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**PEDIATRIC & ADOLESCENT MEDICINE FOR PRIMARY CARE:
EMERGENCY MEDICINE/GASTROENTEROLOGY/NEUROLOGY**

**Charleston, South Carolina – Francis Marion Hotel
November 1 – 3, 2019**

Friday, November 1st:

7:00 am – 7:30 am

Registration and Hot Breakfast

7:30 am – 8:30 am – Neurology

Movement Disorders in Children

Cerebral palsy (CP); Tics, tremors, chorea/ballismus, dystonia; Sydenham chorea

8:30 am – 9:30 am – Neurology

Diagnosis of Pediatric Seizures and Epilepsy

Identification and recognition of common seizure types; Differentiation between seizures and pseudoseizures; Diagnostic approaches to seizures and epilepsy

9:30 am – 9:40 am

Coffee Break

9:40 am – 10:40 am – Neurology

A Primary Care Approach to Treatment of Pediatric Epilepsy

First line seizure medications; The role of diet; Surgical alternatives; Medical marijuana in the pediatric patient

10:40 am – 11:40 am – Gastroenterology

Chronic Abdominal Pain in Children

Physiology and differential diagnosis of chronic abdominal pain in children; testing (laboratory, radiographic, endoscopic) techniques available for the treatment of chronic abdominal pain in children; treatment options for chronic abdominal pain, including treatment for recurrent abdominal pain of childhood and irritable bowel syndrome

11:40 am – 12:40 pm – Gastroenterology

Gastroesophageal Reflux in Children

The Physiology of pediatric gastroesophageal reflux (GER) and how to differentiate GER from gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD); testing techniques to diagnose pediatric GER; treatment options for pediatric GER and pediatric GERD

12:40 pm

Session Adjourns

Saturday, November 2nd:

7:00 am – 7:30 am

Hot Breakfast

7:30 am – 8:30 am – Gastroenterology

Constipation in Children

The pathophysiology and differential diagnosis of pediatric constipation; testing techniques used to diagnose complications associated with pediatric constipation; treatment options

8:30 am – 9:30 am – Gastroenterology

Pediatric Gastrointestinal Foreign Bodies

Complications of various gastrointestinal (GI) foreign bodies in children; testing techniques to diagnose GI foreign bodies in children; treatment options (observational versus removal)

9:30 am – 9:40 am

Coffee Break

9:40 am – 10:40 am – Neurology

The Treatment of Headaches in Children and Adolescents

Diagnosis of migraines; Tumors; Treatment of increased intracranial pressure

10:40 am – 11:40 am – Emergency Medicine

Overdoses and Intoxications in Pediatric Medicine

Overdoses and intoxications that are increasing in the pediatric population; Common signs and symptoms of overdose to both guide treatment as well as therapy; Toddlers who ingest common household items to the teenager who intentionally overdoses, epidemiology regarding most common agents at each age; Tools to best manage these patients.

11:40 am – 12:40 pm – Emergency Medicine

Special Considerations in Pediatric Airways

Airway management in children; Basic airway skills; Clear concepts and strategies to maintain oxygenation and ventilation in children; Understanding the differences between pediatric and adult airways; Early assessment and understanding of pediatric airway disease as well as presentation to help guide therapy modalities

12:40 pm

Session Adjourns

Sunday, November 3rd:

7:00 am – 7:30 am

Continental Breakfast

7:30 am – 8:30 am – Emergency Medicine

Drowning: In the Blink of an Eye

Overview of the pathophysiology around neurologic, respiratory and cardiac impairments related to drowning; Possible management strategies; Prognostic factors to help in difficult drowning cases; Current management guidelines in ER for drowning

8:30 am – 9:30 am – Emergency Medicine

The First Hour: Preparation for Pediatric Critical Care Transport

Mobile pediatric/neonatal intensive care units that can be brought directly to the referring hospital; Preparation and stabilization in the prehospital setting; Improving overall patient outcomes.

9:30 am

Conference Adjourns

Target Audience

This program is targeted to office-based primary care providers and other health professionals with updates in primary care medicine

Learning Objectives

Upon completion of this program, participants should be better able to:

- Discuss symptoms and treatment of chronic abdominal pain and gastroesophageal reflux in children
- List the current treatment options for constipation and gastrointestinal foreign bodies in children
- List treatment strategies for pediatric epilepsy, headaches and movement disorders
- Describe diagnostic principles and treatment options of juvenile arthritic and connective tissue disorders
- Describe treatment options for intoxication and other pediatric emergencies

Learning Outcome

To provide updates in primary care medicine to office based providers



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