

12th Annual
Summer Conference on
PEDIATRICS

*Including Topics on: Infectious Disease, Immunization Update,
Neurological Disorders, Orthopedic & Sports Medicine, Dermatology,
Adolescent Gynecology, Culturally Competent Care, Depression,
Eating Disorders, and much more...*

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JULY 7-10, 2010

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of the highest quality. The meeting locales are wonderful!"*

-Richard Lorenz, MD

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CONFERENCE DESCRIPTION

Our **Summer Conference on Pediatrics** is designed to provide physicians, nurses, nurse practitioners, and physician assistants with **information on current pediatric issues, as well as offer practical management techniques that can be applied immediately in your practice.**

The goal of this conference is to provide a comprehensive update and review on current issues in pediatrics. Emphasis will be placed on practical application of evidence-based presentations. In addition to didactic lectures, ample time has been allotted for participant feedback and interaction.

Topics in this year's conference have been selected based on extensive target audience needs assessment data, including clinical expert input, clinical guidelines in pediatrics, online needs assessment survey, and past participant stated needs.

An outstanding faculty has been selected based on their individual areas of expertise, their ability to communicate practical, evidence-based knowledge to others, their commitment to address issues of current concern, and their willingness to interact with participants.

Morning sessions and one afternoon session leave ample time for relaxing, enjoying family and friends, and exploring the beautiful Napa Valley.

CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES

After participating in this conference, you should have an increased knowledge of, and be more competent to...

- Identify and manage pediatric orthopedic injuries including the knee, ankle and shoulder;
- Recognize and manage adolescent depression and eating disorders;
- Better diagnose and manage a wide variety of dermatologic conditions in children & adolescents;
- Evaluate and manage neurological conditions in children such as new onset seizures, headaches, and the child with developmental delay;
- Better diagnose and manage infectious disease in children;
- Update your knowledge of childhood immunizations;
- Recognize unique cultural characteristics of patients in pediatric practice, and utilize this knowledge in your approach to communicating with the child and parent(s).

ACCREDITATION

This educational activity was planned and produced in accordance with the ACCME and ANCC Essentials and Standards relating to continuing medical and nursing education.

Symposia Medicus is accredited by **the Accreditation Council on Continuing Medical Education (ACCME)** to sponsor continuing medical education for physicians.

Symposia Medicus is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the **American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation (ANCC).**

Participants should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Certificates of completion/credit will be given to participants at the conclusion of the conference.

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT

Physicians

Symposia Medicus designates this educational activity for a maximum of 18 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

This continuing medical education activity has been reviewed by the **American Academy of Pediatrics** and is acceptable for up to **18 AAP** credits. These credits can be applied toward the AAP CME/CPD Award available to Fellows and Candidate Members of the **American Academy of Pediatrics**.

Application for CME credit has been filed with the **American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP)**.

Physician Assistants

The American Academy of Physician Assistants accept Category 1 CME approval from organizations accredited by the ACCME.

Nurse Practitioners & Nurses

The contact hours awarded for the completion of this conference are 18.

Provider is also approved by the **California Board of Registered Nursing**, Provider #CEP2335, for 21.6 contact hours.

Pharmacology Credit for Prescriptive Authority

A maximum of 3 hours in pharmacology credit for prescriptive authority may be earned by attending this educational conference. Sessions awarding pharmacology credit for prescriptive authority are denoted with an Rx.

ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION SESSIONS

Small group discussions will be held Friday afternoon. These "Round Table Discussion Sessions" are organized to provide an opportunity for greater participant/faculty interaction, and to discuss subjects relating to your particular area of interest. You are encouraged to bring cases or issues you are confronting in your clinical practice to discuss during these sessions.

EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES

Each registrant will receive an extensive conference syllabus containing pertinent information on each topic presented. In an effort to reduce the environmental impact of printing on paper, **this syllabus is available on CD. You can request your CD syllabus on our conference registration form.** If you request a syllabus on CD and bring your laptop to the conference, please be aware that there are no electrical outlets at the conference tables. **Make sure your laptop is fully charged each day.**

Extra copies of this syllabus, whether on CD or paper, are available for purchase by writing, with \$45 payment to: Symposia Medicus, 399 Taylor Blvd., Suite 201, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523-2287 (please refer to syllabus #1148 and indicate type of media preferred).

GROUP TOURS

Tours are planned for participants and their guests throughout the conference breaks. Additional information on Napa Valley, our conference hotel and group tours will be sent.



CONFERENCE FACULTY

John C. Christenson, MD

Director, Ryan White Center for Pediatric Infectious Disease
Professor of Clinical Pediatrics
Indiana University School of Medicine
Director, Pediatric Travel Medicine Clinic
Indianapolis, Indiana

Lawrence F. Eichenfield, MD

Professor of Pediatrics and Medicine (Dermatology)
Chief, Pediatric and Adolescent Dermatology
University of California, San Diego School of Medicine and Rady Children's Hospital and Health Center
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Paul Graham Fisher, MD, FAAP

Conference Co-Chairperson
Professor
Neurology and Pediatrics, and by courtesy, Neurosurgery and Human Biology
Chief, Division of Child Neurology
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C. David Geier, Jr., MD

Director, MUSC Sports Medicine
Assistant Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery
Medical University of South Carolina
Charleston, South Carolina

Barbara Malat, CPNP/FNP, PA-C

Conference Co-Chairperson
Adjunct Faculty – Winona State University
Family Nurse Practitioner Program
Primary Care Provider - Migrant Health
Student Health - University Center
EMS - Olmsted Medical Center
Rochester, Minnesota

Consistent with ACCME and ANCC policy, faculty for this educational activity are asked to disclose any commercial interests that may create or may be perceived as creating a conflict related to the material they will be presenting, as well as limitations on clinical studies presented, and any "off-label" use suggestions for medical products. Additionally, Symposia Medicus Board, Planning Committee, and Staff members have disclosed that they have no significant financial relationships that could pose a conflict of interest to the planning of this conference. This information is intended to assist you in forming your own judgments about content presented. Disclosure information will be included in your syllabus and/or verbally disclosed at the conference

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, JULY 7

- 7:00am Registration & Check-in
During Continental Breakfast
- 8:00 **Welcome & Introduction**
Paul Graham Fisher, MD
- 8:15 **Inattentive, Delayed or Autistic: You Make The Call** (Rx = 15 minutes)
Paul Graham Fisher, MD
- 9:00 **Advances in Pediatric Dermatology: What's New** (Rx = 15 minutes)
Lawrence F. Eichenfield, MD
- 9:45 **Questions & Answers / Group Discussion**
Faculty Panel & Audience
- 10:15 Break
- 10:30 **Recognition & Treatment of Adolescent Depression** (Rx = 15 minutes)
Barbara Malat, CPNP/FNP, PA-C
- 11:15 **Immunizations: A 2010 Update** (Rx = 40 minutes)
John Christenson, MD
- Noon **Shoulder Instability in the Pediatric or Adolescent Athlete: Office Evaluation & Surgical or Nonsurgical Treatment**
C. David Geier, Jr., MD
- 12:45pm **Questions & Answers / Group Discussion**
Faculty Panel & Audience
- 1:30 Adjourn for the Day
- 5:30-7:00pm Wine & Cheese Reception
(Faculty, Participants, & Guests)

