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Join more than 3,400

of your fellow hospice and palliative care colleagues at the 2018 Annual Assembly of Hospice and Palliative Care. Each year brings an even more diverse and cutting-edge program to all clinicians who care for patients facing serious or life-threatening illnesses and their families. This brochure is your first look at the 200 educational sessions spanning 25-plus hours of learning time.

Why should you attend?

- Re-energize your passion for the field.
- Impact the care of your patients.
- Create new connections within the community.
- Be a part of the greatest event in hospice and palliative care!

Register before January 31 to save \$100 on your registration fee!



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wonderful way of connecting ic



“In one place we have people from all different walks of life and all different backgrounds working on different things and yet we all come together because we have the same issues and can help each other.”

Amy Davis, DO MS FACP FAAHPM



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Ronit Elk, PhD



“It energizes me. Things that I have been putting on the
back burner, I feel the energy to start those again, so
the institution benefits from all the energy I bring back.”

Sangeeta Lamba, MD



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ABOUT THE 2018 ANNUAL ASSEMBLY

Intended Audience

The Annual Assembly of Hospice and Palliative Care is designed for physicians, nurses, pharmacists, physician assistants, social workers, nurse practitioners, and chaplains interested in acquiring, maintaining, or expanding the skills needed to function effectively in the field of hospice and palliative care.

Purpose

As leaders in promoting excellence in hospice and palliative care, AAHPM and HPNA combine their expertise to advance the field, thus meeting the shared goal of improving quality of life for patients facing serious or life-threatening conditions and their families.

Objectives

The participant will be able to do the following:

- Translate advances in clinical and scientific knowledge of advanced disease processes, symptoms, and symptom management into improved patient care.
- Assess patient pain and other symptoms and side effects, and recommend a care plan based on best available evidence.
- Identify psychological, spiritual, social, and cultural aspects of patient care, and integrate support of those aspects of patient care into an overall plan of care.
- Apply sound communication principles with patients, families, and interdisciplinary teams.
- Develop patient plans of care that incorporate interdisciplinary assessments and symptom management across all domains of care that are ultimately based on the expressed values, goals, and needs of the patient and family.
- Identify ethical, regulatory, and legal concerns related to hospice and palliative care.
- Discuss effective strategies and challenges for the delivery and advocacy of hospice and palliative care in diverse settings.
- Identify new contacts for future collaboration.
- Facilitate future research in hospice and palliative care.
- Identify opportunities for enhanced self-care and resilience.
- Apply effective strategies using the hospice and palliative care competencies in teaching/learning situations.
- Identify opportunities and strategies for effective leadership within the field of hospice and palliative care.
- Identify opportunities to influence, initiate, maintain, and advance the practice and sustainability of hospice and palliative care within the changing healthcare environment.

Our Commitment to Providing a Welcoming Environment

AAHPM and HPNA strive to ensure that participants in our activities experience a welcoming environment. We have worked hard to provide an environment that offers a healthy and productive community and workspace for all attendees. In addition, with its rich history, the city of Boston offers a variety of experiences and cultures and is dedicated to being an open-minded and welcoming destination that recognizes and respects the differences that make us unique.

We are committed to fostering inclusion and providing access to opportunities and resources that recognize and support all individuals who work in hospice and palliative care. We take pride in creating an environment that welcomes, engages, inspires, and empowers everyone to reach their full potential while recognizing the rich diversity of our increasingly global hospice and palliative care community. We support equality of opportunity and treatment for everyone, regardless of gender, gender identity or expression, race, color, national or ethnic origin, religion or religious belief, age, marital status, sexual orientation, disabilities, or veteran status. A commitment to a welcoming environment is expected of all attendees, including students, guests, staff, contractors and exhibitors, and participants in educational sessions and social events.

PROGRAM PLANNING COMMITTEE CHAIRS



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FEATURED PLENARY SPEAKERS

THURSDAY, MARCH 15



Good Enough Now: How Doing the Best We Can with What We Have Is Better than Nothing!

Jessica Pettitt, MEd CSP

Let's face it, there are people and topics that at some point just are off limits. And for those of us who practice hospice and palliative care, it often is the most difficult topics that we have to bring up with people at their most vulnerable moments. What if you could engage in these conversations with more confidence, a touch of humor, and greater ease? Learn from Jessica Pettitt, nationally acclaimed expert on diversity and inclusion, how you can be your best tool for conversations that matter.

FRIDAY, MARCH 16



Solace: The Art of Asking the Beautiful Question

David Whyte

Each one of us grows into a steadily unfolding story where the horizon gets broader and more mysterious, the understanding of loss and mortality more keen, the sense of time more fleeting, and the understanding of our own mistakes and omissions more apparent. Join poet David Whyte in exploring the discipline of finding and asking the questions that help us reimagine ourselves, our world, and our part in it.

SATURDAY, MARCH 17



*Heather Coats,
PhD APRN-BC*



*Laura Gelfman,
MD MPH*

The "New" State of the Science: Update in Hospice and Palliative Care

Two "hot" topics in hospice and palliative care, identified by crowdsourcing AAHPM and HPNA members in fall 2017, will be featured in this refreshed "State of the Science." Our presenters Heather Coats and Laura Gelfman will review recent journal articles and offer critiques and case applications on these topics based on the research and conversations with interdisciplinary experts in the field. This is where science gets translated for your practice!

SESSION DESCRIPTIONS

Plenary sessions bring all attendees together for a shared learning experience designed to stimulate new thinking and conversation.

Workshops are preconference half- or full-day sessions that typically require an additional registration fee.

Concurrent sessions are 1-hour presentations of selected abstracts.

Paper sessions include four 15-minute presentations of scientific research from selected abstracts.

Case sessions include three 20-minute, case-based presentations from selected abstracts.

Educational forums are 1-hour sessions by faculty invited by AAHPM or HPNA to present on a critical topic area.

Early-riser sessions are concurrent sessions offered in the early morning.

PRECONFERENCE WORKSHOPS • WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14

The following preconference workshops require an additional fee and are not included in the full conference registration.

AAHPM & HPNA Preconference Workshops

8 am–5 pm

Hospice Medical Director Update and Exam Prep (P01)

Ronald J. Crossno, MD CMD HMDC FAAFP FAAHPM, Kindred Healthcare

Kathleen Faulkner, MD FAAHPM, Good Shepherd Community Care

Edward W. Martin, MD MPH HMDC FACP FAAHPM, Home & Hospice Care of Rhode Island

Earl Quijada, MD HMDC, Kaiser Permanente Home Health

VitalTalk: Intensive Small Group Training—Addressing Goals of Care (P02)

Speakers TBD

8 am–5:30 pm

Palliative Nursing Leadership Intensive (P03)

Constance Dahlin, MSN ANP-BC ACHPN® FAAN FPCN, Hospice and Palliative Nurses Association

Patrick J. Coyne, MSN ACHPN® ACNS-BC FAAN FPCN, Medical University of South Carolina

ACHPN® Certification Review: Advanced Practice Registered Nurse (P04)

Jennifer Gentry, MSN ANP-BC GNP ACHPN FPCN, Duke University Hospital

Bronwyn Long, DNP MBA ACNS-BC ACHPN AOCNS, National Jewish Health

8–11:45 am

HPM Fellowship Directors Program: Managing the Good, the Bad, and the Ugly—Expert Strategies for the Assessment and Remediation of Palliative Care Fellows (P05)

Coordinated by the AAHPM Academic HPM Committee

Jane deLima Thomas, MD, Harvard Interprofessional Palliative Care Fellowship

Laura Edgar, EdD CAE, Milestones Development, ACGME

John Herman, MD, Massachusetts General Hospital and Partners HealthCare

John Co, MD, Brigham and Women's and Massachusetts General Hospital and Partners HealthCare

Sarah H. Arnholz, JD, Partners HealthCare

O'Neil Britton, MD, Massachusetts General Hospital

AAHPM Leadership Forum: Ignite—Using StrengthsFinder Leadership Strategies to Increase the Performance of You and Your Team in Palliative Care and Hospice Settings (P06)

Christina Rowe, MSOL, The Collaborative LLC

Providing Palliative Care to Patients and Families with Preexisting Mental Health and Substance Use Issues (P07)

Presented by Social Work Hospice and Palliative Care Network

Gary L. Stein, JD MSW (moderator), Yeshiva University Wurzweiler School of Social Work

Vickie Leff, LCSW BCD ACHP-SW, Duke University Hospital
Harold Alan Pincus, MD, Columbia University/New York-Presbyterian Hospital

Stacy S. Remke, MSW LICSW ACHP-SW, University of Minnesota, School of Social Work

Russell Hilliard, PhD LCSW, Seasons Healthcare Management, Inc.

ABCs of MOC and Board Exam Prep (P08)

Christopher M. Blais, MD MPH FACP FAAHPM, Ochsner Medical Center

Daniel Pomerantz, MD MPH FACP, Montefiore New Rochelle Hospital

Miguel A. Paniagua, MD FACP, University of Pennsylvania

Karl Ahlswede, MD, Main Line Health and Bryn Mawr Hospital
Lauren Mazzurco, DO, Eastern Virginia Medical School

Tsunami Preparedness: Developing Dementia Capable Palliative and Hospice Care Skills (P09)

Amy McLean, ANP-BC, Hospice of the Valley

Maribeth Gallagher, DNP PMHNP-BC FAAN, Hospice of the Valley

Right Sizing Medication Regimens in Serious Illness: Doing the Prescribing and Deprescribing Dance (P10)

Mary Lynn McPherson, PharmD MA MDE BCPS CPE, University of Maryland School of Pharmacy

Kathryn A. Walker, PharmD BCPS CPE, University of Maryland School of Pharmacy and MedStar Health

Jennifer Pruskowski, PharmD BCPS CGP CPE, University of Pittsburgh School of Pharmacy

Shaida Talebreza, MD AGSF HMDC FAAHPM, University of Utah School of Medicine

Building a Palliative Care Clinic: Lessons from Real Life (P11)

Esme Finlay, MD, University of New Mexico

Mary K. Buss, MD MPH, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center

Kristina B. Newport, MD FAAHPM, Hospice & Community Care

Victoria Gurfolino, MSN PMHNP-BC, Beth Israel Deaconess Hospital

Michelle C. Owens, DO, Baylor Scott & White Health

Leo Newhouse, MSW, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center

Christopher Jones, MD HMDC FAAHPM, University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine

