

Connecticut Orthopaedic Institute

at MidState Medical Center

In Partnership with
ConnAPA
Presents

*CTPA Foundation
Cocktail Reception at
Rio Salado
8 Coogan Blvd
Mystic*



Please attend a cocktail reception on
Monday, March 23rd from
6:00 - 7:30 PM at Rio Salado Restaurant
and support the PA students of CT.

All proceeds will benefit student
scholarships.

A suggested donation to attend is \$25.
Registration is available with your
conference registration.

- ◆ Educational lectures
- ◆ Exhibit Hall/Raffle Prizes
- ◆ Student poster presentations
- ◆ Social and Networking

4 Breakfasts, 3 lunches, snack breaks and
welcome reception are all included in your
registration!

DON'T DELAY: REGISTER TODAY!

This program is not yet approved for CME credit.
Conference organizers plan to request 30 AAPA
Category 1 CME credits from the AAPA Review
Panel. The total number of approved credits is yet
to be determined.



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CHARTER OAK CONFERENCE

33rd Annual Charter Oak Conference

Preliminary Program

March 22-25, 2020
Hilton Mystic
20 Coogan Boulevard
Mystic, CT



Conference Information

The Connecticut Academy of Physician Assistants Charter Oak Conference (COC) is one of the premier PA conferences in the country. The COC has built a reputation for the quality of its programs, faculty and attendees.

We have an exciting lineup of lectures covering a wide range of clinical topics.

PA's can claim their certificate/credits after their evaluations have been completed.

We invite our nurse practitioner colleagues to join us. APRNs may claim AAPA Category 1 CME credit as continuing education with AANP and ANCC. ConnAPA recommends APRNs check with their certification/licensing authority to confirm that AAPA credit is acceptable.

Full program, registration form and hotel information is available online at www.connapa.org

ONLINE REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

Preliminary Agenda

Sunday, March 22, 2020

Best Practices: Treatment and Management of Cutaneous Disorders in Skin of Color

Cynthia Ferguson, PA-C

Pilonidal Disease and the Most Effective Treatment

Jennifer Kowalcuk, MHS, PA-C

Normal Pressure Hydrocephalus

David Forshaw, MD

Diseases of the Nipple

Christine Rizk, MD

Healthcare of Gay Men and other Sexual/Gender Minorities

Jonathan Baker, PA-C

HIV Prevention and Preexposure Prophylaxis (PrEP)

Jonathan Baker, PA-C

Hemolytic Anemia: Mass Destruction

James Van Rhee, PA-C

Reproductive Health Care: Conversations for Clinicians and their Patients

Christine Shenko, MD

Monday, March 23, 2020

Caring for Common Dermatologic Cases

Darlene Haviland, PA-C

The Evolution of the PA - Physician Relationship

William Kohlhepp, DHSc, PA-C

Pleural Effusion

Kelsey Cameron, PA-C

Use of EKOS for Treatment of Acute Massive and Submassive Pulmonary Embolism

Adam Olsen, MS, PA-C, CCDS

* **Keynote Lecture: The Application of Innovative Strategies Used to Address Substance Use Disorder** *Eric McIntire*

What's Brewing with the Updated Beers Criteria?

Eric Nemec, PharmD and Henry Yoon, MD

Update on HIV Care

Marjorie Golden, MD

Sexuality for Cancer Survivors

Johanna D'Addario, MHS, PA-C

PA Transitions: Bedside to Academia

Jonathan Weber, PA-C

Preliminary Agenda

Tuesday, March 24, 2020

ConnAPA Legislative Update

Jason Prevelige, MHS, PA-C

Colon Cancer Evaluation & Prevention: What's New?

Peter Buch, MD

Gall Bladders from Zero to 11

Philip Corvo, MD

Can You Rebuild My Skeleton: Fracture Prevention 2020

Rick Pope, PA-C, MPAS, DFAAPA, CPAAPA

Prenatal Care

Cayla Daniele, PA-C

The Ethical Approach to Vaccine Hesitancy

Rachel LaCosta, MPAS, PA-C

Opioid Overdose Crisis: Trends & Strategies for Post Op Pain Control

David Boisoneau, MD

Assessment & Management of Anaphylaxis

Tom Balga, PA-C

Wednesday, March 25, 2020

Approach to Migraine

Sheena Mehta, PA-C

The Summertime Blues: An Intro to Summer Pathology in New England

Kevin Burns, PA-C

Spinal Infections: Diagnosis and Management

Kent Kilbourn, PA-C

Pediatric Update

Patrick Killeen, MS, PA-C

Skin Cancer in the Immunosuppressed Population

Cynthia Griffith, MPAS, PA-C

Please note: Lectures and Speakers are subject to change.

Conference Refund/Cancellation policy

Cancellations and refund requests **must** be submitted in writing to the ConnAPA office by March 6th, after which no refunds will be accepted.