



*Providing Synergy for the Solutions of Tomorrow
in Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medicine*

**CMDA - The Colorado Society for Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medicine and
Colorado Health Care Association/ Colorado Center for Assisted Living
Present**

The 25th Annual Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Conference

PLEASE SHARE WITH YOUR STAFF and MEDICAL DIRECTORS

To: Medical Directors, Nursing Home Administrators, Directors of Nursing, and LTC Professionals
From: Leslie Eber, MD CMD, CMDA President and Conference Co-Chair
Ann Kokish, Director of Quality and Regulatory Affairs, CHCA, and Conference Co-Chair
Re: CMDA CHCA/CCAL Annual Conference, **April 26, 2019**

Dear Colleagues:

You are invited to attend the 25th Annual Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Conference sponsored jointly by AMDA and CMDA - The Colorado Society for Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medicine. CMDA is partnering with Colorado Health Care Association/ Colorado Center for Assisted Living (CHCA/CCAL) to present this conference.

The theme is ***Providing Synergy for the Solutions of Tomorrow in Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medicine***. It will be held on **Friday, April 26, 2019, from 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Sheraton Denver West Hotel, 360 Union Blvd., Lakewood, CO.** (Same location as last year.)

Register by *April 19, 2019* to receive the **discounted rate of \$95 per attendee**. Register 3 or more attendees from one organization for further discounts per the schedule below. Starting *April 20*, the registration rate will be **\$120 per attendee**.

Online registration is required on the CMDA website, CMDA.us, using the 2019 Annual CMDA Conference tab. Payments are being accepted online. Cancelled registrations will be refunded, *subject to a \$10 fee*. No refunds will be granted after April 22. If you have any questions, please email Holly Bodine at Holly.BodineCMDA@gmail.com.

CMDA Conference Discount Scale

1-2 attendees	\$95.00 each
3-5 attendees	\$90.00 each
6-10 attendees	\$85.00 each
11-15 attendees	\$80.00 each
16-25 attendees	\$65.00 each
26-50 attendees	\$55.00 each
51+ attendees	\$35.00 each

AGENDA

- 8:00 a.m. **Welcome and Overview:** Leslie Eber, MD CMD, CMDA President
- 8:10 a.m. **A Tribute to Dr. David Koets:** Greg Gahm MD
- 8:20 a.m. **CHCA Update:** Doug Farmer, President and CEO
- 8:30 a.m. **State of the State: CDPHE:** Randy Kuykendall, Director, Health Facilities and
Emergency Medical Services Division
- 8:45 a.m. **Telligen Update:** Christine LaRocca, MD
- 9:00 a.m. **Ombudsman Update:** Anne Meier, State Ombudsman
- 9:10 a.m. **AMDA Update:** Cari Levy, MD PhD CMD, AMDA Past President
- 9:30 a.m. **Keynote Speaker:** Paul Katz MD CMD
**Physician Practice in the Nursing Home: Measuring Performance and Assuring Quality of
Cares**
- 10:10 a.m. **Break/Vendors**
- 10:40 a.m. **Moving Beyond Burnout to Professional Engagement:** Martina Schulte MD
- 11:10 a.m. **The CMDAucky Derby, The Fastest 20 Minutes in Medicine:** Greg Gahm. MD
- 11:30 a.m. **Boundaries = Compassion: Understanding Personality Disorders:** Lea Watson, MD MPH
- 12:00 p.m. **Utility of the Medicare Wellness Visit in the Nursing Home:** John Morley, MD CMD
- 12:30 p.m. **Break and Lunch Pick-Up / Vendors**
- 12:40 p.m. **Pharmacy Speed Dating:** Lynn McPherson PharmD, MA, BCPS, CPE
- 1:10 p.m. **CHF Management in SNF/LTC- The SNF Connect Study results:** Rebecca Boxer, MD MS
- 1:30 p.m. **How and When (Not) to Determine Capacity:** Lea Watson, MD MPH
- 2:00 p.m. **Common Pharmacomistakes in Advanced Illness:** Lynn McPherson PharmD, MA, BCPS, CPE
- 2:30 p.m. **Break and Vendors**
- 2:50 p.m. **Phase 3 of the Nursing Home Final Rule: Let's Go!** Christine LaRocca, MD
- 3:20 p.m. **Defusing Dyspnea in the Post-Acute Setting:** Amanda Stephens, MD
- 3:50 p.m. **Pain Management- A Multidisciplinary Approach - Panel:** Travis Neill PA, Panel Chair
- 4:40 p.m. **Best Pearls for Clinical Practice from Today:** Allison Villegas, PA and Leslie Eber MD CMD
- 4:50 p.m. **Awards / Vendor Recognition**

It is important for your facility to be represented at this meeting. Our target attendance for this conference includes your facility Medical Director, providers, social workers, clinical pharmacists, Administrator, and Director of Nursing.

This live activity is approved for a maximum of 7.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™.

Please contact Holly Bodine at Holly.BodineCMDA@gmail.com or 303-501-0437 with questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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