Laurel Kilpatrick, MD, Baylor Scott & White Health

PRECONFERENCE WORKSHOPS • WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14

The Opioid Crisis and Palliative Care: Tools and Strategies to Help Turn the Tide (P12)

Kashelle Lockman, PharmD MA, University of Iowa College of Pharmacy

Pina Patel, MD, Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center
Kathleen Broglio, DNP ANP-BC ACPN FPCN, Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center

Justin Kullgren, PharmD, Ohio State Wexner Medical Center
Brook A. Calton, MD, University of California, San Francisco

9 am–Noon

A Morning at the Museum: Using Art to Find Meaning and Enhance Teaching (P13)

Cosponsored by Boston Museum of Fine Arts

Laura Morrison, MD, Yale University School of Medicine and New Haven Hospital

Gordon Wood, MD FAAHPM, Northwestern Memorial Hospital

1:15–5 pm

Jump Starting Culture Change—Engaging Students, Trainees, and Clinicians in a Transdisciplinary Approach (P14)

Coordinated by the AAHPM Academic HPM Committee

Toluwalase (Laśé) Ajayi, MD, Scripps Health and Rady Children's Hospital

Emmie Gardner, MSW LCSW, Intermountain Healthcare
Dominic Moore, MD FAAP, University of Utah and Primary Children's Hospital

Jennifer Reidy, MD FAAHPM, University of Massachusetts Medical School

Alicia Wierenga, MSN NP, University of Massachusetts Medical School

AAHPM Leadership Forum: Ignite—Utilizing DISC Behavioral Styles to Increase Leadership and Team Effectiveness in Palliative Care and Hospice Settings (P15)

Lisa A. Bouchard, Data Dome, Inc.

Managing Pain in the Face of Substance Misuse: Practical Approaches and Tools in the Palliative Care and Hospice Settings (P16)

Presented by Society of Palliative Care Pharmacists

Bridget Scullion, PharmD BCOP, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

Benjamin Kematick, PharmD, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

Daniel Gorman, MSN NP OCN, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

Douglas Brandoff, MD, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

Kathy Selvaggi, MD, Butler Memorial Health System

Michele Matthews, PharmD CPE BCACP, MCPHS University

Larissa Lucas, MD, Care Dimensions

Amanda Moment, LCSW, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

Overcoming Barriers to Better Billing: Maximizing Revenue to Sustain and Grow Your Palliative Care Program (P17)

Phillip E. Rodgers, MD FAAHPM, University of Michigan

Christopher Jones, MD HMDC FAAHPM, University of

Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine

Charles von Gunten MD FACP FAAHPM, OhioHealth

Jean Acevedo, LHRM CPC CHC CENTC, Acevedo Consulting, Inc.

Caging the Beast: Wrestling with Difficult Pain Syndromes in Serious Illness (P18)

Mary Lynn McPherson, PharmD MA MDE BCPS CPE,

University of Maryland School of Pharmacy

Mellar Davis, MD FCCP FAAHPM, Geisinger Medical Center

Paul A. Sloan, MD, University of Kentucky

Navigating Your Specialty Palliative APRN Career (P19)

Anessa M. Foxwell, MSN CRNP AGACNP-BC ACPN, Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania

Barbara Reville, DNP ANP-BC ACPN, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

Margaret Root, MSN RN CPNP-AC CHPPN, University of California in San Francisco and Benioff Children's Hospital

Laura Tycon, MSN RN FNP-BC, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center

We Built It...They All Came...Now How to Keep from Drowning? Pediatric Palliative Care Program Development 202: Skills in Your Toolbox for Growth and Sustainability (P20)

Tammy Kang, MD, Texas Children's Hospital

Debra Lotstein, MD MPH FAAP, Children's Hospital of Los Angeles

Lisa Humphrey, MD, Nationwide Children's Hospital

Jeffrey C. Klick, MD, Children's Hospital of Atlanta

Conrad Williams, IV, MD FAAP, Medical University of South Carolina

Oncologist in My Pocket: What the Hospice and Palliative Clinician Needs to Know About Hematology/Oncology (P21)

Kristina B. Newport, MD FAAHPM, Hospice & Community Care
Shanthi Sivendran, MD, PENN Medicine at Lancaster General Health

Thomas W. LeBlanc, MD MA MHS FAAHPM, Duke Cancer Institute

Sara Kim, PharmD BCOP, Mount Sinai Hospital

Joshua Jones, MD MA, University of Pennsylvania Health System

OPENING NIGHT AT THE ASSEMBLY

Meet and reconnect with colleagues through one or more of these unique experiences:

4:30–5:30 pm

New-Member and First-Timer receptions hosted by AAHPM and HPNA

4:30–5:30 pm

Physicians-in-Training Reception hosted by AAHPM

5:30–7:30 pm

Opening Reception with Exhibits and Posters

7:30–8:30 pm

Giving Back to Boston

Community-Building Project with live music

EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS • THURSDAY, MARCH 15

This schedule is subject to change. To see the most up-to-date schedule, visit AnnualAssembly.org.

THURSDAY, MARCH 15

6:30–7 am

Mindfulness Meditation

7–8 am

Concurrent Sessions

A Trial of Early Palliative Care for Serious Illness: Results from the LifeCourse Lay Healthcare Worker Intervention (TH300)

Eric W. Anderson, MD, Allina Health
Anne Betzner, PhD, Allina Health
Paige Bingham, MBA, Allina Health
Jessica Taghon, BA, Allina Health

Harnessing the Power of Telemedicine in Palliative Care from Childhood to Adulthood: The Why and How (TH301) P

Toluwalase (Laśé) Ajayi, MD, Scripps Health and Rady Children's Hospital
Ami Doshi, MD, Rady Children's Hospital
Rachel Thienprayoon, MD, Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center
Kimberly A. Bower, MD DC HMDC FAAHPM, Rady Children's Hospital
Michelle Tate, BSN RN, Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center
Robin Short, BSN RN, Rady Children's Hospital

Fetal Positions—Empowering the Role of Palliative Care in Maternal-Fetal Treatment Centers (TH302) P

Christopher A. Collura, MD, Mayo Clinic of Rochester

Should I Unplug the Phones Again: Understanding Government Hospice Audits and “Pre-Tecting” Your Organization Through Robust Provider Documentation (TH303) H

Patrick White, MD HMDC FACP FAAHPM, BJC Home Care and Washington University School of Medicine
Howard J. Young, JD, Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP
Amy Jacobs, BSN RN CHPN, BJC Healthcare
Christopher Jones, MD HMDC FAAHPM, University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine

Counting Sheep: A Rational Approach to Managing Insomnia (TH305)

Jennifer Pruskowski, PharmD, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center
Alycia J. Dalbey, PA, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center
Eric Prommer, MD HMDC FAAHPM, University of California, Los Angeles School of Medicine and VA Hospice & Palliative Medicine Program

Five Steps to Build an Effective Payer-Provider Partnership for Innovative Palliative Care Models (TH306)

Jatin K. Dave, MD MPH, New England Quality Care Alliance
Parag Bharadwaj, MD FAAHPM, Sentara Healthcare
Tom Gualtieri-Reed, MBA BA, Spragens & Associates LLC
Dana Lustbader, MD, ProHEALTH
Bruce C. Smith, MD MACP, Cambia Health Solutions

Neurology 101: Wrapping a Palliative Head Around Neurological Disease (TH307)

Matthew T. Mendlik, MD PhD, University of Pennsylvania Health System
Jessica M. McFarlin, MD, University of Kentucky
Vickie Leff, MSW LCSW BCD ACHP-SW, Duke University Hospital

Paper Session (TH308)

8:15–10 am

Plenary Session

Good Enough Now: How Doing the Best We Can with What We Have Is Better Than Nothing (101)

Jessica Pettitt, MEd CSP

10:45–11:45 am

Concurrent Sessions

Advance Care Planning: Moving from Words to Action (TH310)

Therese Rochon, MS MA APRN ACHPN, VNA Care

In Pursuit of Excellence: Post-Licensure Interprofessional Education in Palliative Care (TH311)

DorAnne Donesky, PhD ACHPN® ANP NP CHPN®, University of California, San Francisco
F. Amos Bailey, MD FACP FAAHPM, University of Colorado Hospital
Ardith Z. Doorenbos, PhD RN FAAN, University of Washington
Regina M. Fink, PhD RN APN AOCN CHPN® OCN FAAN, University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus
Caroline J. Hurd, MD, University of Washington
Lisa Kitko, PhD RN, Pennsylvania State University College of Nursing

California's End-of-Life Option Act: What Can We Learn from One Year of Legalization? (TH312) H

Barbara A. Koenig, PhD RN, University of California, San Francisco
Laura Petrillo, MD, San Francisco Veterans Affairs
Cindy Cain, PhD, University of California, Los Angeles
Felicia Cohn, PhD, Kaiser Permanente Orange County
Judy Thomas, JD, Coalition for Compassionate Care of California

If We Knew Then What We Know Now: Lessons Learned from Payer-Provider Partnerships for Community-Based Palliative Care (TH313)

Kate Meyers, MPP, California Health Care Foundation
Michael W. Rabow, MD FAAHPM, University of California, San Francisco
Kathleen Kerr, BA, Kerr Healthcare Analytics

Secrets of Getting Your Interdisciplinary Journal Article Published (TH314)

David J. Casarett, MD MA FAAHPM, Duke University
Betty Ferrell, PhD MA FAAN FPCN, City of Hope

From the Preverbal Infant to the Nonverbal Adult: Increasing Your Delirium Recognition and Treatment Skill Set in Challenging Pediatric and Adult Patients (TH315) **H P**

Natalie Jacobowski, MD, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
David Buxton, MD, Center for Palliative Psychiatry
Jessica Casas, MD, Texas Children's Hospital

Taking Psychedelics Seriously (TH316) **H A**

Ira R. Byock, MD FAAHPM, Providence Institute for Human Caring
Charles Grob, MD, Harbor-University of California, Los Angeles Medical Center

Walking the Line Between Hope and Hype: Palliative Care in the Era of New and Expensive Neuromuscular Therapies for Children and Adults (TH317) **P**

