Univ. of Texas Southwestern

Director, VA Quality Scholars Program Coordinating Center, Center for Training in Healthcare Quality at IQuEST, 2014-present; Hartford Foundation Change Agent and Patient Centered Medical Home Action Network Member, 2014-present;

Speaker Bios & Presentation Objectives

Theodore M. Johnson, II MD, MPH

Emory School of Medicine

Breakout Session 1:

Gait Speed: The Sixth Vital Sign

- Recognize gait speed as an independent predictor of survival in adults aged 65 and older
- Appreciate the clinical utility of gait speed as a measure of function and mortality
- Develop strategies for the application of gait speed measurement as a tool in clinical setting.



Current Position:

Dr. Johnson is a Professor of Medicine and Epidemiology and the Paul W. Seavey Chair in Medicine. Interim Director for Hospital Medicine; Director, Emory Division of General Medicine and Geriatrics, Program Director of ARGEC, Co-PI of Emory Hartford Ctr of Excellence in Geriatric Medicine; Atlanta Site Director, VA Geri Rehab

Educational Background:

- AB in Biology, Brown University
- MD, Northwestern Univ. Medical School
- MPH in Epidemiology, Univ. of North Carolina Med. Ctr
- Fellow in Internal Med & Geriatric, Univ. of North Carolina Med. Ctr

Dr. Johnson is the recipient of several federal and VA peer-reviewed grants and sees patients needing specialty care for lower urinary tract disorders at the Atlanta VA Medical Center in Decatur, GA, and at the Wesley Woods Center of Emory University. Though his primary clinical research focus is that of lower urinary tract disorders and nocturia, as a geriatrician Dr. Johnson is particularly concerned with understanding the functional capacity and quality-of-life experiences of persons as they age, to include building better communities that are safer for older adults.

Jonathan Flacker, MD, AGSF

Emory School of Medicine

Breakout Session 1:

Big 10 for Non-Prescribers

- Gain an understanding of the ways in which common geriatric syndromes affect the psychosocial well-being of older adults
- Develop strategies to apply the BIG 10 principles when caring for the older patient.
- Discuss associated concepts related to each basic principle in geriatrics.



Current Position:

Dr. Flacker is Professor in the Department of Medicine, Division of General Medicine and Geriatrics and the Chief of the Section of Geriatrics and Gerontology.

Educational Background:

- MD, University of Chicago-Pritzker SOM
- Residency, Univ. of Alabama, Birmingham
- Fellowship, Hebrew Rehabilitation Ctr, Boston

A physician educator and presently serving as Chair for the American Geriatrics Society Education Committee

Kristen Lingle, FNP-C Emory School of Medicine

Breakout Session 2:

Updates in Rheumatology for Older Adults

- Discuss the management of common rheumatologic conditions in older adults.
- Describe the influence of rheumatologic conditions on older adults function and quality of life.



Current Position:

Nurse Practitioner

Speaker Bios & Presentation Objectives

JoAnn Coleman
DNP, ANP, ACNP, AOCN
Sinai Center for Geriatric Surgery



Breakout Session 2:
The Older Surgical Patient

- Articulate the special challenges presented by the older adult seeking surgical consultation and intervention.
- Describe issues in decision making and informed consent for older surgical patients.
- Identify factors that place the older adult at risk for adverse surgical outcomes.

Current Position:

Coordinates clinical care of patients, provides education to patients and their families; collaborates on research with surgeons, maintains data bases, creates critical pathways, lectures locally and nationally, contributes to the nursing and medical literature, and mentors graduate and undergraduate nursing students.

Educational Background:

- BS in Education, Towson University
- BS, Notre Dame of Maryland Univ
- MS, University of Maryland SON
- PMC, DNP, Johns Hopkins Univ SON

Doctoral studies focused on surgical care of the older patient. Performs geriatric preoperative assessment for patients 75 years and older, which includes functional, cognitive, and psychosocial assessment, nutritional status, fall and delirium risk, and frailty assessment. Has lectured extensively on surgical nursing topics, and most recently presented abstract and posters on the topic of the preoperative assessment of the older adult to the Oncology Nursing Society National Conference on Cancer Nursing Research, Nurse Practitioner Association of Maryland, GAPNA, GSA, AGS.

Larry Minnix, D.Min.
Chief Executive Officer, LeadingAge



Closing Speaker:
Advocating for Older Patients:
Lessons from the Field

- Name the national players who influence policy for long-term services and supports for older adults.
- Identify ways in which nursing home practice over the last 10 years are driving upcoming policy changes
- Outline ways in which current nursing home practitioners can align their practice with best practices in long-term care.

Current Position:

During my 13 years as the LeadingAge president, I have helped guide the association through a rebranding initiative and have advanced a leadership agenda that includes quality improvement, technology, innovation, financing and leadership development and the expansion of applied research.

Educational Background:

- Emory University, Atlanta, GA

Areas of expertise: Continuing Care Retirement Communities, Culture Change in Aging Services and Trends in Senior Living. The mission of LeadingAge is to expand the world of possibilities for aging. Our 6,000+ members and partners include not-for-profit organizations representing the entire field of aging services, 39 state partners, hundreds of businesses, consumer groups, foundations and research partners. LeadingAge is also a part of the International Association of Homes and Services for the Aging (IAHSA), which spans 30 countries across the globe.

2016 Annual Conference Information

DATE:

Saturday, February 27, 2016

LOCATION:

The Historic Academy of Medicine
<http://academy.gatech.edu>

FEES:

GAPNA Members - RNs, SWs: \$75
Non-GAPNA Members - (NP, PA, MD): \$95
Students - \$35

*No refunds after February 12, 2016.

LODGING:

Renaissance Atlanta Midtown Hotel
866 W Peachtree St, NW
Atlanta, GA 30308
678-412-2400

A block of rooms has been reserved at a rate of \$149/night: mention Gerontological Advanced Practice Nurses Association Meeting when making reservations.

Cut off date for preferred rate is February 5, 2016.

Register Online at www.GAGAPNA.org

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SEND THE FORM BELOW AND PAYMENT TO:

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SATURDAY FEBRUARY 27, 2016

Seating for Concurrent Sessions is limited. Please register for the session you plan to attend.

* Breakout Session 1: (1) _____ (2) _____

* Breakout Session 2: (1) _____ (2) _____

Please indicate whether or not you are able to attend a product theater:

Able to attend _____ NOT able to attend due to professional conflict _____