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Register Now for Chicago!

Scott Cyrus, DO, Director of CME for the ACOP, and his committee have put together an outstanding program for the 2005 Spring Conference, April 15-17, in Chicago, surpassing even the Fall meeting in San Francisco.

One of the featured guest speakers is Robert P. Schwartz, MD, Professor and Chief of Pediatric Endocrinology at Wake Forest University School of Medicine. His lecture on "Obesity in Children and Adolescents" will provide an understanding of the societal causes of the obesity epidemic and approaches to the management of childhood and adolescent obesity. Dr. Schwartz will give a second lecture that will help members understand the basic principles of motivational interviewing (MI) to help families find the motivation to adopt a healthier lifestyle.

Another guest speaker is Cynthia Jane Mears, MD, who will give two lectures. She received the 2004 AAP Albert Pisani Pediatrician of the Year Award from the AAP Illinois Chapter. This award is given to the pediatrician who exemplifies the ideals of the profession through clinical work, teaching and mentoring, and child advocacy in the community. Dr. Mears is a member of the AAP Committee on School Health and has received three AAP Community Access to Child Health (CATCH) grants.

About the Hotel...

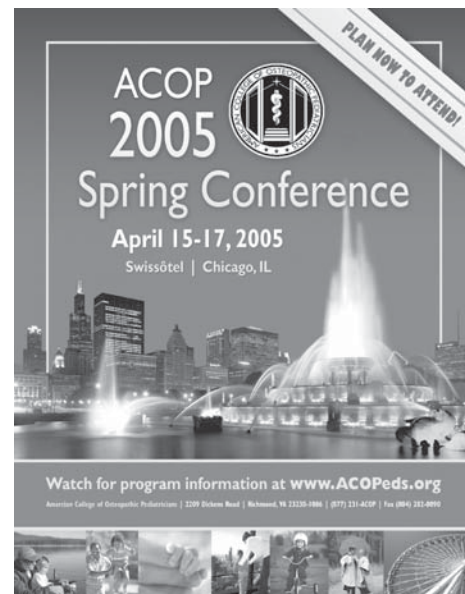
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Restaurants

The Swissôtel Chicago features two wonderful restaurants, including the world famous Palm and its legendary steaks and fresh seafood. Their new Lobby Bar, where the river meets the lake, offers steaming cups of coffee, cappuccino, or frothy latte. Or you may prefer your favorite libation, whether Martini, Cosmo or a bold pinot noir.



Recreation

The Swissôtel Chicago has a state-of-the-art health club located on the 42nd floor, offering spectacular views of the city and the lake. They also have an indoor heated pool, Jacuzzi, dry steam room and massage rooms.

Hotel Cut-off Date

All rooms and rates are subject to availability, so don't wait any longer to make your reservation! Use the housing form found in this brochure in order to get the special group rate.

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NOTE: Gary McAbee, JD, DO was inadvertently named as a faculty member for the 2005 Spring Program. Dr. McAbee is affiliated with the Robert Wood Johnson School of Medicine.

Friday, April 15, 2005

7:00 - 7:30 am	Continental Breakfast with Exhibitors
7:30 - 8:30 am	Nutritional Needs of the Preterm Infant at Discharge from the NICU James Kirk, DO <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The participant will be able to assess the caloric requirement of infants discharged from the NICU.2. The participant will be able to make determinations regarding specific formulas needed by preterm infants.3. The participant will determine if supplements are needed and be able to prescribe and dose them appropriately.
8:30 - 9:30 am	What Every Pediatrician Should Know About Pediatric Anesthesia Polina Voronov, MD <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The participant should be able to identify different methods of anesthesia.2. The participant should be able to apply the anesthetic methods discussed into office practice.3. The participant should be able to predict outcomes to the office anesthesia for procedure.
9:30 - 10:00 am	Exhibitor Break
10:00 - 11:00 am	New Contraceptive Technology and Emergency Contraception Cynthia Jane Mears, DO <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The participant should be able to list different types of contraceptions.2. The participant should be able to compare and contrast different contraceptive methods.3. The participant should be able to predict outcomes to contraceptive.
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Teaching Practitioners How to Get Teens to Quit/ Not Start Cynthia Jane Mears, DO <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The participant should be able to assess an adolescent's risk of addiction.2. The participant should be able to identify techniques to work with teens in avoiding addictions.3. The participant should be able to employ methods to identify addictions in the adolescent.
12:00 - 1:00 pm	Walk around Poster Discussion with Lunch
1:00 - 2:00 pm	Developing Meaningful In-Service Examinations for Osteopathic Residency Programs Linjun Shen, PhD, MPH <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The participant should be able to identify methods to improve Osteopathic Residency Programs.2. The participant should be able to utilize subject matter to enhance Osteopathic Residency Programs.3. The participant should be able to develop techniques to increase the Osteopathic Residency programs.
6:30 - 8:00 pm	President's Reception

Education Mission Statement

The ACOP's Continuing Medical Education (CME) is designed to meet the objectives and purposes of the College and the needs of the membership.

