

California Orthopaedic Association

2014

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QME Course

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Meeting Schedule at a Glance

Thursday May 29, 2014

7:00 am—5:45 pm	Registration/Networking with Exhibitors
8:00 am—5:45 pm	QME Course / ICD-10 Implementation (Earn: 6 QME CME hours/ 2 Category I CME credits)
9:30 am— 5:45 pm	Orthopaedic Practice Managers/Coders (8 AAPC-approved CME credits)

Friday May 30, 2014

7:00 am—6:00 pm	Registration/Networking with Exhibitors
7:15 am—5:15 pm	Annual Meeting - Evolution/Change in Orthopaedic Practice (Earn: 7 Category I CME credits)
12:10 pm—1:40 pm	Luncheon Focused Networking/Discussion Groups
5:15 pm—6:00 pm	Business Meeting / Open Mike with COA Leaders
6:00 pm—7:30 pm	Presidential Reception —Featuring “Man Cave” Winery

Saturday May 31, 2014

7:00 am—12:00 pm	Registration/Networking with Exhibitors
7:30 am—12:00 pm	Annual Meeting Adult Reconstruction Sports Medicine Lower Extremity (Earn: 4 Category I CME credits - SAE and Radiology)
1:00 pm—5:00 pm	Resident Practice Management Forum
5:45 pm—10:00 pm	Gala Dinner— Caribbean Extravaganza

Sunday June 1, 2014

7:00 am—1:45 pm	Registration
7:30 am—1:45 pm	Annual Meeting Sports Medicine Upper Extremity Hand Surgery Trauma Earn: 6 Category I CME credits - SAE and Radiology)



CME Accreditation

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Accreditation Statement:

The California Orthopaedic Association is accredited by the Institute for Medical Quality/California Medical Association (IMQ/CMA) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The California Orthopaedic Association designates this live activity for a maximum of 19 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit (s)*[™]. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

This credit may also be applied to the CMA Certification in Continuing Medical Education. The California Orthopaedic Association takes responsibility for the content, quality, and scientific integrity of this CME activity.

10 of these credits qualify for CME in radiologic technology as required by California state law.

Category I CME and ABOS MOC Credits:

10 credits of the Category 1 CME credits will qualify for ABOS MOC scored and recorded Self Assessment Examination hours.

QME CME Credits:

The QME Course is accredited for 6 hours of Qualified Medical Evaluator (QME) CME credit hours. COA is provider #100.

CMEs and AMA PRA Category 1 credits for CEUs AAPC:

AAPC will honor 1-for-1 CEUs for any live event offering CME credit or AMA PRA Category 1 credit. A certificate of attendance or completion is necessary to show participation. The certificate will give the total CMEs possible for the offering. AAPC-certified members should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation. One hour of instruction is worth one CEU.

Target Audience

- This program has been designed for the general orthopaedic surgeon to instruct them in the latest research and technologies in: adult reconstruction, sports medicine, hand surgery, and trauma. The QME course will also update QME certified physicians on the latest Workers' Compensation disability evaluation issues for both QMEs/AMEs and treating physicians.

Educational Objectives

- Be able to implement the new advancements in adult reconstruction, sports medicine—upper and lower extremity, hand surgery, and trauma.
- Understand the best practice models through interactive networking sessions.
- Be able to evaluate new orthopaedic practice trends.
- Understand new legislations/regulations that affect orthopaedic practice and patient care.
- Understand Workers' Compensation Disability Evaluation Issues and how they affect injured workers.

How do I obtain my CME Hours?

QME hours and Category I CME hours

All Category 1 CME and QME CME Certificates will be posted on COA's website—www.coa.org for you to download and print. This is a direct link to the Certificates: <http://www.coa.org/docs/MasterFileCMECertificates.pdf>

Practice managers and orthopaedic coders will need to send their Category 1 CME Certificate to AAPC to obtain CME credit.

Please note, you should only report the hours that you were actually in attendance at the meeting.

Certificates of Completion for those applying for the ABOS MOC Scored and Recorded Category 1 CME hours, will be emailed directly to you once you have completed the Pre- and Post-Testing process.

If you have any questions regarding your QME or Category I hours, please call 916-454-9884 or email coa1@pacbell.net



Tools for Orthopaedic Practice Managers & Coders

[Update on the Transition of the Official Medical Fee Schedule \(OMFS\)—
Physician Services -RBRVS](#)

Sue Honor-Vangerov, Esq.

