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Conference Chair

Jan N. Basile, MD, FACP

Dr. Basile received his undergraduate degree at Johns Hopkins University and MD from Medical College of Virginia in Richmond. He served his internship and residency at Medical University of South Carolina, where he was also chief resident. Dr. Basile is double-boarded in medicine and geriatrics. Dr. Basile's primary interests are hypertension and vascular disease with research including outcome-based studies involving hypertension, lipid disorders, kidney disease and diabetes. He has participated in several large trials evaluating the effect of pharmacologic therapy on improving outcome. These include the Antihypertensive and Lipid Lowering Treatment to Prevent Heart Attack Trial (ALLHAT) as well as the

Action to Control Cardiovascular Risk in Diabetes (ACCORD) Trial (2000-2008), both under the auspices of The National Heart Lung Blood Institute. Currently, Dr. Basile is Professor of Medicine, Seinsheimer Cardiovascular Health Program, Division of General Internal Medicine/Geriatrics at the Medical University of South Carolina in Charleston.

Faculty



Clarence W. Legerton III, MD

Dr. Clarence "Chip" Legerton attended Davidson College and received his MD at Vanderbilt University, where he was awarded the Clinical Science and Physical Diagnosis Award and inducted into the

Alpha Omega Alpha National Honor Medical Society. He served an internship and fellowship in Rheumatology at Vanderbilt University Medical Center, where he was chief resident of medicine. He has been named in The Best Doctors in America list by region and nationally. He has received over \$400,000 in extramural grants and awards for 8 different clinical trials. On the University level, Dr. Legerton, has been Assistant Professor of Medicine at MUSC twice and the Vice President and President of the Medical Staff of the MUSC Hospital. He has published in *Patient Care*, *Manual of Family Practice*, *The Journal of the South Carolina Medical Association*, and other sources. Dr. Legerton is Board Certified in rheumatology, internal medicine, and clinical densitometry. Currently, Dr. Legerton is in private practice with Low Country Rheumatology in North Charleston.



Lawrence M. Wyner, MD

Dr. Wyner received his undergraduate degree at Princeton University and his MD at University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He interned and served residency at University of Pittsburgh Medical Center

and completed a fellowship in Renovascular Surgery and Transplantation at the Cleveland Clinic. He is board certified by the American Board of Urology and is a Diplomate of National Board of Medical Examiners. Dr. Wyner has given presentations for a number of urological associations and is published in journals including *Journal of Urology* and *Urology*. Currently, Dr. Wyner is Associate Professor, Division of Urology, Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine at Marshall University and on staff at CHH Medical and Dental Staff and University Urological Associates in Huntington, West Virginia.



Charlie Strange, MD

Dr. Strange received his undergraduate degree at Davidson College and his MD at Medical College of Virginia. He completed a fellowship in Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine at the Medical University

of South Carolina. He is board certified by the American Board of Internal Medicine and Subspecialty Board in Pulmonary Medicine for which he is Grandfathered for life in both boards. He is also board certified in the subspecialty of Critical Care Medicine. Dr. Strange has been listed in Best Doctors in America from 2003-2010. Dr. Strange serves on the Editorial Boards of *Case Reports in Medicine*, *Cases Journal*, and *Pulmonary Medicine*. He is a Consultant to the Editorial Board of numerous publications including *American Journal of Respiratory and Critical Care Medicine* and *Chest* and has published extensively. Currently, Dr. Strange is Professor of Pulmonary, Critical Care, Allergy and Sleep Medicine at the Medical University of South Carolina as well as serving as Graduate Faculty for Graduate Studies. Dr. Strange's major research interests include Alpha-1-Antitrypsin Deficiency/Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease, Scleroderma and Interstitial Lung Disease, and Pulmonary Hypertension.