An objective of the ACOP is "to foster measures and conduct activities to increase the effectiveness of the specialty of pediatrics and pediatric education at all levels." The ACOP Committee on CME has as its main function the implementation of programs that will improve the quality of health care for children. Through surveys of its members during the year and at the CME Meeting, educational needs are identified. The scope of pediatric topics presented in the CME programs is based on these surveys.

Accreditation and Designation

The American College of Osteopathic Pediatricians designates this educational activity for a maximum of 16 credits in Category 1 credit towards the AMA Physicians Recognition Award. Each physician should claim only those credits that he/she actually spent in the educational activity.

This program anticipates being approved for up to 16 AOA Category 1-A CME credit hours pending approval by the AOA CCME

Please contact ACOP at 877-231-ACOP with questions regarding this conference. Registration can be made online at www.acoped.org, by fax at 804-282-0090 or by mail using the form provided. Registration will NOT be taken over the phone. Class participants are required to be in class on time and may not be allowed into class 10 minutes after starting time.

Americans with Disabilities Act

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Saturday, April 16, 2005

- 7:00 - 7:30 am Continental Breakfast with Exhibitors
- 7:30 - 8:30 am **Precocious Puberty**
Robert P. Schwartz, MD
1. the participant will be able to identify normal from abnormal development of sexual characteristics
 2. the participant will be able to appropriately medically evaluate precocious puberty
 3. the participant will appropriately identify those children needing specialty referral
- 8:30 - 9:30 am **Evaluation of Joint Pain in the ER**
Charles Mehlman, DO
1. The participant should be able to evaluate joint pain that presents in the E.R.
 2. The participant should be able to apply techniques to their office practice.
 3. The participant should be able to identify causes of joint pain in the E.R.
- 9:30 - 10:30 am Exhibitor Break
- 10:00 - 11:00 am **Obesity in Children**
Robert P. Schwartz, MD
1. Understand the societal causes of the obesity epidemic and approaches to the management of childhood and adolescent obesity.
- 11:00 am - 12:00 pm **Obesity, Management in the Office and Behavioral Modification for a Lifetime**
Robert P. Schwartz, MD
1. Learning Objective: Understand the basic principles of motivational interviewing (MI) to help families find the motivation to adopt a healthier lifestyle.
- 12:00 - 1:00 pm **NOVA Resident Presentation with Box Lunch and Business Meeting**
1. The participant should be able to identify Families with Severely emotionally disturbed children.
 2. The participant should be able to identify interventions in dealing with families with severely emotionally disturbed children.
 3. The participant should be able to employ techniques in dealing with families with severely emotionally disturbed children.

Sunday, April 17, 2005

6:30 - 7:00 am	Continental Breakfast
7:00 - 8:00 am	Pediatric HIV Infection: Update 2005 Michael T. Brady, MD <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The participant should be able to define the changing epidemiology of HIV infection in infants, children and youth in the US and worldwide.2. The participant should be able to describe the impact of current HIV therapies on the clinical manifestations and progression of pediatric HIV infection, as well as the complications of therapy.3. The participant should be able to describe the available preventive measures and their effects on perinatal transmission of HIV.
8:00 - 9:00 am	Primer of Acne G. Scott Drew, DO <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The participant will be able to identify risk factors for acne.2. The participant will be able to discriminate myth from fact regarding acne and its causes.3. The participant will explore acne treatments.
9:00 - 9:15 am	Break
9:15 - 10:15 am	ENT - Infectious Disease and Use of Fluroquinolones Ciprodex Mark Rhodes, MD <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The participant should be able to assess the needs for Fluroquinolones in ENT diseases.2. The participant should be able to discriminate ENT diseases and the use of antibiotics.3. The participant should be able to employ the use of Fluroquinolones into ones pediatric practice.
10:15 - 11:15 am	Staph Stuph Joel D. Klein, MD <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The participant will identify current trends in staphylococcal infection among pediatric patients.2. The participant will recognize diagnostic criteria of infection due to staphylococci.3. The participant will formulate a treatment plan for staphylococcal infections.
11:15 am	Adjourn

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The downtown Museum Campus is home to three of Chicago's most beloved museums: The Field Museum of Natural History, The Shedd Aquarium and the Adler Planetarium.

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dustry and the Art Institute of Chicago.

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