THURSDAY, JULY 8

- 7:30am Continental Breakfast
- 8:00 **Eating Disorders in the Young Female: Recognition & Treatment**
Barbara Malat, CPNP/FNP, PA-C
- 8:45 **How Antimicrobial Resistance is Changing Pediatric Clinical Practice** (Rx = 25 minutes)
John Christenson, MD
- 9:30 **Questions & Answers / Group Discussion**
Faculty Panel & Audience
- 10:00 Break
- 10:15 **Skin Signs: When to Worry, & When Not to Worry** (Rx = 15 minutes)
Lawrence F. Eichenfield, MD
- 11:00 **Interesting Pediatric Infectious Disease Patients: There Is So Much We Need to Learn**
John Christenson, MD
- 11:45 **A Pediatric Clinician's Guide to Culturally Competent Care**
Barbara Malat, CPNP/FNP, PA-C
- 12:30pm **Questions & Answers / Group Discussion**
Faculty Panel & Audience
- 1:15 Adjourn for the Day

FRIDAY, JULY 9

- 3:30pm **Round Table Discussions – Session One**
- Gentle GYN: Care & Knowledge of the Young Female Patient**
Barbara Malat, CPNP/FNP, PA-C
- Infectious Disease: Clinical Scenarios, Diagnostic Tests, & Treatments**
John Christenson, MD
- Examination of the Knee, Ankle & Shoulder**
C. David Geier, Jr., MD
- Neurological Emergencies: Do You Know What To Do?**
Paul Graham Fisher, MD
- 5:00 Break
- 5:15 **Round Table Discussions – Session Two**
(Session One Topics Repeated)
- 6:45 Adjourn for the Day

SATURDAY, JULY 10

- 7:30am Continental Breakfast
- 8:00 **Knee Injuries in the Skeletally Immature Child**
C. David Geier, Jr., MD
- 8:45 **First & Second Seizure: What To Know & What To Do** (Rx = 20 minutes)
Paul Graham Fisher, MD
- 9:30 **Questions & Answers / Group Discussion**
Faculty Panel & Audience
- 10:00 Break (Hotel Check-out if applicable)
- 10:30 **Case Studies in Pediatric Dermatology: Audience Response – Test Your Knowledge** (Rx = 20 minutes)
Lawrence F. Eichenfield, MD
- 11:15 **Headaches from A to Z** (Rx = 15 minutes)
Paul Graham Fisher, MD
- Noon **Decision Making in Sports Medicine: Is it a Sprain, Fracture, or a Nutritional & Hormonal Issue**
C. David Geier, Jr., MD
- 12:45pm **Questions & Answers / Group Discussion**
Faculty Panel & Audience
- 1:30 **Conference Adjourns**

Rx = Pharmacology Credit for Prescriptive Authority will be granted for these sessions



CONFERENCE REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Enrollment for this conference is limited in order to provide the best possible learning environment. **Early registration is advised.**

TUITION:	EARLY	REGULAR
	<i>If postmarked by April 28, 2010</i>	<i>If postmarked after April 28, 2010</i>
Physicians	\$610	\$660
Residents, PA's & Nurses	\$510	\$560

- Tuition includes continuing education certification, extensive conference syllabus, continental breakfast, refreshments, and wine & cheese reception.
- Tuition may be paid by check, money order, Visa, MasterCard, or Discover Card.
- Register on-line at www.symposiamedicus.org or use the form in this brochure.
- If paying by check, make payable and send with registration form to Symposia Medicus, 399 Taylor Blvd., Suite 201, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523-2287; OR
- Telephone registration can be made Monday-Friday, 8:30am-5:00pm (Pacific Time), by calling (800) 327-3161 or (925) 969-1789. Registrations may also be faxed with Visa, MasterCard or Discover Card information to (925) 969-1795.
- Conference registration will be confirmed in writing and more information on travel, hotel, and activities will be sent.
- Conference cancellations must be made in writing via fax, email, or U.S. mail, and a 10% of paid tuition processing fee will be assessed. No refunds will be made if cancellation is postmarked after June 2, 2010; however, tuition (less 10% processing fee) will be applied toward a future Symposia Medicus conference. In the event of conference cancellation by Symposia Medicus, full tuition and hotel deposit refunds will be made.
- This conference meets the requirements for CE deductibility under the Tax Reform Act. However, we suggest you consult your financial authority for more information.
- For additional conference or lodging information, call Symposia Medicus at (800) 327-3161, (925) 969-1789, fax (925) 969-1795, email us at info@symposiamedicus.org, or visit our website at www.symposiamedicus.org.
- For information on air reservations and ticketing assistance, you may either call your travel agent or the airlines direct. Please see the **Airline Travel Information** portion of this brochure for further information.