Panel / Q & A— Case Discussion [Handout](#)

[Practical Advice as to how to:](#)

Successfully navigate Utilization Review Complete the Request for
Authorization (RFA) Navigate Independent Medical
Review (IMR) File Independent Bill Review (IBR) appeals

Sarah Moray —DaisyBill [Handout](#) [Handout 2](#)

[Medical-Legal Billing and Coding Tips](#)

Sue Honor-Vangerov, Esq.

[Fighting Back to Save Your Claim](#)

Arthur Lurvey, M.D. Medical Director, Noridian

Networking Sessions

1. Marketing your Practice: What Works and What
Doesn't Work—**Nabil Razzouk, Ph.D.**
2. Benchmarks for Productivity/Managing Overhead
Lorie Byers
3. Maximizing your Workers' Comp Billing -**Joan McComb**
4. Medicare Issues—What's on your Mind?
Arthur Lurvey, M.D.

[ICD-10 Implementation With Orthopaedic Coding Examples](#)

Karen Zupko—Zupko & Associates

QME Course—Thursday May 29

8:05 am	A Walk-Through the IBR/IMR process - How to be Successful In your Requests for Authorization of Services (IMR) and Reimbursement Appeals (IBR)	Sarah Moray DaisyBill
8:35 am	How to use the DWC Medical Treatment Utilization Schedule (MTUS) and Other Guidelines to Improve Care and Get Approval For Medically Necessary Services for Injured Workers	Ken Eichler (ODG) Work Loss Data Institute
9:30 am	Lessening the Pain from Injections Using an Inexpensive Device	George Balfour, M.D.
9:45 am	The Latest in Pain Management Narcotic Induced Hyperalgesia New Safety Measures for Extended-Release and Long-Acting Opioid Medications FDA Perspective on Treating Musculoskeletal Pain with Long-Term Opioids	Lee Snook M.D., Metropolitan Pain Management Center
11:00 am	DWC Priorities for 2014 Transition of the OMFS—Physician Services to Medicare RBRVS Progress Report—Are the Independent Bill Review (IBR) and the Independent Medical Review (IMR) Programs Working?	Rupali Das, M.D., MPH, Medical Director, DWC
12:45 pm	Top 10 Tips for QMEs Post SB 863	Judge Colleen Casey, WCAB
1:30 pm	Sorting Out Difficult Apportionment Questions: An Interactive Session with Case Presentations	Moderator: Peter Mandell, M.D. Judge Colleen Casey, WCAB Adam Dombchik, JD Richard (Jake) Jacobsmeyer, JD
3:45 pm	ICD-10 Implementation Are you Ready Now? You Should Be—It's Less than Six Months Away Selecting the Right ICD-10 Codes—Tools to Help you Make the Right Choice A Walk Through ICD-10 with Common Orthopaedic Clinical Examples	Karen Zupko, KarenZupko & Associates

Annual Meeting—Friday May 30

	How to Excel in Private Practice	Moderator: Tom Grogan, M.D.
7:20 am	External and Internal Strategies Presentation 2	Karen Zupko, KarenZupko & Associates Michael McCaslin, Somerset CPAs
9:45 am	Transparency in Public Reporting of Physician Data Understanding and How to Improve your On-Line Rating	Moderator: Glenn Pfeffer, M.D. Evan Marks, AVP Healthgrades Bill Kleinfelter, Senior VP Healthgrades
10:25 am	Effectively Using Health Applications Handout	Orrin Franko, M.D.
10:55 am	Progress Report—Covered California Handout Handout 2	Jeff Rideout, M.D., Medical Advisor, Covered California
11:20 am	Provider Risk and Opportunities Under the Health Exchange Strategic Advice and Out-of-Network Coverage	Katrina Pagonis, Esq., Hooper, Lundy & Bookman
	Legislative Update: State & Federal Issues	Moderator: Leslie Kim, M.D.
1:50 pm	State Legislative Report MICRA —How you can Help Defeat the Threat	Tim Shannon, COA Lobbyist
2:10 pm	Federal Legislative Update	Elizabeth McNeil, CMA Lobbyist
2:30 pm	One-on-One with Noridian Leadership	Bernice Hecker, M.D., Medical Director, Noridian Arthur Lurvey, M.D., Medicare Contractor, Medical Director, Noridian
	Presidential Keynote Speakers	Tom Grogan, M.D., Co-Chair
3:00 pm	Opening Remarks	Leslie Kim, M.D., President
3:05 pm	Innovations in Medicine Powered by New Technology, Tools, Tests and Apps Daniel Kraft, M.D.. Founder, Executive Director, Exponential Medicine (formerly FutureMed)	
3:45 pm	Insider’s View of How to Make Political Changes at the Federal Level	Stuart Weinstein, M.D.
	Trends in Physician Employment	Moderator: Tom Grogan, M.D.
4:30 pm	Spectrum of Physician Employment -Real Data & Trends	Craig Butler, M.D., MBA, CEO Aria Health
4:50 pm	Physician Employment: Why? or Why Not?	Mel Boynton, M.D. Vermont Orthopaedic Clinic
	Business Meeting/Open Mike with COA Leaders	Leslie Kim, M.D.
	California Joint Replacement Registry	James Huddleston, M.D.

