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**PEDIATRIC AND ADOLESCENT MEDICINE FOR  
PRIMARY CARE: DERMATOLOGY/  
GASTROENTEROLOGY/RHEUMATOLOGY**

**Newport, RI - Hotel Viking  
October 25 - 27, 2024**

**Friday, October 25, 2024**

**7:00 am**

**Registration and Breakfast**

**7:30 am - 8:30 am - Dermatology**

**Dermatitis**

Overview of the causes and forms of skin irritants; Contact, atopic, irritant, nummular, seborrheic and exfoliative; Treatment of blistering, oozing, crusting and flaking; Diagnostic principles and management strategies

**8:30 am - 9:30 am - Dermatology**

**Papulosquamous Diseases**

Diagnostic principles of skin lesions consisting of red or purple papules; Psoriasis, lichen planus, pityriasis rosea, lupus erythematosus; Discussion of how to tell one scaly rash from another

**9:30 am - 9:40 am**

**Coffee Break**

**9:40 am - 10:40 am - Dermatology**

**Fungal Infections of the Skin**

Dermatophytes, tinea versicolor, candidiasis; Selected deep fungal infections; Onycholysis; Drug induced nail changes; paronychia, koilonychia, nail discolorations, tumors of the nail; Fungal infections diagnosis and management; Overview and comparison of antifungal treatment options

**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 26, 2024**

**7:00 am**

**Registration and 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 Body Ingestion**

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 - Dermatology**

**Acne and Acneiform Eruptions**

Identification of noninflammatory open or closed comedones and inflammatory lesions; Determination of treatment therapies based on acne grading scale; Bacterial folliculitis, drug-induced acne, hidradenitis suppurativa, miliaria, perioral dermatitis, pseudofolliculitis barbae, rosacea, seborrheic dermatitis; Topical and systemic therapy

**10:40 am - 11:40 am - Neurology**

**Movement Disorders in Children**

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

**11:40 am - 12:40 pm - Neurology**

**Headaches in Children and Adolescents**

Diagnosis of migraines; Tumors; Treatment of increased intracranial pressure

**12:40 pm**

**Session Adjourns**



**Sunday, October 27, 2024**

**7:00 am**

**Registration and Breakfast**

**7:30 am - 8:30 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

**8:30 am - 9:30 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

**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:

- Differentiate between the presentations and causes of atopic, contact (irritant and allergic), and nummular dermatitis
- Discriminate the diagnostic principles and treatment options for papulosquamous diseases with red, raised bumps
- Compare the different treatment options for fungal skin infections and nail infections
- Describe the step-wise approach for the diagnosis and treatment of acne and acneiform eruptions
- Discuss symptoms and treatment of chronic abdominal pain and gastroesophageal reflux in children
- Compare and contrast the clinical presentations of GER vs GERD in pediatric patients
- Present a practical approach for management of constipation
- Review the epidemiology of foreign body ingestions in children
- Evaluate and treat movement disorders in children
- Differentially diagnose the cause of headaches in children and adolescents
- List treatment strategies for pediatric epilepsy, headaches and movement disorders
- Compare the benefits and side effect profiles of pharmacologic treatment options for pediatric epilepsy



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AAFP has reviewed Pediatric & Adolescent Medicine for Primary Care: Derm/Gastro/Rheum and deemed it acceptable for up to 12.00 Live AAFP Prescribed credits. Term of Approval is from 10/25/2024 to 10/27/2024. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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