Garey Noritz, MD, Nationwide Children's Hospital
Chris Feudtner, MD PhD MPH, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Joining Forces with the Emergency Department: Successful Programs, Initiatives, and Emerging Practices (TH318)

Emergency Medicine SIG endorsed

Rebecca Goett, MD, Rutgers New Jersey Medical School
Sangeeta Lamba, MD, Rutgers New Jersey Medical School
David Wang, MD, University of California, San Francisco
Kate Aberger, MD, St. Joseph Regional Medical Center
Richard E. Schultz, Jr., RN, St. Joseph's Healthcare System

A Year in Review: Six Hot Topics in Surgical Palliative Care (TH319)

Surgical and Perioperative Care SIG endorsed

Kimberly Kopecky, MD, University of Wisconsin Hospitals and Clinics
Marlene Johnson, RN, VH Hospital
Paul Hutson, PharmD BCOP, University of Wisconsin in Madison School of Pharmacy

Paper Sessions (TH320-TH321)

Case Session (TH322)

Noon-1 pm

AAHPM Community Meetings

Bereavement Developing Community
Black Professionals/Patients/Families in HPM Forum
East and South Asian Patients/Families/Professionals in HPM Forum
Informatics Developing Community
Kidney Forum
Latino Professionals/Patients/Families in HPM Forum
Neuropalliative Developing Community
Physician Assisted Death Forum
Rehabilitation Forum

HPNA SIG Meetings

Certification SIG
Public Policy/State Ambassador SIG

Noon-1:15 pm

HPCC 25th Anniversary Certification Recognition Luncheon

1:30-2:30 pm

Concurrent Sessions

The Practice of Palliative Medicine in Developing Countries—Part One (TH330)

Conversations That Matter: A Deeper Dive Through Head, Heart, and Action (TH331) **D**

Jessica Pettitt, MEd CSP

Not on Our Turf—You Have to Get the Patient Out of Here Before He Dies! Finding a Place for the Good Death (TH332) **H**

Martina Meier, MD, Providence TrinityCare Hospice
Shaida Talebreza, MD HMDC AGSF FAAHPM, University of Utah
Eric Prommer, MD HMDC FAAHPM, University of California, Los Angeles School of Medicine and VA Hospice & Palliative Medicine Program

Cultivating Opportunities for Reflection: Teaching the Art of Debriefing (TH333)

Morgen Govindan, MD, University of Michigan
Patricia Keefer, MD, University of Michigan
Nasuh Malas, MD, University of Michigan
Terrance P. Murphy, MD FAAP, Michigan Medicine
D'Anna Saul, MD, University of Michigan Hospitals
Clare O. Riotte, DO, University of Michigan
Elizabeth A. Hollenkamp, BSN RN, University of Michigan
Janice I. Firn, PhD LMSW, Michigan Medicine

Hospice Collaboration and Integration Within Large Healthcare Systems (TH334) **H**

Keith Lagnese, MD HMDC FACP, Family Hospice & Palliative Care
Robert M. Arnold, MD FAAHPM, University of Pittsburgh
Richard L. Weinberg, MD, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
Megan King, RN, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center
Barbara Ivanko, LCSW, Family Hospice and Palliative Care

Developing Goals of Care for Your Organization: Strategic Planning for the Palliative Care Professional (TH335)

Arif H. Kamal, MD MBA MHS FAAHPM, Duke Cancer Institute
Constance Dahlin, MSN ANP-BC ACHPN® FAAN FPCN, Hospice and Palliative Nurses Association

Drug Abuse and Diversion in Pediatric Palliative Care—What You Should Know, What You Can Do, and What You Can Learn from Our Multisite Experience (TH336) **P**

Elissa G. Miller, MD, Nemours and Al duPont Hospital for Children
 Lisa Humphrey, MD, Nationwide Children's Hospital
 Rachel Thienprayoon, MD, Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center

Not Just Cutting It—A Successful Interprofessional Cooperation Between Palliative Care, Pain, and Neurosurgery in the Treatment of Intractable Cancer Pain (TH337) **A**

Rotem Tellem, MD, Tel Aviv Medical Center
 Ido Strauss, MD PhD, Tel Aviv Sourasky Medical Center
 Uri Hochberg, MD, Tel Aviv Sourasky Medical Center
 Michal Arad Sobol, RN, Tel Aviv Medical Center

Winning Hearts and Minds: The Challenges and Successes of Outpatient Palliative Care for Patients with Heart Failure (TH338)

HPNA Heart Failure SIG endorsed
 Rachel Klinedinst, MSN CRNP ACHPN®, University of Pennsylvania
 Laura Tycon, RN NP CRNP, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center

Where Palliative Care and Nephrology Meet—Complex Decisions in the Older CKD Patient (TH339)

Kidney Forum endorsed
 Dale Lupu, PhD MPH, George Washington University
 Alvin H. Moss, MD FACP FAAHPM, West Virginia University School of Medicine
 Jane Schell, MD, University of Pittsburgh
 Kathryn E. Schueller, MD, University of Wisconsin
 Katharine L. Cheung, MD MSC BA FRCPC, University of Vermont Medical Center

Paper Sessions (TH340-TH341)

Case Session (TH342)

3–4 pm

Educational Forums

Public Policy Forum: Fighting for Your Patients and Your Profession: Grassroots Advocacy in an Era of High-Stakes Healthcare Transformation (TH350)

Sponsored by the AAHPM Public Policy Committee
 Kyle P. Edmonds, MD, UC San Diego Health
 Sue Ramthun, Hart Health Strategies Inc.
 Lori J. Fresina, MPP, M+R Strategic Services
 Paul E. Tatum, MD MSPH CMD AGSF FAAHPM, University of Missouri

State of the Science in Pediatric Palliative Care (TH351) **P**

Lindsay Ragsdale, MD, University of Kentucky
 Jennifer M. Hwang, MD MHS, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
 Lisa Humphrey, MD, Nationwide Children's Hospital
 Elissa G. Miller, MD, Nemours and Al DuPont Hospital for Children
 Cheryl A. Thaxton, MN APRN CPNP FNP-BC CHPPN, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center
 Tiffany L. Webster, MDiv, Legacy Health
 Nicole L. Parente, LSW, Nationwide Children's Hospital

Diversity and Inclusion Forum: Why Do You Want to Know and Why Should I Trust You?: Implicit Messaging in Cross-Cultural (Mis)Understandings (TH352) **D**

Marjorie Kagawa Singer, PhD MA MN RN, University of California, Los Angeles

Book Club Discussion (TH353)

Extreme Measures: Finding a Better Path to the End of Life
 by Jessica Zitter

2018 Nessa Coyle Palliative Nursing Leadership Lecture: The Road Less Traveled: Navigating a Career in Palliative Nursing (TH354)

Mary Ersek, PhD RN FPCN, University of Pennsylvania

4:30–5:30 pm

Concurrent Sessions

Swimming Upstream Successfully: The Nuts and Bolts of Community-Based Palliative Care Programs Operated by Hospices (TH361) **H**

Jeanne Twohig, MPA, Ichan School of Medicine at Mount Sinai
 Turner West, MPH MT, Bluegrass Care Navigators
 Rikki N. Hooper, MBA MSN FNP ACHPN®, Four Seasons Palliative Care
 Jennifer Ritzau, MD, Hope Hospice and Palliative Care of Rhode Island

iDeath: Goals of Care for Our Social Media Image (TH362)

David Buxton, MD, Center for Palliative Psychiatry
 Sarah J. Rohrer, MSW, CJW Medical Center

Going from Casual Dating to a Long-Term Commitment: Adding a Pharmacist to Your Team (TH363)

Kashelle Lockman, PharmD, University of Iowa College of Pharmacy
 Ann Broderick, MD MS, VA Medical Center
 Jessica Geiger-Hayes, PharmD RPH CPE BCPS, OhioHealth
 Tanya Uritsky, PharmD BCPS, Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania
 Charles F. von Gunten, MD FACP FAAHPM, OhioHealth

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New Drugs and Drug News: The 411 and Implications for Palliative Care (TH364)

Mary Lynn McPherson, PharmD MA MDE BCPS CPE,
University of Maryland School of Pharmacy

Finding Words That Matter: Rekindling Our Purpose in Health Care Through Poem-Making (TH365)

Judith Redwing Keyssar, BA RN, Jewish Family and Children's Services
Michael W. Rabow, MD FAAHPM, University of California, San Francisco

Whose Decision Is It Anyway: What to Do When Adolescents and Parents Don't Agree on a Medical Plan (TH366)

Ilanit Brook, MD MS MSHS, Children's Hospital of Los Angeles
Linda-Maritza Radbill, PhD, Children's Hospital of Los Angeles

Measuring What Matters Forum

Circling the Dragon—Taming Health IT Systems to Measure What Matters (TH367)

Arif H. Kamal MD MBA MHS, Duke Cancer Institute
Joseph D. Rotella, MD MBA, American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine
Katherine Ast, MSW LCSW, American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine
Marianne Matzo, PhD APRN-CNP AOCNP FPCN FAAN, Hospice and Palliative Nurses Association
Lisa C. Lindley, PhD, RN, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, College of Nursing

'And Yet It Was a Blessing': Psychodynamic Insights for Well-Being While Coping with Serious Illness (TH368)

Psychosocial and Mental Health SIG endorsed

Keri Oxley Brenner, MD, Massachusetts General Hospital
Linda Emanuel, MD PhD, Northwestern
Margaret A. Cramer, PhD ABPP, Harvard Medical School and Massachusetts General Hospital
Sarah Sonnefeld

Transplantation Ethics and the Role of Palliative Medicine (TH369)

Ethics SIG endorsed

Christine Toevs, MD, Terre Haute Regional Hospital
Robert M. Taylor, MD FAAHPM, Ohio State University
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Dawn M. Gross, MD PhD FAAHPM, University of California, San Francisco

Paper Sessions (TH370-TH371)

Case Session (TH372)

5-7 pm

Exhibits, Job Fair, and Posters in the Exhibit Hall

5:45-7:15 pm

AAHPM Community Meetings

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Pediatrics SIG

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Psychosocial and Mental Health SIG

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Heart Failure SIG

ICU SIG

“The Assembly informs everything that I do. I know that I'll come here once a year and really get caught up in the things I may not follow as closely and take them back to my organization and use what I learn here.”

