

Alumni Reunion CME: Office and Interventional Pain Management Review
Des Moines University, Des Moines, IA
June 17, 2011
11:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Purpose

This program will provide alumni with a strong foundation in the diagnosis and treatment of acute and chronic pain management. The learner will gain an understanding of the diagnosis and treatment of various pain scenarios including the use and understanding of urine drug screens and be given an introduction to the interventional techniques available to treat patients with pain.

Target Audience

This continuing education will be presented to Des Moines University alumni from the DO, CPMS, PA and PT programs. Alumni will range from recent graduates to those celebrating 50+ year anniversaries.

Agenda and Objectives

11:30 a.m. Registration

12:00 p.m. Office Pain Management for the Active Practitioner

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- Define and discuss diagnostic options of pain.
- Review the history and physical examination of the pain patient.
- Assess osteopathic structural examination of the pain patient.
- Use diagnostic tools in the work-up of the pain patient.
- Review pharmaceutical pain management options including narcotics, adjuvant medications, and urinary drug screens.

1:00 p.m. Interventional Pain Management

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- Learn which interventional pain techniques are available to treat certain pain syndromes
- Gain an insight into many interventional techniques.
- Utilize such services and know what is to be expected with these techniques.

2:00 p.m. Adjourn

Commercial support

Commercial support was not accepted for this educational program.

CME credit

AOA: Des Moines University Continuing Medical Education and the AOA Council on Continuing Medical Education approve this program for a maximum of 2.0 hours of AOA 1-A Category CME credits.

Other: Attendees will be given a certificate of participation for 2.0 hours which will include: program content, objectives, presenters, location, date, time and number of education hours offered.

Commercial support

Educational grants were not accepted for this program.

Disclosure statement

Everyone in a position to control the content of this educational activity will disclose to the CME provider and to attendees all relevant financial relationships with any commercial interest. They will also disclose if any pharmaceuticals or medical procedures and devices discussed are investigational or unapproved for use by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA). Determination of educational content for this program and the selection of speakers are responsibilities of the program director. Firms providing financial support did not have input in these areas.

Registration

- Alumni: \$40
- DMU faculty, staff, or students: Free. \$10 for lunch.

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Dr. Alan Carr specializes in chronic pain management. He is board certified in anesthesiology with a certificate of added qualifications in pain management. He holds the position of clinical associate professor of pain management at the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey – School of Osteopathic Medicine. Currently, he is in private practice in Cherry Hill and Somers Point, New Jersey. His areas of interest include but are not limited to neuropathic pain, musculoskeletal pain, headaches, cancer pain, and complex regional pain syndromes.

Dr. Alan Carr received his osteopathic medical education from the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Health Sciences in Des Moines, Iowa. Upon graduation he completed his internship at the Kennedy Health Care System in New Jersey. His anesthesia residency was served at the Robert Wood Johnson Medical School in New Brunswick, New Jersey. This was followed by his fellowship in obstetrical anesthesia and pain management at the Albert Einstein Medical Center in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Dr. Alan Carr is very active in the medical community in which he presently serves as Immediate-Past President of the New Jersey Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons. He presently serves as a member of New Jersey Governor Chris Christie's gubernatorial health care policy team and also serves on the New Jersey Pain Initiative. He was a former appointed member of the New Jersey Legislative Commission for the study of pain management policy.