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The California Orthopaedic Association (COA) is accredited by the California Medical Association (CMA) to provide AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™ continuing medical education for physicians.

COA takes responsibility for the content, quality and scientific integrity of this CME activity. The California Orthopaedic Association designates this 2021 Annual Meeting for a maximum of 15 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s).

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California Orthopaedic Association Category I CME

This Certificate attests that:

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Attended COA's 2021 Annual Meeting Earning:

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A maximum of 6 hours may be claimed for Radiology Technology Continuing Medical Education hours and 4 hours for Fluoroscopy Continuing Medical Education by attending the Annual Meeting.

Sessions/ educational materials that included radiation safety and the application of x-ray fluoroscopy to the human body were:

Radiation Safety - Fluoroscopy
Ortho Biologics from Leaders in the Field
Problems of the Knee
Common Pitfalls— Total Joints
Rotator Cuff Tear Management
Spine Treatments—Pre intra and Post-op
Hand Treatments—Pre intra and Post-op
Trauma Cases—What Works

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