Harleah Buck, PhD RN FAAN FPCN

FRIDAY, MARCH 16

6:30–7 am

Mindfulness Meditation

7–8 am

Concurrent Sessions

National Consensus Project (NCP) Community-Based Practice Guidelines for Quality Palliative Care (FR401)

Gwynn Sullivan, MSN, National Coalition for Hospice and Palliative Care

Betty Ferrell, PhD MA FAAN FPCN, City of Hope

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#PallTech: Leveraging Digital Resources in Hospice and Palliative Care (FR402)

Bethany-Rose Daubman, MD, Massachusetts General Hospital

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Haipeng Zhang, DO, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

Sue E. Morris, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

Irene M. Yeh, MD MPH, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

Up-to-the-Minute Billing, Coding, and Compliance Updates for 2018 and Beyond (FR403)

Christopher Jones, MD HMDC FAAHPM, University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine

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If I Block His Dopamine and Stimulate His Serotonin, Will He Feel Better? Palliative Psychopharmacology 101 (FR404)

Allison E. Jordan, MD HMDC, BJC Medical Group and Hospice

Scott A. Irwin, MD PhD, Cedars-Sinai

Jennifer Pruskowski, PharmD, University of Pittsburgh School of Pharmacy

Jeremy M. Hirst, MD, University of California, San Diego

Eric Prommer, MD HMDC FAAHPM, University of California, Los Angeles School of Medicine and VA Hospice & Palliative Medicine Program

Hitting the Sweet Spot: Practical Tips for Navigating the Opioid Crisis in Outpatient Palliative Care (FR405)

Pina Patel, MD, Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center

Kashelle Lockman, PharmD, University of Iowa College of Pharmacy

Kathleen Broglio, DNP ANP-BC ACHPN FPCN, Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center

Brook A. Calton, MD, University of California, San Francisco

Justin Kullgren, PharmD, Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center

Introduction to a Novel Social Media-Based Meaning Intervention for Caregivers of Children and Adolescents Receiving Palliative Care (FR406)

Kathryn Levy, MSW, The Center for Hospice & Palliative Care

Pei C. Grant, PhD, The Center for Hospice & Palliative Care

David Byrwa, MS, The Center for Hospice & Palliative Care

Rachel M. Depner, MS, The Center for Hospice & Palliative Care

Kelly Tenzek, PhD, University at Buffalo

‘This May Be Recorded for Quality Assurance’: Approaches to Practice Fidelity in Telehealth Palliative Care (FR407)

Rebecca L. Yamarik, MD FAAHPM, Veterans Affairs

James N. Dionne-Odom, PhD RN, University of Alabama at Birmingham

Lisa Marr, MD, University of New Mexico

Hot Topics Over Hot Coffee (FR408)

Presented by the Hospice Medical Directors Council Leadership Team

Gail Austin Cooney, MD HMDC FAAHPM, Access Trustbridge

Todd R. Cote (chair), MD HMDC FAAFP FAAHPM, Bluegrass Care Navigators

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It Takes A Village: Building A Culture of Mentorship (FR409)

Presented by the Academic Palliative Medicine Council Leadership Team

Sangeeta Lamba, MD, Rutgers New Jersey Medical School

Joanne Wolfe, MD MPH FAAHPM, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

Rebecca Sudore, MD FAAHPM, University of California, San Francisco

Gary T. Buckholz, MD HMDC FAAHPM, University of California, San Diego

Steven M. Radwany, MD FACP FAAHPM, Summa Health

8:15–10 am

Plenary Session

Solace: The Art of Asking the Beautiful Question (102)

David Whyte, poet, author, speaker

10:45–11:45 am

Concurrent Sessions

PC-FACS: Year in Review (FR410)

Mellar P. Davis, MD FCCP FAAHPM, Geisinger Medical Center

Robert M. Arnold, MD FAAHPM, University of Pittsburgh

Staying Inside the Lines While Thinking Outside the Box: Challenges in Providing Pediatric End-of-Life Care on General Inpatient Units at Quaternary Children's Hospitals (FR411)

Victoria K. Johnson, DO, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
Amy Trowbridge, MD, Seattle Children's Hospital
Megan Thorvilson, MD MDiv, Mayo Clinic of Rochester
Trevor D. McLay, DNP ARNP, Seattle Children's Hospital
Dana Dombrowski, MSW LSW, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Is NPO the Only Option? An Innovative Research-Based Framework for Oral Intake Recommendations in the Seriously Ill (FR412)

Sumathi Misra, MD MPH, Vanderbilt University Medical Center
Meredith Ashford, MS CCC-SLP, Vanderbilt University Medical Center
Blair Leyhew, MSN BSN, Gentiva Hospice

When Daddy Is Dying: Facilitating Family-Centered Adult Goals of Care Discussions (FR413)

Katie Stowers, DO, University of Texas Health in San Antonio
Rebecca Charlton, MS CCLS, University Hospital
Rachel Vandermeer, MD, University of Texas Health and Science Center

Insuring Alignment of Our Practices and Personal Health Behaviors: An Employee Incentive Plan to Encourage Advance Care Planning (FR414)

Ira R. Byock, MD FAAHPM, Providence Institute for Human Caring
Matthew J. Gonzales, MD, Providence St. Joseph Health

Neither Gone nor Here: Coping with Personality Change and Loss of Identity in Neurologic Disease (FR415)

Farrah Daly, MD MBA, Goodwin House
Neha M. Kramer, MD, Rush University Medical Center
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What's Lost in Translation: A Structured Series of Dialogues Exploring Challenges Experienced by Medical Interpreters Providing End-of-Life Care and Offering Strategies to Overcome Them (FR416)

Janet L. Abraham, MD FAAHPM, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute and Brigham and Women's Hospital
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Substance Use Disorders 101 for the Palliative Care Specialist (FR417)

Substance Abuse and Diversion SIG endorsed

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Being in Two Places at Once: Utilizing Clinical Video Telemedicine Technology to Provide Remote Hospice/Palliative Care Services (FR418)

Veterans SIG and Rural SIG endorsed

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Paper Sessions (FR419-FR420)

Case Sessions (FR421-FR422)

12:15-1:15 pm

AAHPM Business Meeting

HPNA Membership Meeting

1:30-2:30 pm

Concurrent Sessions

The Practice of Palliative Medicine in Developing Countries—Part Two (FR430)

Half a Shade Braver: Making a Friend of the Unknown (FR431)

David Whyte, poet, author, speaker

Palliative Care: Bringing It Home (FR432)

Nancy A. Guinn, MD, Presbyterian Healthcare at Home
Abigail Gilbert-Savi, MSN, NP, Presbyterian Health System
Regina Dickens, MSW, Presbyterian Health System

Evolving from Individual Wellness to Departmental Well-Being: How to Achieve Resilience and Longevity in Palliative Medicine (FR433)

Rita Manfredi, FACEP, George Washington University
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Carol Ramsey-Lucas, MDiv, Washington DC VA Medical Center
Jan Bull, MA, Maryland University of Integrative Health
Jennifer Cho, MSW, Washington DC VA Medical Center

Pediatric Palliative Care: On the Road to...

(FR434) **P**

Megan Thorvilson, MD MDiv, Mayo Clinic in Rochester
Lisa Squires, BSN RN, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
Jennifer M. Hwang, MD MHS, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Sojourn's Scholars Present in the Expert's Studio: Communication Strategies (FR435)

Toby C. Campbell, MD MSC, University of Wisconsin
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View from the Other Side: What Can We Learn from Palliative Care Professionals Who Became Patients? (FR436)

Judith Redwing Keyssar, BA RN, Jewish Family and Children's Services
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Amy J. Berman, BSN RN LHD, John A. Hartford Foundation
Helene Starks, PhD MPH, University of Washington

Parenting with Life-Limiting Illness: Strategies to Support Families with Dependent Children (FR437) **P**

Eliza Park, MD, University of North Carolina
Cindy Moore, PhD, Massachusetts General Hospital
Claire E. Hailey, BS, University of North Carolina
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Am I Really Any Good at This? Exploring and Managing the Imposter Phenomenon in Palliative Care (FR438)

Early Career Professionals SIG endorsed
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Erin Stevens, DO, Harvard Medical School
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Behavioral and Psychotic Symptoms of Dementia vs. Delirium in Hospice: Challenges in Diagnosis and Management in the Long-Term Care Setting: Part 1 (FR439) **H**

Geriatric/Long-Term Care SIG endorsed
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Paper Sessions (FR440-FR441)

Case Session (FR442)

3-4 pm

Concurrent Sessions

The "R" Word (Retirement): Planning for Career Transitions and Life After Hospice and Palliative Care (FR450)

Senior Clinicians SIG endorsed
Sharon Teitelbaum, MCC, Executive and Career Coach

"I Don't Qualify for a Liver Transplant—Now What?" What Is the Role of Palliative Care in End-Stage Liver Disease? (FR451) **R**

Sandhya Mudumbi, MD, University of Alabama in Birmingham
Nicholas Hoppmann, MD, University of Alabama in Birmingham
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Incorporating Bereaved Parents as Facilitators and Educators in Teaching Principles of Palliative and End-of-Life Care (FR452) **P**

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Melody J. Cunningham, MD FAAHPM, Le Bonheur Children's Hospital
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Documentation Design: Palliative Care Notes in the EHR Era (FR453)

Christian T. Sinclair, MD FAAHPM, University of Kansas Medical Center
April Krutka, DO, Intermountain Healthcare

Speed Dating: Now for Kids! (FR454)

Emma Jones, MD, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute and Boston Children's Hospital
Mary Lynn McPherson, PharmD MA MDE BCPS CPE, University of Maryland School of Pharmacy
Jill Morgan, PharmD, University of Maryland School of Pharmacy

Seizure Bootcamp: Everything You Ever Needed to Know to Manage Seizures in End-Stage Disease (FR455)

Mara M. Lugassy, MD, MJHS Hospice and Palliative Care
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When Helping Hurts: Iatrogenic Effects on the Patient-Caregiver Dyad (FR456)

Katie Jones, APN, VA Medical Center
Kysa Christie, PhD, VA Boston Healthcare
Lara M. Skarf, MD, VA Boston Healthcare System

