HIPS & KNEES
IN THE CAROLINAS
CURRENT CONCEPTS IN ARTHROPLASTY

APRIL 28-MAY 1, 2016
RENAISSANCE CHARLOTTE SOUTHPARK HOTEL

Physician Assistants in Orthopaedic Surgery
PO Box 10781
Glendale AZ 85318

Register online:
www.paos.org/cme
COURSE DESCRIPTION

Hips & Knees in the Carolinas: Current Concepts in Arthroplasty is an advanced course for physician assistants who treat arthritis of the hip & knee. This course teaches the principles and techniques for management of arthritis of the hip and knee and current concepts in surgical and non-surgical management.

COURSE LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon conclusion of this program, participants should be able to:

• Examine and apply basic scientific information and technical skills in joint replacement surgery
• Update knowledge regarding current evaluation and treatment of arthritis of the hip and knee
• Review current practice management including proper coding, reimbursement, and state/national healthcare trends
• Develop new clinical and technical skills to improve delivery of healthcare to patients with hip and knee arthritis

INTENDED AUDIENCE

Physician Assistants who work in practices primarily performing hip and knee arthroplasty.

CREDIT

This program is provided by Physician Assistants in Orthopaedic Surgery. This program was planned in accordance with AAPA’s CME Standards for Live Programs and Commercial Support of Live Programs.

This Program is not yet approved for CME credit. Conference organizers plan to request 17 hours of AAPA Category I CME Credit and 3 hours of Self Assessment Credit from the Physician Assistant Review Panel. Total number of approved credits yet to be determined. Physician Assistants should claim only those hours spent participating in the CME activity.

This program also provides a maximum of 17 hours of BOC CEU credits for Athletic Trainers.

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Exhibits will be available for viewing at all scheduled breaks.
DATE & LOCATION
April 29-May 1, 2016
Renaissance Charlotte SouthPark Hotel
5501 Carnegie Blvd.
Charlotte, NC 28209
704-501-2510

PROGRAM FACULTY
Course Chairman: Scot Rheinecker, MS, AT-C/L, PA-C
Course Co-Directors: Paul Coleman, PA-C & Aaron Hewitt, AT-C/L, PA-C

Guest Faculty:
Chad Silverberg, DO – Progressive Radiology, Baltimore, MD
Durham Weeks, MD – OrthoCarolina Sports Medicine Center, Charlotte, NC
John Masonis, MD – OrthoCarolina Hip & Knee Center, Charlotte, NC
Keith Fehring, MD – OrthoCarolina Hip & Knee Center, Charlotte, NC
Bradley Ellison, MD – OrthoCarolina Concord, Concord, NC
Jonathon Salava, MD – Assistant Professor, Mary H. Hodges Joint Replacement Center, Marshall University School of Medicine, Huntington, WV
Jeanine Gargiulo, PA-C – Hip & Knee Center, Andersen Orthopaedic Clinic, Arlington VA
Dana Piasecki, MD – OrthoCarolina Sports Medicine Center, Charlotte, NC
Jacob Drew, MD – Assistant Professor, Joint Health Team, Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, SC
Stuart Melvin, MD – Hip & Knee Subspecialist, Reston, VA
Bryan Curtin, MD - OrthoCarolina Hip & Knee Center, Charlotte, NC
Timothy Pysell, DrHA, MMSc, AT, DFAAPA, PA-C – Vice President of Value Based Services, OrthoCarolina, Charlotte, NC
Tom Fehring, MD - OrthoCarolina Hip & Knee Center, Charlotte, NC

REGISTRATION
To register online, visit www.PAOS.org/cme. The registration includes tuition, electronic course syllabus, continental breakfasts, break refreshments, lunch, welcome reception, and access to an online Self Assessment module to accompany meeting worth 3 hours of AAPA Self Assessment Credit.

Although it is not PAOS policy to limit registrants for a course, conference room facilities may necessitate closing of enrollment; therefore early registration is advised.
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HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

A special discounted room block has been arranged at the Renaissance Charlotte SouthPark Hotel.

