

CME Committee Meeting Summary March 31st 6:30pm via Zoom

Quick recap

The CME committee met to review and confirm speakers and topics for an upcoming conference. They discussed the status of various presentations including ADHD and Schedule IIs, dermatology, food medicine, drug updates, pediatric surgical emergencies, pediatric obesity, legislative updates, and several other medical topics. The committee addressed challenges in finding speakers for specific topics like cardiovascular risk, lung cancer, and cirrhosis, and discussed potential backup speakers and alternative topics. They also explored the possibility of creating a student track for the conference on Friday morning, with Lee suggesting a poster presentation format with Lee and Saura offering to gather input from clinical program directors. The conversation ended with scheduling the next **committee meeting for Monday, May 4th at 6 PM, just before the board meeting.**

Audrey Poole will follow up with finding speakers for:

- Pediatric Cardiology
- CHF
- Sex Trafficking (This is to replace the Sched II Pharma topic as Dr. O’Neal will cover that in her Drug Update Lecture.)
- A topic and speaker to replace “Intergrading Consumer Health Tech”. Will send options to committee for approval.
- A back up speaker for “COPD, Sleep Apnea” if Jeanine’s speaker does not go through.
- Back Up speakers and topics to replace Dr. Agrawal’s two cardiology lectures if he falls through. Will send options to committee for approval.

Christy Niehues will follow up with finding speakers for:

- Confirm Burna’s lecture on Remote Alaska and Locums, also ask her to be a back up speaker for conference and what topic she would have ready if needed.

Lee Luetkemeyer will follow up with finding speakers for:

- Checking with Dr. Agrawal one more time to confirm his two cardiology lectures.
- Finding a speaker for the weight loss topic (replacing Alpha Gal as we could not find anyone).
- Looking into finding a speaker for the topic “Gastroenterology: Cirrhosis: A review for Primacy Care Providers”.

We discussed doing a student track on Friday morning. This would be a lecture on the importance of the OAPA, practice related issues pertaining to new grads, etc. We will reach out to Don Guthrie to give that lecture, if needed. This student track would go alongside poster presentations for students. These would be set up in the foyer and the OAPA can give a prize to the top three.

Saura and Lee will reach out to the programs to see if there is interest in that.

Audrey will reach out to the hotel regarding room capacity for the student track.

The wound care workshop was removed. Jason Morgan is no longer with Medwise and will not be doing the work shop. The committee decided there was not a need to replace it.

PAEA reached out to the OAPA letting us know they have a recorded lecture on the Student Repayment program and the BBB. We will provide this lecture (not CME) on the On-Demand Library.

If any approve speakers and topics fall through, there will be an email that will go out with alternatives for the committee to decide on.

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