Is There Accountable Care for Community-Based Programs for the Seriously Ill? (FR457)

Joan M. Teno, MD MS, University of Michigan

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Justin Sanders, MD MSC, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

Don't Limit Me: Discussing Serious News with Intellectually Disabled Adults (FR458)

Colleen Vega, CNS, Stanford Hospital

Felicia Hui, MD, Stanford University

Stephanie Harman, MD, Stanford Palliative Care

Laurel A. Mildred, MSW, Mildred Consulting and Advocacy

Karla Schroeder, DNP MHA ANP NP, Stanford Health Care

Not Quite There Yet: Striving to Create a Diverse and Inclusive Palliative Care Workforce (FR459)

Safety Net SIG and LGBTQ SIG endorsed

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Immunotherapy 101 (FR460)

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Paper Session (FR461)

Case Session (FR462)

4:30–5:30 pm

Concurrent Sessions

The State of HPM Policy: Opportunities to Expand and Protect Access to Palliative Care and Hospice at the State and Local Levels (FR470)

Stacie Sinclair, MPP, Center to Advance Palliative Care

Phillip Peterson, MD, Hospice Compassus and Medical Services of America

Rhonda P. Oakes, RN CHPN®, Change Healthcare

Jordan Endicott, JD, American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine

Cancer Immunotherapy: The Changing Landscape for Palliative Care and Hospice (FR471)

Lynn S. Billing, BSN RN CHPN®, Kimmel Cancer Center at the Johns Hopkins Hospital

Julie Waldfogel, PharmD CPE, Johns Hopkins Hospital

Mary K. Buss, MD MPH, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center

Suzanne Nesbit, PharmD BCPS CPE FCCP, Johns Hopkins Hospital

Your Prayers Are Answered: A Simulation-Based Interdisciplinary Curriculum (FR472)

Maxwell T. Vergo, MD, Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center

Nancy Wood, Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center

Meredith MacMartin, MD, Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center

Charles Y. Whang, MD, Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center

Partnering with Payers to Meet the Needs of Pediatric Palliative Care Patients (FR473)

Melody J. Cunningham, MD FAAHPM, Le Bonheur Children's Hospital

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Behavioral and Psychotic Symptoms of Dementia vs. Delirium in Hospice: Challenges in Diagnosis and Management in the Long-Term Care Setting: Part 2 (FR474)

Rebecca L. Yamarik, MD FAAHPM, Veterans Affairs

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Jennifer Tjia, MD MSCE, University of Massachusetts Medical School

Barbara Messinger-Rapport, MD CMD HMDC FACP, Cleveland Clinic

Speed Dating with the Pharmacy Ladies: PharmaOnly.com (FR475)

Kathryn A. Walker, PharmD CPE, Medstar Health, University of Maryland School of Pharmacy

Mary Lynn McPherson, PharmD MA MDE BCPS CPE, University of Maryland School of Pharmacy

Tears in the Cloud: Facing Serious Illness and Grief in the Digital Age (FR476)

Gregg K. VandeKieft, MD MA FAAHPM, Providence St. Joseph Health

Denise Hess, MDiv, Providence Health & Services

Christian T. Sinclair, MD FAAHPM, University of Kansas Medical Center

Coding and Billing Jeopardy—Play with the Experts (FR477)

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Integrating Palliative Care for Patients with Hematologic Malignancies: Lessons Learned and Strategies to Ease Integration (FR478)

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Scrappy and Resourceful: Multisetting Palliative Care in Rural America (FR479)

Rural SIG endorsed

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Anticipating Death in Children and Adults with Childhood Onset Severe Central Nervous System Impairment: A Case Series Review (FR480)

Pediatric SIG endorsed

Julie M. Hauer, MD, Boston Children's Hospital
Catherine Clark, MSW LICSW, Seven Hills Pediatric Center
Holly E. Jarek, DSc, Seven Hills Pediatric Center

Paper Session (FR481)

4:30–6 pm

An Interactive Educational Exchange (FR482)

5:45–7:15 pm

AAHPM Community Meetings

Education SIG
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Global Health SIG
ICU SIG
Integrative Medicine SIG
Pharmacotherapy SIG
Program Chiefs SIG
Rural SIG

HPNA SIG Meetings

APN SIG
Bioethics SIG

AAHPM and HPNA Joint LGBTQ SIGs

AAHPM and HPNA Joint Research SIGs

6–7 pm

Service of Remembrance and Celebration

“I love the collaborative efforts between AAHPM and HPNA—it’s truly blended together the family of care providers in hospice and palliative, which makes for an exceptional way to get all of the experts in the same place at the same time.”

Stephanie Desiderio, RN CHPN

SATURDAY, MARCH 17

7–8 am

Cambia Leadership Lecture Breakfast

8:15–10 am

The “New” State of the Science: Update in Hospice and Palliative Care (103)

Heather L. Coats, PhD APRN-BC, University of Colorado, College of Nursing

Laura P. Gelfman, MD MPH, Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai

10:30–11:30 am

Concurrent Sessions

Defining the Disease in DT-LVAD: A Comprehensive Approach to a Complex Continuum of Care (SA501)

Sara E. Wordingham, MD, Mayo Clinic of Arizona
Jennifer Woodburn, DNP AGPC-NP, Mayo Clinic of Phoenix
Sharene Hollenbach, MSN RN OCN, Mayo Clinic of Arizona
Samantha Williamson, MSW LMSW, Mayo Clinic of Arizona

2018—Targeting the Pusher: Beyond Going Beyond Senna and Colace for the Management of Constipation in Hospice (SA502)

Jamie C. Fertal, DO, University of California, Irvine
Martina Meier, MD, Providence Trinity Care Hospice
Mary Lynn McPherson, PharmD MA MDE BCPS CPE, University of Maryland School of Pharmacy
Eric Prommer, MD HMDC FAAHPM, University of California, Los Angeles School of Medicine and VA Hospice & Palliative Medicine Program

Alternative Payment for Palliative Care: Getting from Here to There (SA503)

Allison Silvers, MBA, Center to Advance Palliative Care
Phillip E. Rodgers, MD FAAHPM, University of Michigan
Torrie K. Fields, MPH, Blue Shield of California
Diane E. Meier, MD FACP FAAHPM, Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai

Opening the Black Box: How Interventional Radiology Can Help Our Patients in Hospice and Palliative Care (SA504)

Christopher Jones, MD HMDC FAAHPM, University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine
Jeffrey L. Weinstein, MD, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center

Trauma-Informed Palliative Care: Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Assessing and Treating Patients and Families with Trauma- and Stress-Related Symptoms (SA505)

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Making the Case for the C Suite: Using Leadership Insights and Strategic Resources to Put Your Pediatric Palliative Care Program in Prime Time (SA506)

Pediatric SIG endorsed

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The “SAFEST” Way to Navigate Substance Abuse—A Talking Map for Difficult Situations (SA507)

Pharmacotherapy SIG and Outpatient Palliative Care SIG endorsed

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Paper Session (SA508)

Case Session (SA509)

11:30 am–1 pm

AAHPM Community Meetings

Cancer SIG
Emergency Medicine SIG
Geriatrics/Long-Term Care SIG
Heart Failure SIG
Humanities and Spirituality SIG
Substance Abuse and Diversion SIG
Surgical and Perioperative Care SIG

HPNA SIG Meetings

Integrative Care SIG
International SIG
LPN/LVN SIG
LTC/Geriatrics SIG
Pediatrics SIG
Public Relations SIG

Noon–1:15 pm

Critical Conversations: Challenges to Clinician Well-Being and Resilience in Hospice and Palliative Care (SA510)

A town hall session by AAHPM, HPNA, and NHPCO

1:30–2:30 pm

Concurrent Sessions

The Practice of Palliative Medicine in Developing Countries—Part 3 (SA511)

What I Really Need Right Now Is to Hear from Other Parents with a Child like Mine (SA512) P

Blyth T. Lord, EdM, *Courageous Parents Network*
 Janet Duncan, MSN CPNP, *Boston Children's Hospital and Dana-Farber Cancer Institute*
 Marsha Joselow, MSW LCSW, *Boston Children's Hospital and Dana-Farber Cancer Institute*
 Patricia J. O'Malley, MD, *Massachusetts General Hospital for Children*

"What Do You Mean You Are Going to Stop the Statin?!" Communication Techniques for Deprescribing (SA513) H

Jennifer Pruskowski, PharmD, *University of Pittsburgh Medical Center*
 Mary Lynn McPherson, PharmD MA MDE BCPS CPE, *University of Maryland School of Pharmacy*
 Holly M. Holmes, MD MS AGSF, *University of Texas Health McGovern Medical School*

"I Have a Terrible Sore Throat, I'm Itching, and I Haven't Slept in Days": Pharmacopalliation of Mucositis, Pruritus, and Insomnia in Hospice and Palliative Care Patients (SA514) H

James B. Ray, PharmD, *University of Iowa College of Pharmacy*
 Carla Pies, DNP ARNP ACHPN®, *University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics*
 William D. Clark, MD, *University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics*

Ketamine and Depression: Is It Ready for Primetime? (SA515)

Eric Prommer, MD HMDC FAAHPM, *University of California, Los Angeles School of Medicine and VA Hospice & Palliative Medicine Program*
 Scott A. Irwin, MD PhD, *Cedars-Sinai*
 Jeremy M. Hirst, MD, *University of California, San Diego*

A Guide for Palliative Medicine Clinicians Taking Care of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Patients Using a Whole Person Care Approach (SA516) D

LGBTQ and Humanities and Spirituality SIG endorsed
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 Ronit Elk, PhD, *University of South Carolina*
 Amanda Hinrichs, DO, *Park Nicollet and University of Minnesota*
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Air Out There: Options for Noninvasive Respiratory Supports and Safe Transitions from ICU to Hospice (SA517) H

ICU SIG endorsed
 Lauren F. Goodman, MD MSC, *Ohio State University*
 Elaine Chen, MD, *Rush University Medical Center*
 Brady Scott, MS RRT-ACCS FAARC, *Rush University*

Paper Session (SA518)

Case Session (SA519)

2:45-3:45 pm

Concurrent Sessions

Ready, Set, Go: Preparing for Interprofessional Education in Palliative Care (SA520)

Barbara Head, PhD CHPN FPCN, *University of Louisville*
 Mark P. Pfeifer, MD, *University of Louisville*
 Tara J. Schapmire, PhD MSW OSW-C FNAP, *University of Louisville School of Medicine*

Voluntary Stopping of Eating and Drinking: Ethical Analysis and Clinical Approach (SA521) H

Adam Marks, MD, *University of Michigan*
 Jane E. Chagot, MD, *University of Michigan*

"I look at the curriculum and it's always cutting edge. It's something I can use that helps me learn and helps me teach others how to provide the best care to patients."