Room Rates: $129 for either a single or double room plus applicable taxes

Go to www.paos.org/cme/spring/housing to make reservations or call hotel’s reservation line at 704-556-9878 and mention “PAOS Meeting.” Space is limited at the group rate. Please make your room reservations early. Reservations made after March 31, 2016 or after the group block is filled are not guaranteed and will likely be at the hotel’s prevailing rates.

Transportation

Airport: Charlotte Douglas International Airport is 10 miles southeast of the hotel.
Taxi: Approximate rate from Charlotte Douglas International is $38 one way
Car: Complimentary on-site parking and valet parking ($15/day) is available at hotel.
THURSDAY – APRIL 28, 2016
4 – 8pm  Attendee Registration/Check In
Exhibitor Check In & Set Up

FRIDAY – APRIL 29, 2016 (7 hrs)
7:00 – 7:45am  Cont. Breakfast
7:45 – 8:00am  Opening Remarks
8:00 – 9:00am  Radiographic Evaluation of the Hip
Chad Silverberg, DO
9:00 – 9:30am  “My Hip Hurts” – Getting the Diagnosis right
Durham Weeks, MD
9:30 – 10:00am  Break/Exhibits
10:00 – 10:30am  Femoral Acetabular Impingement
Durham Weeks, MD
10:30 – 11:30am  Radiographic Evaluation of the Knee
Chad Silverberg, DO
11:30 – 1:00pm  LUNCH
1:00 – 1:30pm  Anterior Total Hip vs Posterior: When to Use What?
John Masonis, MD
1:30 – 2:30pm  Workup of the Painful Total Hip
Keith Fehring, MD
2:30 – 3:00pm  Bearing Designs: What’s New and What’s Working?
Bradley Ellison, MD
3:00 – 3:30pm  Break/Exhibits
3:30 – 4:00pm  Gluteus Medius Tears & Non Traditional Hip Problems
Bradley Ellison, MD
4:00 – 4:30pm  TBA
4:30 – 5:30pm  Revision Total Hip Arthroplasty: Pearls & Pitfalls
Jonathon Salava, MD
5:30pm  WELCOME RECEPTION IN EXHIBIT HALL
SATURDAY – APRIL 30, 2016 (6 hrs)

7:30 – 8:00am Cont. Breakfast
8:00 – 8:30am Examination of the Knee
8:30 – 9:30am Non-Operative Treatment of the Arthritic Knee
   Keith Fehring, MD
9:30 – 10:00am Break/Exhibits
10:00 – 10:30am Update on the Meniscus: Repair, Resect, Replace?
   Dana Piasecki, MD
10:30 – 11:00am Stopping Short of Total Knee: PTF & Unicondylar Arthroplasty
   Jacob Drew, MD
11:00 – 11:30am Nuts & Bolts of Opioid Pain Medications
11:30am – 1:00pm LUNCH
1:00 – 1:30pm Workup of the Painful Total Knee
1:30 – 2:00pm Prosthetic Joint Infection: Evaluation & Current Management
   Jacob Drew, MD
2:00 – 2:30pm Multimodal Pain Management for the Total Joint Patient
   Stuart Melvin, MD
2:30 – 2:45pm Break
2:45 – 3:15pm Balancing the Total Knee: Pearls & Pitfalls
3:15 – 3:45pm Revision Total Knee Arthroplasty: Pearls & Pitfalls
3:45 – 4:15pm DVT Prophylaxis: What Should We Be Doing?

SUNDAY – MAY 1, 2016 (4 hrs)

7:30 – 8:00am Cont. Breakfast
8:00 – 8:30am Bundled Care and What it Means for the PA
   Tim Pysell, PA-C
8:30 – 9:00am Outpatient Total Joints: Why We Should/Shouldn’t Do It
   Stuart Melvin, MD
9:00 – 9:15am Break
9:15 – 9:45am Optimizing the Patient for Total Joint Arthroplasty
   Tom Fehring, MD
9:45 – 10:15am The Femur is Cracked: Now What?
   Tom Fehring, MD
10:15 – 10:45am Antibiotic Prophylaxis in Total Joint Surgery: Before, During, and After
10:45 – 11:45am Infectious Disease Update in Joint Arthroplasty
11:45 – 12:15pm Rehabilitation Following Total Knee and Hip
12:15pm ADJOURN
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