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What are you doing next week?
Are you attending the AAHPM Annual Assembly in Orlando, FL?

We are! So come see us at booth 322 and receive the highly coveted Opioid Conversion Card, based on Dr. McPherson's book!

Come one, come all...come get your autographed copy!

Dr. McPherson will be signing the latest edition of her new book titled “Demystifying Opioid Conversion Calculations, 2nd Edition” on Wednesday, March 13, 2019 during the Assembly Opening Reception from 6:00-6:30 p.m. EST!

Come see what our faculty and students are speaking about...

March 13, 2019
Deprescribing by the Specialists: Best Practices in Drug Therapy in Serious Illness (P05)
Mary Lynn McPherson, PharmD MA MDE BCPS CPE, University of Maryland School of Pharmacy
Kathryn A. Walker, PharmD BCPS CPE, Medstar Health, University of Maryland School of Pharmacy
Vincent Jay Vanston, MD FAAHPM, University of Pennsylvania Health System
Jean S. Kutner, MD MSPH, University of Colorado School of Medicine
Eric Prommer, MD HMDC FAAHPM, UCLA School of Medicine
Jessica McFarlin, MD, University of Kentucky College of Medicine

Palliative Nursing Leadership Essentials (P10)
Constance Dahlin, MSN ANP-BC ACHPN FPCN FAAN, Hospice and Palliative Nurses Association
Patrick Coyne, MSN ACNS-BC ACHPN FPCN FAAN, Medical University of South Carolina

March 14, 2019

Palliative APRN Fellowship Guidelines—A Strategy for Quality Specialty Practice: Report of the HPNA APRN Fellowship Council (TH300)
Constance Dahlin, MSN ANP-BC ACHPN FPCN FAAN, Hospice and Palliative Nurses Association
Dorothy Wholihan, DNP AGPCNP-BC ACHPN FPCN, NYU, College of Nursing
Marianne Johnstone-Petty, MSN FNP-C ACHPN, Providence Medical Group, AK

Interdisciplinary Team Training at the Art Museum: Breaking Down Hierarchy and Building Resilience (TH314)
Ali John Zarrabi, MD, Emory University School of Medicine
Gordon J. Wood, MD MSCI FAAHPM, Northwestern University, Feinberg School of Medicine
Paul L. DeSandre, DO, Grady Hospital/Emory University School of Medicine
Barbara Reville, DNP NP ACHPN, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute
Jane deLima Thomas, MD FAAHPM, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute
Laura J. Morrison, MD FAAHPM, Yale University School of Medicine
Marsha Joselow, MSW LCSW, Boston Children’s Hospital
Bryan A. Brooks, BA, High Museum of Art, Atlanta

Walking the Tightrope: Palliative Care and Organ
Donation (TH333)
Paul DeSandre, DO, Grady Hospital/Emory University School of Medicine
Joanne Kuntz, MD FACEP FAAHPM, Emory University School of Medicine
Leslie Hunter-Johnson, APRN, Sunrise Hospital and Medical Center
Jason Lesandrini, MA, PhD(c), WellStar Health System
Myrick Shinall, MD PhD MDiv, Vanderbilt University Medical Center

Clinical Practice Guidelines for Quality Palliative Care: The 4th Edition of the NCP Guidelines (TH360)
Gwynn Sullivan, MSN, National Coalition for Hospice and Palliative Care
Betty R. Ferrell, MA CHPN FAAN FPCN, City of Hope
Martha L. Twaddle, MD FACP FAAHPM HMDC, Northwestern Medicine

Opportunities and Implications of Payment Reform for Serious Illness Care (TH362)
Julie Driessen, PhD, University of Pittsburgh
Turner West, MPH, Bluegrass Care Navigators
Phillip E. Rodgers, MD FAAHPM, University of Michigan

The Untold Story of the Opioid Crisis: An Interdisciplinary Approach to Patients with Life-Limiting Complications of Opioid Addiction (TH365)
Britni Lookabaugh, MD, OhioHealth
Jessica Geiger-Hayes, PharmD, OhioHealth
Jill Yahner, MED LSW, OhioHealth
Rabbi Wendy H. Ungar, OhioHealth
Alan Murphy, PhD, OhioHealth