Holli Martinez, FNP ACHPN FPCN



I'm Confused! Should I Be Using Drugs to Treat Delirium or Not? (SA522)

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Mellar P. Davis, MD FCCP FAAHPM, Geisinger Medical Center

Watch Your Mouth: Expanding Awareness of Clinical Language to Promote Quality Care and Culture Change (SA523)

Anne Kelemen, Medstar Washington Hospital Center
Terry Altilio, LCSW, Mount Sinai and Beth Israel Deaconess Hospital Center
Hunter Groninger, MD FAAHPM, Medstar Washington Hospital Center
Vickie Leff, MSW LCSW BCD ACHP-SW, Duke University Hospital

Who Will Speak for Me? The Growing Trend of the Unbefriended Elderly Population and Its Effect on End-of-Life Care (SA524)

Theresa Vickey, MSN FNP-BC ACHPN®, Carolinas Healthcare System Northeast
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Global Palliative Care: Improving the Quality of Spiritual Care in Global Palliative Care (SA525)

Global Health SIG endorsed
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Moving Forward Together: Enhancing the Oncologist-Palliative Care Clinician Relationship for Comanagement Care Models (SA526)

Cancer SIG endorsed
Andrew Epstein, MD, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center
Toby C. Campbell, MD MSC, University of Wisconsin
Bridget Fahy-Chandon, MD, University of New Mexico
Rebecca Cammy, MSW LCSW, University of Pennsylvania Health System
Joshua Jones, MD MA, University of Pennsylvania Health System
Kimberly Chow, MSN ANP-BC ACHPN®, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center
Esme Finlay, MD, University of New Mexico

Paper Session (SA527)

SOCIAL WORK HOSPICE AND PALLIATIVE CARE NETWORK GENERAL ASSEMBLY

The Social Work Hospice and Palliative Care Network (SWHPN) will hold its sixth General Assembly, *Forging New Models of Hospice and Palliative Care Through Practice, Research, and Education*, March 11-13, at the Boston Park Plaza Hotel. This conference is held in conjunction with the Annual Assembly each year. Learn more at swhpn.org.



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AAHPM AND HPNA AWARDS PRESENTATIONS

The following individuals will be recognized for their outstanding contributions to the field of hospice and palliative care during these sessions:

Thursday Plenary

AAHPM Lifetime Achievement Award

Timothy E. Quill, MD FACP FAAHPM

AAHPM Josefin B. Magno Distinguished Hospice Physician Award

Joel S. Policzer, MD FACP FAAHPM

AAHPM Gerald H. Holman Distinguished Service Award

Phillip E. Rodgers, MD FAAHPM

AAHPM Humanities Award

Frank Ostaseki

AAHPM PDIA Palliative Medicine National Leadership Award

Eduardo Bruera, MD FAAHPM

AAHPM PDIA Palliative Medicine Community Leadership Award

Alexander R. Nesbitt, MD

Presidential Citation Awards

Patrick H. Conway, MD MSc

Jeri L. Miller, PhD

Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation

Friday Plenary

HPNA Vanguard Award

Beverly Paukstis, RN CHPN FPCN

HPNA Distinguished Career Achievement Award

Patrick Coyne, MSN ACHPN ACNS BC FAAN FPC

HPNA Distinguished Nursing Practice Award

Jennifer Gentry, MSN APRN ACHPN

HPNA New Investigator Award

Stephanie Gilbertson-White, PhD APRN BC

HPNA Presidential Citation

The Honorable Susan Collins (R-Maine)

United States Senator

Saturday Plenary

AAHPM Early Career Investigator Award

Abby Rosenberg, MD MS

AAHPM Award for Excellence in Scientific Research in Palliative Care

Holly Prigerson, PhD

HPNA Distinguished Research Award

Margaret Campbell, PhD RN FPCN

EXHIBIT HALL SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 2018

Exhibit Setup/Registration 8 am–4 pm

Opening Reception with

Exhibits and Posters 5:30–7:30 pm

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 2018

Break with Exhibits and Posters 10–10:45 am

Lunch with Exhibits and Posters 11:45 am–1:15 pm

Break with Exhibits and Posters 2:30–3 pm

Job Fair with Exhibits and Posters 5–7 pm

FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 2018

Break with Exhibits and Posters 10–10:45 am

Break with Exhibits and Posters 11:45 am–1:15 pm

Exhibit Teardown 1:30 pm

Note: Schedule is subject to change.

SPECIAL FEATURES AND EVENTS

In addition to high-quality education, you also will have the opportunity to engage in meaningful discussions, reflect and re-energize, network, and of course have fun! Consider participating in these opportunities to grow both personally and professionally.

Professional Development

Consultation Hours

Consultants and peer leaders will be available to discuss billing and coding, nursing research, career planning and growth, diversity and inclusion, and hospice practice. These unique professional development opportunities are available at no additional cost to attendees. Watch for information about sign-ups before the Annual Assembly and onsite.

Career Development and Job Fair

Attend the Job Fair, located in the Exhibit Hall, on Thursday, March 15, 5–7 pm. Learn about opportunities in the hospice and palliative care field and network with potential employers. Watch for specific career enhancement programs conducted during the Annual Assembly in the Career Development Showcase located in the Exhibit Hall.

Physicians-in-Training Reception

Medical students, residents, fellows, and recent graduates are invited to attend a special physicians-in-training reception at 4:30 pm on Wednesday, March 14. It is a great opportunity to network and meet with national leaders in the field.

New-Member and First-Timer Receptions

New to AAHPM or HPNA? Is this your first Annual Assembly? Then join us at a reception immediately prior to the Opening Reception on Wednesday, March 14 at 4:30 pm to meet other new members and leaders. It's a great way to connect in a smaller, intimate setting.

HPCC Luncheon

Join speaker Donna Morgan on Thursday, March 15, Noon–1:15 pm as the Hospice and Palliative Credentialing Center (HPCC) celebrates 25 years. Those certified or interested in certification can register by February 16, 2018, through the HPCC website at www.gohpcc.org. Seating is limited.

Special Welcome to SWHPN and SPCP

With a vision toward broadening and deepening the opportunities to learn from each other, AAHPM and HPNA are pleased to welcome the Social Work Hospice and Palliative Care Network (SWHPN) and the Society of Palliative Care Pharmacists (SPCP) to the Annual Assembly. SWHPN and SPCP will each present and host a preconference interdisciplinary workshop. Don't miss this exciting opportunity to learn from colleagues:

- Providing Palliative Care to Patients and Families with Preexisting Mental Health and Substance Use Issues
- Managing Pain in the Face of Substance Misuse: Practical Approaches and Tools in the Palliative Care and Hospice Settings

Posters

View the latest scientific research; quality improvement projects; and case-based, peer-reviewed posters in the Exhibit Hall through lunchtime on Friday. Invited posters featuring the work of AAHPM Fellowship Grant awardees, Cambia Health Foundation Sojourn Scholars, and interdisciplinary scholars and fellows also will be displayed.

Exhibit Hall

Learn about the latest developments in medical supplies and equipment, software, facilities, pharmaceuticals, career opportunities, and medical publishing from the exhibitors, and be sure to visit the more than 200 poster presentations provided by your peers and colleagues. Also in the Exhibit Hall are the AAHPM and HPNA Resource Centers, networking areas, charging stations, and the popular headshot lounge.

HPNA Fellows Reception

Fellows in Palliative Care Nursing are invited to a special reception in honor of their contributions to the profession on Friday, March 16, at 7:30 pm. Invitation only.

HPNA Clinical Lecture Series—New

Join Therese Rochon, MS MA APRN ACHPN, for the inaugural lecture in this series, "Advance Care Planning: Moving from Words to Action," on Thursday, March 15, 10:45–11:45 am.

2018 Nessa Coyle Palliative Nursing Leadership Lecture

Join Mary Ersek, PhD RN FPCN, from 3–4 pm on Thursday, March 15, for "The Road Less Traveled: Navigating a Career in Palliative Nursing," the second annual lecture in this leadership series sponsored by the Hospice and Palliative Nurses Foundation.

Personal Development

Service of Remembrance and Celebration

This annual service provides an opportunity to remember and celebrate the lives of those you have served and loved. The service integrates the culture and season of our meeting in Boston with music and reflection. Join us on Friday, March 16 at 6 pm.

Book Club

Participate in the discussion of *Extreme Measures: Finding a Better Path to the End of Life* with author Dr. Jessica Zitter. You'll have the opportunity to examine new ideas, discuss new concepts, and network with colleagues. Dr. Zitter hopes her book "will serve as an empowering and practical guide for engaging in the radical honesty, authentic communication, and vibrant collaboration needed to improve end-of-life care for all." Come join the discussion on Thursday, March 15, at 3 pm.

Cambia Leadership Lecture with Breakfast

Take advantage of a special program, sponsored by the Cambia Health Foundation, on Saturday, March 17, 7–8 am, with thought leaders in the field of hospice and palliative care. Registration will open in October.

TRAVEL

Meeting Location

John B. Hynes Veterans Memorial Convention Center

900 Boylston Street, Boston, MA
617.954.2000

Headquarter Hotels

A limited number of sleeping rooms have been secured at discounted group rates. To obtain the discounted rates, reserve your sleeping rooms early using the reservation methods below. The discounted rates expire on February 13, 2018, or once the room blocks have been filled. After that time, availability will be limited and higher room rates may apply. To view hotel locations, please see the map below.