Annual Meeting—Saturday May 31

	What's New in Adult Reconstruction?	Moderator: James Huddleston, M.D.
7:30 am	Best article I read this year and practical application	James Huddleston, M.D., Stanford
7:40 am	Osteonecrosis of the Hip: Clinical Update 2014	Jay R. Lieberman, M.D., USC
7:55 am	Review of Specialty Day	Nicholas Giori, M.D., PhD., Stanford
8:15 am	Update on Periprosthetic Joint Infection	Erik Hansen, M.D. UCSF
8:30 am	Pearls for Total Knee Arthroplasty	Daniel Oakes, M.D., USC
8:45 am	Kinematic Alignment for Total Knee Replacement: Principles, Technique, and Early Results	Stefano Bini, M.D., Permanente Medical Group

	Resident Awards	
9 15 am	Lloyd W. Taylor, MD Resident Award Diagnostic Accuracy of Contrast and Noncontrast Magnetic Resonance Imaging in Superior Labrum Anterior- Posterior Tears in an Academic Setting	Kent P. Sheridan, M.D., UCD
9:25 am	Orthopaedic Hospital Resident Award Comparison of a Novel Oxysterol Molecule and rhBMP2 Fusion Rates in a Rabbit Posterolateral Lumbar Spine Model	Trevor Scott, M.D., UCLA
9: 35 am	J. Harold LaBriola, M.D. Resident Award An in vivo Assessment of the Bacterial Susceptibility of Porous Tantalum	Alexandra Stavarakis, M.D., UCLA
9:45 am	OREF Presentation	Ramon Jimenez, M.D., Chair OREF
9:55 am	OREF Resident Award Open Access and Online Journals in Orthopaedics: What Does The Future Hold?	Orrin Franko, M.D., UCSD

	What's New in Sports Medicine Lower Extremity	Moderator: Eric Giza, M.D. UCD
10:30 am	Review of the American Orthopaedic Foot & Ankle Sports Medicine Symposium (Oct. 2013)	Eric Giza, M.D., UC Davis
10:35 am	Beyond the Brace: Simple Ankle Sprains to Severe Instability	Eric Giza, M.D., UC Davis
10:50 am	The Best Sports Foot & Ankle Paper I Read This year	Thomas Harris, M.D. Harbor UCLA
10:55 am	LisFranc Injuries: Will The Athlete Ever Recover?	Thomas Harris, M.D. Harbor UCLA
11:10 am	Nagging Injuries In The Athlete: Tibial, 5th Metatarsal and Navicular Stress Fractures	Ken Hunt, M.D. , Stanford
11:25 am	Talus OLT In The Athlete: Operative Treatment and Management of Return To Play Expectations	Richard Ferkel, M.D. Southern California Orthopaedic Institute
11:40 am	Knee OCD The Athlete: Operative Treatment and Management Of Return To Play Expectations	Bert Mandelbaum, M.D., DHL, Santa Monica Ortho & Sports Medicine

Annual Meeting—Sunday June 1

What's New in Sports Medicine Upper Extremity?