March 15, 2019

Speed Dating with the Pharmacy Ladies Pharmacotherapy SIG P
Mary Lynn McPherson, PharmD MA MDE BCPS CPE, University of Maryland School of Pharmacy
Kathryn A. Walker, PharmD BCPS CPE, Medstar Health, University of Maryland School of Pharmacy

Oral Case Presentation - 3:15 - 3:30 p.m. (FR462B)
Tara Coles, MD, FACEP, Palliative Care Fellow, MedStar Washington Hospital
**Pediatric Concurrent Care: Where Are We Today?**  
(FR408) \*P\*

Pediatric SIG endorsed

**Khaliah Johnson,** MD HMDC, *Children's Healthcare of Atlanta*

**Nancy Hutton,** MD FAAP FAAHPM, *Johns Hopkins Hospital Children's Center*

**Kimberly A. Bower,** MD DC HMDC FAAHPM, *Rady Children’s Hospital San Diego*

**Mary Tiso,** RN, *Gilchrist Hospice*

**Judi Lund Person,** MPH CHC, *National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization*

**Innovative Applications of ELNEC Curriculum: 18 Years Equipping Nurses to Deliver Palliative Care in Diverse Care Settings** (FR413)

**Jennifer Seaman,** PhD RN, *University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing*

**Susan DeSanto-Madeya,** PhD MSN RN APRN, *Boston College School of Nursing*

**Laura Fennimore,** DNP RN, *University of Pittsburgh*

**Constance Dahlin,** ACHPN ANP FAAN FPCN, *Hospice and Palliative Nurses Association*

**Inviting Ourselves to the Party: Cystic Fibrosis as a Model for Implementing Palliative Care Practice, Research, and Policy in ‘New Diseases’** (FR439) \*R\*

Research SIG endorsed

**Dio Kavalieratos,** PhD, *University of Pittsburgh*

**Laura Tycon,** CRNP, *University of Pittsburgh Medical Center*

**Elaine Chen,** MD, *Rush University*

**Elisabeth P. Dellon,** MD MPH, *University of North Carolina Chapel Hill*

**Bridging Troubled Waters: The Palliative Care Doula Model** (FR470)

**Judy Lentz,** MSN RN

**Thomas J. Smith,** MD FAAHPM, *Johns Hopkins University*

**Patrick Coyne,** MSN ACNS-BC ACHPN FPCN FAAN, *Medical University of South Carolina*

**Barbara A. Head,** PhD CHPN FPCN, *University of Louisville School of Medicine*
Straddling Fee-for-Service and Value-Based Payment: Eight Ways to Keep Your Palliative Care Program Funded and Growing (FR473)
Tom Gualtieri-Reed, MBA BA, Spragens & Associates LLC
Donna Stevens, MHA, Lehigh Valley Health Network

Calculating Conversations About Opioid Conversions: Not Your Mama’s Equianalgesic Chart! (FR475)
Mary Lynn McPherson, PharmD CPE BCPS, University of Maryland School of Pharmacy
Mellar P. Davis, MD FCCP FAAHPM, Geisinger Medical Center

March 16, 2019

New Drugs and Drug News: The 411 and Implications for Palliative Care (SA505)
Mary Lynn McPherson, PharmD MA MDE BCPS CPE, University of Maryland School of Pharmacy

Specialty Palliative APRN Practice Through State-of-the-Art Graduate Education: Report of the HPNA Graduate Faculty Council (SA509)
Mary Ersek, PhD RN FPCN, University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing
Dorothy Wholihan, DNP AGPCNP-BC ACHPN FPCN, NYU College of Nursing
Clareen Wiencek, PhD ACNP-BC, University of Virginia School of Nursing
Constance Dahlin, MSN ANP-BC ACHPN FPCN FAAN, Hospice and Palliative Nurses Association

Speed Dating for Kids 2.0 (SA522) P
Emma Jones, MD, Pediatric Advanced Care Team
Mary Lynn McPherson, PharmD MA MDE BCPS CPE, University of Maryland School of Pharmacy
Jill Morgan, PharmD, University of Maryland School of Pharmacy