Sheraton Boston Hotel

(0.3 miles from convention center)

39 Dalton Street

617.236.2000

Rate: \$269/\$289 single/double

Online Reservations:

AnnualAssembly.org

Phone Reservations: 888.627.7054

Use group code AAC12A

Boston Marriott Copley Place

(0.5 miles from convention center)

110 Huntington Avenue

617.236.5800

Rate: \$254 single/double

Online Reservations:

AnnualAssembly.org

Phone Reservations: 888.236.2427

Hilton Boston Back Bay

(0.4 miles from convention center)

40 Dalton Street

617.236.1100

Rate: \$245 single/double

Online Reservations:

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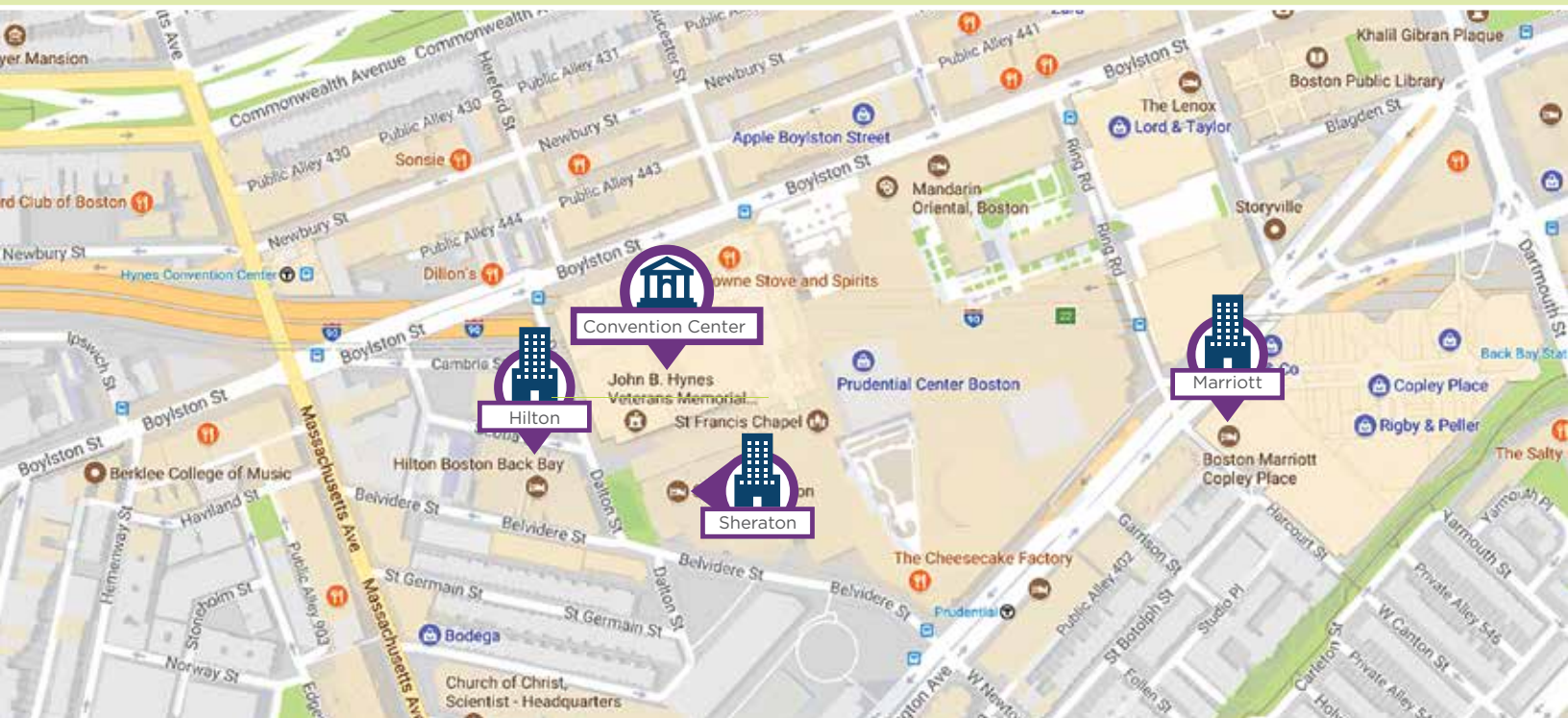
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Add these attractions to your Assembly adventure: Fenway Park, the Freedom Trail, The Paul Revere House, Boston Common, Boston Tea Party Ships, Boston Museum of Fine Arts, Samuel Adams Brewery, and Copley Square. There's something for everyone in Boston.

Visit bostonusa.com or follow @BostonInsider on Twitter for the latest travel information and special offers.



SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

To help you plan your travel, here is an overview of the Annual Assembly. Please visit AnnualAssembly.org for updates.

TUESDAY, MARCH 13

4-7 pm
Registration

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14

6:30 am-7 pm
Registration

8 am-5/5:30 pm
Preconference Workshops

4:30-5:30 pm
Receptions for New Members, First-Timers,
and Physicians-in-Training

5:30-7:30 pm
Opening Reception with Exhibits and Posters

THURSDAY, MARCH 15

6:30 am-5:30 pm
Registration

7-7:45 am
Continental Breakfast

7-8 am
Educational Sessions

8:15-10 am
Plenary Session with Awards

10-10:45 am
Exhibits and Posters

10:45-11:45 am
Educational Sessions

11:45 am-1:15 pm
Exhibits and Posters

Noon-1 pm
Community Meetings

Noon-1:15 pm
HPCC Certification Recognition Luncheon

1:30-5:30 pm
Educational Sessions

2:30-3 pm
Exhibits and Posters

5-7 pm
Job Fair, Exhibits, and Posters

5:45-7:15 pm
Community Meetings

FRIDAY, MARCH 16

7 am-5 pm
Registration

7-8 am
Educational Sessions

7-7:45 am
Continental Breakfast

8:15-10 am
Plenary Session with Awards

10-11 am
Exhibits and Posters

10:45-11:45 am
Educational Sessions

11:45 am-1:30 pm
Exhibits and Posters

12:15-1:15 pm
AAHPM Business Meeting and HPNA Membership Meeting

1:30-5:30 pm
Educational Sessions

4:30-6 pm
Interactive Educational Exchange

5:45-7:15 pm
Community Meetings

6-7 pm
Service of Remembrance and Celebration

SATURDAY, MARCH 17

6:30-8 am
Continental Breakfast

7 am-5 pm
Registration

7-8 am
Cambia Leadership Lecture Breakfast

8:15-10 am
Plenary Session with Awards

10:30-11:30 am
Educational Sessions

11:30 am-1 pm
Community Meetings

Noon-1:15 pm
Town Hall Session

1:30-3:45 pm
Educational Sessions

3:45 pm
Adjourn. Safe travels home.

REGISTRATION AND CE INFORMATION

Physician Maintenance of Certification (MOC) Points

American Board of Anesthesiology

AAHPM is pleased to announce that the 2018 Annual Assembly is part of the American Board of Anesthesiology® Maintenance of Certification in Anesthesiology Program® (MOCA®) known as MOCA 2.0®. Maintenance of Certification in Anesthesiology Program® and MOCA® are registered certification marks of the American Board of Anesthesiology®.

American Board of Internal Medicine

Successful completion of this CME activity, which includes participation in the evaluation component, enables the participant to earn up to 25.75 MOC points in the American Board of Internal Medicine's (ABIM) Maintenance of Certification program. Participants will earn MOC points equivalent to the amount of CME credits claimed for the activity. It is the CME activity provider's responsibility to submit participant completion information to ACCME for the purpose of granting ABIM MOC credit.

American Board of Pediatrics

Successful completion of this CME activity, which includes participation in the activity with individual assessments of the participant and feedback to the participant, enables the participant to earn 26 MOC points in the American Board of Pediatrics' (ABP) Maintenance of Certification (MOC) program. It is the CME activity provider's responsibility to submit participant completion information to ACCME for the purpose of granting ABP MOC credit. Pediatricians must complete a minimum of 15 hours of education to qualify for MOC.

The availability for MOC points through other certification boards is under review.

Continuing Education Credit

Physicians

The American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine (AAHPM) is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to sponsor continuing medical education for physicians. AAHPM designates this live activity for a maximum of 25.75 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

- *Preconference events:* Up to 7.0 credit hours
- *Annual Assembly:* Up to 18.75 credit hours

Application for prescribed credits has been filed with the American Academy of Family Physicians and application for Certified Medical Director (CMD) credits has been filed with the American Board of Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medicine. Determination of credits is pending.

Nurses

The Hospice and Palliative Nurses Association (HPNA) is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education (CNE) by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's (ANCC) Commission on Accreditation under provider number P0284. To receive CNE hours and completion certificate, the participant must be in attendance for the entire course registered and complete and submit an attestation of attendance and the online evaluation form(s) within the time frame required. CNE certificates will delineate pharmacology hours earned in addition to CNE hours awarded for the conference courses attended.

Designated Pharmacotherapeutic Hours

The 2018 Annual Assembly offers APN/CNS participants Category 1 Designated Pharmacotherapeutic Credit Hours specific to national ANCC recertification of the APN/CNS, which includes drug-specific information, safe prescribing practices, safe medication administration, prescribing methodologies, new regulations, and/or similar content. HPNA's 2018 Annual Assembly RN certificates will delineate Category 1 Designated Pharmacotherapy Hours earned in addition to CNE hours awarded for conference attendance.

Pharmacists

Application for continuing education credit has been filed with the University of Maryland School of Pharmacy. Determination of credits is pending. The University of Maryland School of Pharmacy is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education as a provider of continuing pharmacy education.

Social Workers

Application for formal social work continuing education approval has been filed with the National Association of Social Workers. Determination of credits is pending.

Other

Certificate of attendance is available.

Register by January 31, 2018, to save \$100 on your registration fee!

Disclosure Statement

AAHPM and HPNA endorse the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education and the American Nurses Credentialing Center standards for disclosure and commercial support and endeavor to ensure balance, independence, objectivity, and scientific rigor for all accredited products and programs. All who are in a position to control or influence the content of an educational activity must disclose any relevant financial relationships with commercial interests.* Disclosure documents were reviewed for potential conflicts of interest and, if identified, they were resolved prior to confirmation of participation. Only those who had no conflict of interest or who agreed to an identified resolution process prior to their participation were involved in this activity.

