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**PEDIATRIC & ADOLESCENT MEDICINE FOR PRIMARY CARE:
GASTROENTEROLOGY/INFECTIOUS DISEASE/ORTHOPEDICS**

**Savannah, Georgia – Hyatt Regency Savannah
October 8 – 10, 2021**

Friday, October 8th:

7:00 am – 7:30 am

Registration and Hot Breakfast

7:30 am – 8:30 am – Infectious Disease

Avoiding Infectious Disease Diagnostic Pitfalls in Pediatrics

Presentation on relevant and clinically practical approaches to diagnosing the pediatric patient; discussion will focus on Kawasaki disease, neonatal HSV, complications of sinusitis/otitis and other diagnoses that should not be missed

8:30 am – 9:30 am – Infectious Disease

Animal Bites and Pet Related Infection Concerns

Presentation on bite-wound management and infections caused by pets, with clinical presentations, diagnostic and therapeutic management strategies and important clinical pearls related to rabies prophylaxis and other potentially life-threatening conditions.

9:30 am – 9:40 am

Coffee Break

9:40 am – 10:40 am – Infectious Disease

Respiratory Tract Infections

A case-based interactive discussion highlighting critical points regarding the diagnosis and management of pneumonia, bronchitis, otitis media, and pharyngitis – with a focus on the impact of multidrug resistant pathogens

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, October 9th:

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 – Infectious Disease

Skin and Soft-tissue Infections

Presentation on important skin and soft-tissue infections and their prompt recognition, emphasizing evaluation and management strategies

10:40 am – 11:40 am – Orthopedics

Common Lower Extremity Injuries in the Pediatric Patient

Musculoskeletal and connective tissue complaints; Overuse injuries; Fractures that require surgical intervention; Injuries to be treated nonoperatively

11:40 am – 12:40 pm – Orthopedics

Common Upper Extremity Injuries in the Pediatric Patient

Overuse and traumatic conditions of the pediatric joint; Overuse injuries and fractures; Discussion of normal anatomy and variants unique to pediatric bones; Growth plate injuries

12:40 pm

Session Adjourns

Sunday, October 10th:

7:00 am – 7:30 am

Continental Breakfast

7:30 am – 8:30 am – Orthopedics

Common Spine Injuries in the Pediatric Patient

Thoracic, lumbar and sacral spine injuries; Compression fractures; Flexion Distraction fractures

8:30 am – 9:30 am – Orthopedics

Imaging Considerations in the Skeletally Immature Patient

Understanding the developing musculoskeletal structures in children that makes the population susceptible to unique injuries; Imaging evaluation of sports injuries in the skeletally immature athlete; Focus on imaging evaluation and diagnosis

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
- Diagnose and manage important infectious disease syndromes in a range of organ-based systems (respiratory, skin and soft-tissue)
- Review important animal bite related infectious disease syndromes
- List the current recommendations, controversies and medicolegal considerations surrounding treating the adolescent athlete

Learning Outcome

To provide updates in primary care medicine to office based providers

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