Moderator: Emilie Cheung, M.D. Stanford

- 7:30 am [Arthroscopic Rotator Cuff Repair Techniques: What Should We Really Be Doing?](#) Ben Ma, M.D., UCSF
- 7:42 am [Stemless Shoulder Arthroplasty](#) John Costouros, M.D., Stanford
- 7:54 am [Shoulder Instability: How To Get The Best Results](#) Sara Edwards, M.D.
Sports Orthopedic & Rehabilitation Medicine Associates
- 8:06 am [Anatomic Shoulder Replacement: Complications, Old and New](#) Mark Schruppf, M.D.
San Francisco Shoulder, Elbow, and Hand Clinic
- 8:18 am [Reverse Shoulder Replacement: Complications, New Frontier](#) Emilie Cheung, M.D. Stanford
- 8:30 am ["The Top 5" Best Papers I Read This Year on Shoulder Surgery](#) James Kelly, M.D.
San Francisco Shoulder, Elbow, and Hand Clinic
- 8:42 am ["The Top 5" Best Papers I Read This Year on Elbow and Upper Extremity Surgery](#) Geoff Abrams, M.D.
Veterans Administration Palo Alto
- 8:54 am [Iatrogenic Nerve Injury In The Upper Extremity: What You Should Know](#) Ranjan Gupta, M.D., UC Irvine
- 9:06 am [Some Of My Most Interesting Cases \(Shoulder/Upper Extremity\) and What I Have Learned From Them](#) Richard Ryu, M.D.
The Ryu Hurvitz Orthopedic Clinic

What's New in Hand Surgery?

Moderator: Neil Harness, M.D., KP/UCI

- 9:45 am [Best article I read this year & practical application](#) Danny Wongworawat, M.D., Loma Linda
- 9:57 am [Scaphoid Nonunion](#) Brett Peterson, M.D., KP/UC Irvine
- 10:09 am [Distal Radius Fractures](#) Gregory Rafijah, M.D., UC Irvine
- 10:21 am [Wrist Fracture Dislocations](#) Ali Ghiassi, M.D., USC
- 10:33 am [Dupuytren's Update](#) Raymond Raven, M.D., Orthopaedic Surgery Specialists
- 10:52 am [Thumb Carpometacarpal \(CMS\) Arthritis Update](#) Amy Ladd, M.D., Stanford
- 11:04 am [Nerve Injury Transfer](#) Ranjan Gupta, M.D., UC Irvine
- 11:19 am [Endoscopic Cubital Tunnel](#) Neil Harness, M.D., KP/UC Irvine

What's New in Trauma?

Moderator: David Lowenberg, M.D.

- 12:00 pm [Best article I read this year & practical application](#) David Lowenberg, M.D., Stanford
- 12:15 pm [Review of OTA Specialty Day](#) Julius Bishop, M.D., Stanford
- 12:30 pm [Initial Treatment of Pelvic Fractures](#) Michael Bellino, M.D., Stanford
- 12:45 pm [Improving Outcomes in Intertrochanteric Fractures](#) Robert T. McClellan, M.D., UCSF
- 1:00 pm [Why I Only Use the Dynamic Hip Screw Device](#) Mark Lee, M.D., UCD
- 1:15 pm [Challenges of Proximal Humerus Fractures](#) Alexandra Schwartz, M.D., UCSD

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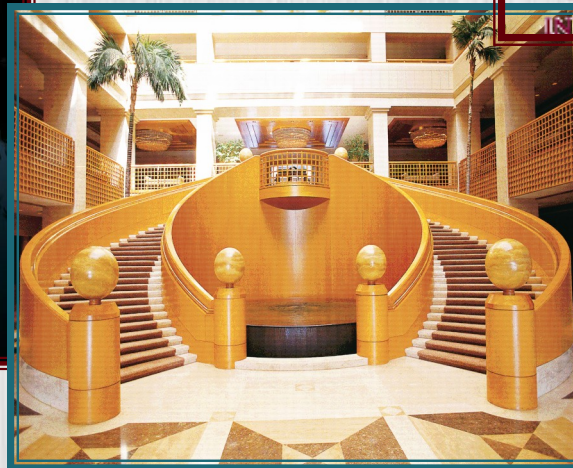
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April 23-26, 2015

Esmeralda Resort & Spa, Indian Wells, CA



The COA meeting will be held the same weekend as the Stagecoach Festival. We are anticipating that some of you may want to attend, so no meeting sessions will be planned Saturday afternoon. Transportation arranged by the Festival organizers stops at the Esmeralda.

Tickets to the Festival should be available in June or July, 2014. The event will sell out, so if you want to attend, please purchase your tickets as soon as they are available.