AIR TRAVEL INFORMATION

The closest airport to the Napa Valley Marriott Hotel & Spa is Oakland International Airport, however, lower fares can sometimes be found by flying into San Francisco International Airport, Sacramento International Airport or San Jose International Airport. Oakland is approximately 50 miles from the hotel, while San Francisco and Sacramento are approximately 60 miles and San Jose is approximately 85 miles.

Symposia Medicus has arranged group discounts with Alaska, American, Jet Blue, and United Airways for this conference. Reservations can be made either through your travel agency or through the airlines' Convention Desk at the numbers listed below.

IN ORDER TO RECEIVE THE DISCOUNTED RATES, YOU OR YOUR TRAVEL AGENT MUST REFER TO THE SYMPOSIA MEDICUS ID NUMBERS LISTED BELOW.

Alaska Convention Desk	For discounts on Alaska Airline flights, please book online at www.alaskaair.com and insert ECCMB1144 into the e-certificate code box. For questions, please call the Alaska Airline Convention Desk at (800) 445-4435.	
American Convention Desk	(800) 433-1790	1220SS
Jet Blue Convention Desk	For discounts on Jet Blue Airlines flights, please book online at www.jetblue.com/promo and insert symposia1148 into the promotion code box. The discount is only available online.	
United Airlines Convention Desk	(800) 521-4041	563JI

CAR RENTAL DISCOUNT

Symposia Medicus has arranged conference discounts with **AVIS and Budget Car Rentals**. Reservations can be made by phone; please refer to the conference code and the conference/airport location when making your reservations. Please see below:

AVIS	800-331-1600	AWD # B766625
Budget	800-772-3773	BCD # U076767

CONFERENCE LODGING INFORMATION

Symposia Medicus has reserved accommodations with group rates at the **Napa Valley Marriott Hotel & Spa**. Lodging is available to registrants and their guests at the rates listed below. These rates will also be available three days before and three days after the conference (based on availability) if you wish to extend your stay.

You will receive these rates by:

- Reserving on-line on our website at www.symposiamedicus.org; OR
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- If paying by check, make payable to Symposia Medicus and send with registration form to 399 Taylor Blvd., Suite 201, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523-2287.

Please note that our block of rooms is limited and is on a first come, first served basis. PLEASE RESERVE EARLY as rooms may sell out and/or room rates may increase.

GROUP RATES – Single/Double Occupancy

Rooms	Rates	Descriptions
Standard Room	\$199.00/night	All rooms are approx. 375 sq. feet and include pillowtop mattresses, mini refrigerators, coffeemakers with complimentary coffee, wireless internet (for a fee), pay-per-view movie access and flat screen TVs. All rooms have either Garden or Street views.
Concierge Level (Concierge lounge access includes complimentary continental breakfast, daily snacks, nightly hors d'oeuvres and dessert, non-alcoholic beverages and business services.)	\$249.00/night	

- Rates above are per room, per night, and **do not** include tax of 12%, nor California Tourism Assessment Fee of 0.065% (both subject to change), meals nor gratuities, unless otherwise stated.
- Maximum occupancy is 4 people and cannot be exceeded.
- Cribs and roll-away beds are complimentary (subject to change).
- Two nights' room deposit must accompany the lodging reservation form. The balance of lodging payment, as well as any incidental charges, is due to the hotel upon check out.
- Check-in time is 4:00 pm and check-out time is Noon. (Requests for late check-out need to be made with hotel front desk on day of departure).
- A 30-minute break has been allotted in our conference schedule on the last day for those of you who need to check out.
- Per our hotel contract, hotel cancellations must be made in writing to Symposia Medicus and you will receive a full refund if postmarked by May 5, 2010. Between May 6, 2010, and June 2, 2010, one night's deposit is forfeited. After June 2, 2010, no hotel refunds can be made. All cancellations must be made in writing and postmarked by the dates stated above.