**A commercial interest is defined as any entity producing, marketing, reselling, or distributing healthcare goods or services consumed by, or used on, patients. (Exclusions at the time of this writing included 501-C not-for-profit organizations, government organizations, liability and health insurance providers, nonhealthcare-related companies, group medical practices, for-profit healthcare providers, blood banks, and diagnostic laboratories.)*

Types of Registration

AAHPM Physician Member

Allopathic (MD) or osteopathic (DO) physicians who are members of AAHPM.

HPNA, SWHPN, SPCP, or AAHPM Affiliate Members

Members of HPNA, SWHPN, SPCP, or AAHPM nonphysician healthcare professionals (eg, nurse, social worker, pharmacist, physician assistant).

Fellow

Fellows in good standing in an accredited or approved fellowship training program. Documentation must be provided from the current fellowship program director.

Medical Resident or Medical or RN Student

Medical residents or full-time medical or nursing students; documentation must be provided from the dean of the program.

Guest

Guest passes are available for \$75 each and include entrance to the Exhibit Hall, opening night reception, and morning breaks. No access to education sessions.

Join and Register

Become a member of AAHPM or HPNA and register for the Assembly at the reduced member rate. Be sure to select the "Join and Register" option and check the appropriate membership category.

Special Assistance

If you need special assistance, please check the appropriate box on the registration form. Call Member Services at 847.375.4712 if you have any questions.

Cancellation Policy

All cancellations must be made in writing (e-mail info@aaahpm.org). A \$95 processing fee will apply to all cancellations. No refunds will be made on cancellations postmarked or e-mailed after February 21, 2018. All late special requests refunds must be received within 15 days following the Assembly. All refunds will be processed after the Assembly.

Deductibility of Expenses

Consult your tax advisor for information about the deductibility of registration and membership fees.

Program Changes and Cancellations

We reserve the right to substitute faculty or cancel or reschedule sessions due to unforeseen circumstances. If we must cancel this conference, registrants will receive a full refund of their paid registration fee. No refunds can be made for lodging, airfare, or other expenses related to attending the Annual Assembly.

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City/State/ZIP

Daytime Phone (☐ Home ☐ Office) ()

E-Mail (required*)

☐ First-Time Attendee

*You will receive your electronic registration confirmation only via e-mail at the e-mail address provided.

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To register, make your selections in the boxes below, add the subtotals, and indicate the total amount in box I.

Full Meeting Registration—March 14-17

Official meeting starts with Opening Reception (5:30-7:30 pm) on Wednesday, March 14. If you do not wish to register for the full conference, please move to **Box B** below.

Member (please circle association with which you hold membership below) (AAHPM, HPNA, SWHPN, SPCP)	Early-Bird Discount (before or on Jan. 31)	Regular Rate (after Jan. 31)	If you register on site, you'll pay
Physician	☐ \$ 795	☐ \$ 895	\$ 1,020
Nurse, Affiliate, Social Worker	☐ \$ 595	☐ \$ 695	\$ 820
Fellow*	☐ \$ 260	☐ \$ 360	\$ 410
Resident/Med or RN Student*	☐ \$ 250	☐ \$ 350	\$ 400

Join/Renew and Register

Join AAHPM—Physician	☐ \$1,315	☐ \$1,415	\$1,540
Join AAHPM—Nurse or Affiliate	☐ \$ 860	☐ \$ 960	\$1,085
Join AAHPM—Fellow*	☐ \$ 435	☐ \$ 535	\$ 585
Join AAHPM—Resident/Med Student*	☐ \$ 300	☐ \$ 400	\$ 460
Join HPNA—Nurse	☐ \$ 710	☐ \$ 810	\$ 935
Join HPNA—Associate	☐ \$ 677	☐ \$ 777	\$ 902
Join HPNA—RN Student*	☐ \$ 305	☐ \$ 405	\$ 455

Nonmember

Physician	☐ \$ 1,015	☐ \$1,115	\$1,240
Nurse, Affiliate, Social Worker	☐ \$ 730	☐ \$ 830	\$ 955
Fellow*	☐ \$ 310	☐ \$ 410	\$ 460
Resident/Med or RN Student*	☐ \$ 295	☐ \$ 395	\$ 445

*See page 24 for description.

Subtotal A \$

Preconference Workshops, Wednesday, March 14

See page 6 for session codes. Space is limited, so be sure to review your confirmation e-mail to confirm your registration for these sessions.

8 am-5 pm—Full Day

Hospice Medical Director Update and Exam Prep	P01	☐ \$ 395
VitalTalk: Intensive Small Group Training—Addressing Goals of Care	P02	☐ \$ 575

8 am-5:30 pm—Full Day

Palliative Nursing Leadership Intensive	P03	☐ \$ 395
ACHPN® Certification Review: Advanced Practice Registered Nurse	P04	☐ \$ 395

8-11:45 am—Morning

HPM Fellowship Directors Program: Managing the Good, the Bad, and the Ugly—Expert Strategies for the Assessment and Remediation of Palliative Care Fellows	P05	☐ \$ 95
AAHPM Leadership Forum: Ignite—Using StrengthsFinder Leadership Strategies to Increase the Performance of You and Your Team in Palliative Care and Hospice Settings	P06	☐ \$ 195
Providing Palliative Care to Patients and Families with Preexisting Mental Health and Substance Use Issues	P07	☐ \$ 195
ABCs of MOC and Board Exam Prep	P08	☐ \$ 195
Tsunami Preparedness: Developing Dementia Capable Palliative and Hospice Care Skills	P09	☐ \$ 195
Right Sizing Medication Regimens in Serious Illness: Doing the Prescribing and Deprescribing Dance	P10	☐ \$ 195
Building a Palliative Care Clinic: Lessons from Real Life	P11	☐ \$ 195
The Opioid Crisis and Palliative Care: Tools and Strategies to Help Turn the Tide	P12	☐ \$ 195

9 am-Noon—Morning

A Morning at the Museum: Using Art to Find Meaning and Enhance Teaching	P13	☐ \$ 195
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1:15-5 pm—Afternoon

Jump Starting Culture Change—Engaging Students, Trainees, and Clinicians in a Transdisciplinary Approach	P14	☐ \$ 95
AAHPM Leadership Forum: Ignite—Utilizing DISC Behavioral Styles to Increase Leadership and Team Effectiveness in Palliative Care and Hospice Settings	P15	☐ \$ 195
Managing Pain in the Face of Substance Misuse: Practical Approaches and Tools in the Palliative Care and Hospice Settings	P16	☐ \$ 195
Overcoming Barriers to Better Billing: Maximizing Revenue to Sustain and Grow Your Palliative Care Program	P17	☐ \$ 195
Caging the Beast: Wrestling with Difficult Pain Syndromes in Serious Illness	P18	☐ \$ 195
Navigating Your Specialty Palliative APRN Career	P19	☐ \$ 195
We Built It...They Came...Now How to Keep from Drowning? Pediatric Palliative Care Development 202: Skills in Your Toolbox for Growth and Stability	P20	☐ \$ 195
Oncologist in My Pocket: What the Hospice and Palliative Clinician Needs to Know About Hematology/Oncology	P21	☐ \$ 195

Subtotal C \$

1-Day Meeting Registration (for registrants attending 1 or 2 days of the meeting only)

Check which day(s) you will attend

☐ Thursday only (includes Opening Reception)

☐ Friday only

☐ Saturday only

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Nurse, Affiliate, Social Worker	☐ \$ 295	☐ \$ 395	\$ 495
Fellow*	☐ \$ 165	☐ \$ 265	\$ 365
Resident/Med or RN Student*	☐ \$ 135	☐ \$ 235	\$ 335

Nonmember

Physician	☐ \$ 495	☐ \$ 595	\$ 695
Nurse, Affiliate, Social Worker	☐ \$ 375	☐ \$ 475	\$ 575
Fellow*	☐ \$ 195	☐ \$ 295	\$ 395
Resident/Med or RN Student*	☐ \$ 165	☐ \$ 265	\$ 365

*See page 24 for description.

Number of days x rate = Subtotal B \$

Please complete your registration on the reverse side of this form.

Side 1 Subtotal (A or B + C) \$

Concurrent Session Selections, March 15–17**D**

As part of your conference registration, please enter the three-digit code for each concurrent or SIG session you plan to attend. For session codes, see pages 8–16.

Thursday	7–8 am T H 3	10:45–11:45 am T H 3	1:30–2:30 pm T H 3	3–4 pm T H 3	4:30–5:30 pm T H 3
Friday	7–8 am F R 4	10:45–11:45 am F R 4	1:30–2:30 pm F R 4	3–4 pm F R 4	4:30–5:30 pm F R 4
Saturday	7–8 am ☐ Cambia Leadership Lecture Breakfast	10:30–11:30 am S A 5	1:30–2:30 pm S A 5	2:45–3:45 pm S A 5	

Guest Pass**E**

Guest Name _____ GST ☐ \$ 75

See page 24 for description.

Subtotal E \$ _____

Special Needs**F**

SDV ☐ I will need a vegetarian meal.

OTH ☐ I have other needs. Please contact me.

DIS ☐ I do not wish to have my name and contact info included in the onsite attendee list.

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Contribution to the Access Fund (see box at above right)

Subtotal G \$ _____

HPNF Conference Scholarship Fund**H**

Contribution to the Hospice and Palliative Nurses Foundation (see box at above right)

Subtotal H \$ _____

Total**I**

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Don't miss out on the premier educational event of the year for physicians, nurses, and other healthcare providers who care for patients with serious or life-threatening conditions.

MAKE A CONTRIBUTION

The AAHPM Palliative Medicine Access Fund and Hospice and Palliative Nurses Foundation provide financial support to physicians and nurses, respectively, to defray the cost of attending the Annual Assembly. These funds help educate palliative care physicians and nurses so that one day every person can have access to properly trained palliative care providers.

Consider donating to the AAHPM Access Fund or Hospice and Palliative Nurses Foundation by entering an amount in box G or H and adding it to your assembly registration to support these scholarships.

3 EASY WAYS TO REGISTER**Online**

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Here are our top 5 reasons:

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2. Connect with fellow clinicians who experience similar issues in the workplace.
3. Reignite your passion and leave feeling inspired and rejuvenated.
4. Earn up to 25.75 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits* or 26.25 nursing contact hours.
5. Experience the east coast and true Boston history!

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