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Meeting Schedule

Friday, December 17, 2010

6:30 am	Registration and Continental Breakfast
7:30	Hypertension 2010: What We Have Learned Since JNC 7 - <i>Dr. Basile</i>
8:30	Your PSA: What It Can Tell You and When You Should Refer - <i>Dr. Wyner</i>
9:30	Break
9:45	COPD: How to Treat, When to Refer - <i>Dr. Strange</i>
10:45	Interpreting Lab Results in Rheumatology: What Do I Do Now? - <i>Dr. Legerton</i>
11:45	Break
12:00	Pulmonary Hypertension-Focus on Evaluation and Treatment - <i>Dr. Strange</i>
1:00	Premature Ejaculation/Impotence-When to Workup/How to Treat - <i>Dr. Wyner</i>
2:00	Adjourn

Saturday, December 18, 2010

7:00 am	Continental Breakfast
7:30	Gout: Keep it Simple - <i>Dr. Legerton</i>
8:30	Lipids Made Easy: What the Evidence Suggests in 2010 - <i>Dr. Basile</i>
9:30	Break
9:45	Rheumatoid Arthritis: An Update - <i>Dr. Legerton</i>
10:45	Occupational Urology: Jobs Which Predispose to Urologic Disease - <i>Dr. Wyner</i>
11:45	Interstitial Lung Disease-An Update - <i>Dr. Strange</i>
12:45	Adjourn

Sunday, December 19, 2010

7:00 am	Continental Breakfast
7:30	Cases in Rheumatology - <i>Dr. Legerton</i>
8:15	Cases in Pulmonary Disease - <i>Dr. Strange</i>
9:00	Break
9:15	Cases in Urologic Disease - <i>Dr. Wyner</i>
10:00	Cases in Cardiovascular Disease - <i>Dr. Basile</i>
10:45	Adjourn

Learning Gap

With continuous development of new clinical evidence and revisions of existing guidelines, today's physician needs guidance in order to critically evaluate and apply appropriate standards of care. Recent controversies have surfaced involving the best practices in hypertension, hyperlipidemia, cancer screening, COPD, evaluation and treatment of rheumatologic disease and impotence. This year's Medical Dilemmas in Patient Care conference is designed to provide intervention to bridge the gaps in knowledge and develop competence in the learner's professional practice in the focused areas of cardiovascular, urologic, rheumatologic, and pulmonary disease.

Target Audience

This activity is designed for healthcare professionals including physicians, physician assistants, and nurse practitioners specializing in Internal Medicine, Family or General Practice, Women's Health, Geriatric Medicine, Emergency Medicine, Rehab/Physical Medicine, Orthopaedics, and Preventive Medicine. Other healthcare professionals practicing in a primary care environment or needing additional information for primary treatment in a specialty environment may find this activity beneficial to their patient's outcomes.

Objectives

At the completion of this activity, participants should be better prepared to:

- Apply the evidence for outcomes trials in hypertension refining the appropriate goals and treatment for different populations with hypertension
- Discuss the controversy concerning PSA screening for prostate cancer and when the patient should be referred to a urologist.
- Recognize newer tests for rheumatologic disease and how to apply them in clinical care,
- Apply the latest evidence for evaluation and treatment of the patient with COPD.
- Evaluate the latest knowledge on hyperlipidemia and how to best treat LDL-C elevation and non HDL-C elevation.
- Apply case presentations to clinical practice in cardiovascular, urologic, rheumatologic and pulmonary disease

Conference Syllabus/Handouts

As part of the growing commitment to conserve natural resources, no printed syllabus with slide sets or faculty handouts will be provided onsite at this conference. Registrants will be given instructions prior to the conference to download the handouts electronically for a paper copy if desired. In addition, a flash drive of the handouts will be provided to each registrant onsite.

Community Network

The Conference Community of Interest provides a platform to share ideas, voice opinions, and advocate for issues. So join in, take the lead, and help influence the future of healthcare. Prior to the conference you will be provided with a password to access conference materials, post your thoughts and develop your own conference network.

Contact Information

Conference sponsored by Southern Medical Association, an exemplary ACCME accredited provider. For questions call 800-423-4992 or 205-945-1840 ext. 620 or go online to: www.sma.org. Call to request assistance for special needs. Most requests received at least two weeks prior to the conference can be accommodated.



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