CONFERENCE LOCATION

The Wappo Indians, original residents of this fertile valley, named it Napa, meaning 'land of plenty'. California's Wine Country shares with the lush countryside great vintages, superb restaurants, and a refined lifestyle. With over 300 wineries and a continually growing popularity, it's clear why Napa Valley is synonymous for luxury and wine. Located just an hour north of San Francisco, there is much more to Napa than just its grapes! Enjoy hot-air ballooning, horseback riding, winery tours or nearby golf. Find incredible discounts on your favorite brand-names at the Napa Premium Outlets or visit Old Town for more unique shopping. Visit the recently restored Napa Valley Opera House, or for the mountain bike enthusiast, check out the Skyline Wilderness Park, famed for its rough terrain. It might be wine that comes to mind when thinking of the Napa Valley, but with world renown restaurants like The French Laundry, it's the food that will keep you occupied while there. With so much to do, you'll find that fine wine is only a part of this abundant valley. But if the Napa Valley isn't enough to keep your interest, San Francisco, with its Wharf, Chinatown and famous cable cars, is just an hour away; or the kid inside you will love the excitement of Six Flags Amusement Park located a mere 20 minutes away.

The **Napa Valley Marriott Hotel & Spa** combines modern convenience with Marriott's unmatched standards of excellence to ensure a comfortable stay. Indulge your passion for exercise at the state-of-the-art fitness center or simply relax at the Amadeus Spa and Salon, one of the best Spas in the Napa Valley. Enjoy the quiet ambience of The Harvest Café or the lively atmosphere of Character's Bar & Grill and you'll find the region's flair for creative cuisine exists right at the hotel.

Whatever your pleasure, you are sure to find it at the **12th Annual Summer Conference on Pediatrics** in Napa, California!

2009 CALENDAR OF FUTURE CONFERENCES

1125	20th Annual Conference on Hot Topics in Primary Care Medicine	Atlantis Resort, Bahamas	Nov 11-14
1127	10th Annual Fall Conference on Emergency Medicine	Hilton Head, South Carolina	Nov 18-21
1122	Emergencies in Pediatrics	New York City, New York	Dec 18-19
1130	13th Annual Conference on Emergencies in Primary Care	New York City, New York	Dec 18-19

2010 CALENDAR OF FUTURE CONFERENCES

1132	21st Annual Winter Conference on Emergency Medicine	Cozumel, Mexico	Feb 10-13
1135	17th Annual Winter Conference on Primary Care	Breckenridge, Colorado	Mar 2-6
1137	10th Annual Winter Conference on Pediatric Emergencies	Keystone, Colorado	Mar 2-6
1138	9th Annual Spring Conference on Challenges in Primary Care Medicine	Los Cabos, Mexico	Mar 10-13
1141	14th Annual Spring Conference on Pediatric Emergencies	Guanacaste, Costa Rica	Apr 14-17
1142	21st Annual Spring Conference on Pediatrics	Kauai, Hawaii	Apr 21-24
1150	15th Annual Summer Conference on Primary Care Medicine	Napa Valley, California	Jun 23-26
1152	6th Annual Summer Conference on Emergency Medicine	Alaska Cruise (<i>Celebrity Cruise - Infinity</i>)	Jul 30-Aug 6
1146	Current Issues in Pediatrics	Bermuda Cruise (<i>Royal Caribbean Cruise - Explorer of the Seas</i>)	Jul 31-Aug 5
1154	Challenges in Obstetrics & Gynecology	Mediterranean Cruise (<i>Celebrity Cruise - Constellation</i>)	Sep 25-Oct 2

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