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2013

PAGS PELVIC ANATOMY and GYNECOLOGIC SURGERY SYMPOSIUM

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PAGS Scientific Program Agenda

Agenda is subject to change. Please see Web site for updates.

Thursday, December 12, 2013

6:30 AM Registration/Breakfast/Exhibits

7:30 AM Welcome
Mickey Karram, MD

PELVIC ANATOMY

7:35 AM Pelvic and Abdominal Anatomy from the Laparoscopic Surgeon's View
Tommaso Falcone, MD

8:15 AM Anatomic Considerations: Facilitating Vaginal Procedures Safely and Effectively
Mickey Karram, MD

INCONTINENCE AND PROLAPSE SURGERY

8:45 AM Case Discussions: How Best to Evaluate a Variety of Female Pelvic Floor Disorders
John Gebhart, MD, MS, and Mickey Karram, MD

9:30 AM Question & Answer Session

10:00 AM Break/Exhibits

10:45 AM Surgery for Stress Incontinence; Does One Sling Fit All?
Mark Walters, MD

11:15 AM Surgery for Pelvic Organ Prolapse; Getting Back to Basics; Native Tissue Suture Repairs
John Gebhart, MD, MS

11:45 AM Video Presentations of Surgical Cases with Expert Discussion and Audience Participation

12:30 PM Question and Answer Session

12:45 PM Luncheon Symposium

2:00 PM Dessert Break/Exhibits

STERILIZATION AND FIBROID MANAGEMENT

2:30 PM Myomectomy: Open to Robotic Approaches
Tommaso Falcone, MD

3:15 PM The Hysteroscopic Morcellator: Surgical Treatment of Submucosal Fibroids and Polyps
Amy Garcia, MD

4:00 PM Stretch Break and Exhibits

4:20 PM Office Hysteroscopic Sterilization
Amy Garcia, MD

5:05 PM Question and Answer Session

Friday, December 13, 2013

7:00 AM Breakfast/Exhibits

HYSTERECTOMY

8:00 AM Vaginal Hysterectomy and Oophorectomy: A Dying Art
Mark Walters, MD

8:45 AM Single Port Approaches to Hysterectomy
Tommaso Falcone, MD

9:05 AM Supracervical Hysterectomy
Amy Garcia, MD

9:30 AM Robotic Hysterectomy
Javier Magrina, MD

10:15 AM Break and Exhibits

KEYNOTE LECTURE

10:45 AM Cost of Different Hysterectomy Approaches
Amanda Fader, MD

11:45 AM Panel Discussion with Video Presentations on the Indications & Techniques for Hysterectomy

1:00 PM Luncheon Symposium

2:15 PM Dessert Break/Exhibits

UPDATE ON GYNECOLOGIC ONCOLOGY FOR THE GENERALIST

2:45 PM Management of Endometrial Hyperplasia
Amanda Fader, MD
Management of Early Endometrial Cancer
Javier Magrina, MD

SURGERY FOR ADNEXAL MASSES AND VULVAR DISORDERS

3:45 PM Laparoscopic and Robotic Management of the Adnexal Mass
Javier Magrina, MD

4:30 PM Spectrum of Vulvovaginal Disorders
Michael Baggish, MD

5:15 PM Question and Answer Session

Saturday, December 14, 2013

6:30 AM Breakfast

COMPLICATIONS

7:30 AM Case Presentations of Pelvic Pain Clinical Pearls to Assist in Evaluating & Managing Chronic Pelvic Pain Patients
Mickey Karram, MD, and Tommaso Falcone, MD

8:30 AM Avoiding and Managing Laparoscopic Complications
Tommaso Falcone, MD

9:30 AM Avoiding and Managing Urogynecologic Complications
John Gebhart, MD, MS, and Mickey Karram, MD

10:30 AM Break

Breakout Sessions:

(Participants will select from these breakout sessions)

ENDOMETRIOSIS SURGERY BREAKOUT

10:45 AM Management of Endometriosis
Tommaso Falcone, MD

11:45 AM Surgical Management of GI and GU Endometriosis
Javier Magrina, MD

UROGYNECOLOGY/PELVIC FLOOR BREAKOUT

10:45 AM Urodynamics and Cystoscopy
Mickey Karram, MD, and Mark Walters, MD

11:45 AM Videofest: Surgeries for POP & Incontinence
Mickey Karram, MD, and John Gebhart, MD, MS

12:45 PM PAGS Program Adjourns

P.E.P. Practice Management Program

Make your practice more Profitable, Efficient, and Productive

Saturday, December 14, 2013

2:00 PM Introduction

2:05 PM Making Your Practice More Efficient and More Productive
Neil H. Baum, MD

1. Using a scribe to take HOPI, PMHx, ROS
2. Using videos to educate patients
3. Using voice recognition software
4. Enhancing relationships with referring physicians

2:45 PM Billing and Coding for the Gynecologist: Ensure Proper Reimbursement for Your Services Rendered
Barbara S. Levy, MD

3:45 PM Question & Answer Session and Break

4:00 PM Using Social Media to Get to the Top of Google
Neil H. Baum, MD

I will show you the "secret sauce" of getting at the top of the search engines and how this can be accomplished easily, inexpensively, and in just a few days.

5:15 PM Numbers You Need to Know
Neil H. Baum, MD

What metrics every doctor in any practice needs to know to understand the basics of the business of ObGyn practice

5:45 PM Question & Answer Session and Wrap Up

Do you have the business acumen needed to run your medical practice for optimal productivity and profitability? Few physicians do, as little training has been provided in this area – until now!

The P.E.P. Program is a solution that will work for nearly every Gynecology and ObGyn practice. This 4-hour course will serve as a mini-MBA program to provide you with the tools and skills necessary to run a modern medical practice.

Participants will leave with dozens of new ideas and suggestions that can be easily and inexpensively implemented—to help you put more P.E.P. into your practice!

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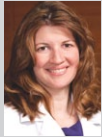
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PAGS is designed for Gynecologists, ObGyns, second-, third-, and fourth-year residents in ObGyn, as well as subspecialty fellows. Residents and advanced practice clinicians are welcome at reduced rates.

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This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint sponsorship of Primary Care Education Consortium and Global Academy for Medical Education. Primary Care Education Consortium is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

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Scientific Program Course Objectives

At the conclusion of this activity, the participant should be able to:

- Apply anatomic and physiological principles to the treatment of pelvic disorders
- Gain better insight to avoid and to appropriately manage surgical complications
- Update the treatment for several difficult quality-of-life disorders
- Have a full understanding of how best to choose the appropriate route of surgery
- Discuss nuances, indications and techniques for "conventional" laparoscopy vs. robotic surgery
- Understand the role of hysteroscopic surgery, including hysteroscopic sterilization techniques



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■ Residents, Fellows, Allied Health	\$750	\$750	\$750
■ P.E.P. Program only	\$295	\$395	\$495
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