2013 Fall Medico-Legal Programs

Psychological Testing in the Context of Independent Clinical Evaluations
Friday, October 4, 2013
Renaissance Toronto Downtown
One Blue Jay Way

mBTI: Mild Traumatic Brain Injury
Friday, October 25th, 2013
Vancouver Marriott Pinnacle Downtown
1128 West Hastings Street
Vancouver, BC V6E 4R5

Fibromyalgia Syndrome A Multi-Disciplinary Forum
Friday, November 8th, 2013
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Toronto, ON M5V 1J4

DSM-V Medico-legal Impact: Changes and Controversies
Friday, December 6th, 2013
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mTBI: Mild Traumatic Brain Injury
Friday, October 25, 2013
8:00 am to 5:00 pm
Vancouver Marriott Pinnacle Downtown-1128 West Hastings Street
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Learning Objectives:
- Learn the anatomy, pathology and physiology of Brain injuries.
- Understand the classification criteria for Brain injuries defined by several different organizations.
- Learn the diagnostic criteria for Severe, Moderate, and Mild Brain Injuries.
- Identify the clinical and behavioural characteristics of injuries in each category. Define the prognosis for injuries in each category.
- Review neuropsychological testing. How is cognitive status defined? What do various cognitive tests mean?

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

8:00 Registration & Continental Breakfast
8:30 Welcome and Overview: Dr. Fabien Gagnon, CSME Board President
8:45 Anatomy and Physiology of Brain Injuries: Dr. Deon Louw
9:30 Brain Injuries from Mild to Severe-Expected Cognitive Findings and Prognosis: Dr. Arlin Pachet
10:15 Q&A Period
10:45 Networking Break
11:00 Defining Traumatic Brain Injury and its Correlates with Dr. John Hickie
11:30 Interactive Panel Discussion—with the morning speakers Moderator: Dr. Fabien Gagnon
12:00 Lunch
1:00 mTBI and the Medico-Legal Consultant: A Psychiatrist Perspective with Dr. Keith Gibson
2:00 Proving a Mild Traumatic Brain Injury: A Legal Perspective: Ms. Barbara Webster-Evans
2:45 Interactive Afternoon Panel—with the afternoon speakers Moderator: Dr. Fabien Gagnon
3:30 Q&A Period
4:00 Program Evaluation and Closing Remarks

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CSME Member $325 ($364.00)  | Non-Member $450 ($504.00)

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□ Newsletter
□ Other: ___________________________________________________________________________________

Would you like to receive information about our membership?
□ I do not wish to have my information published in a attendee list.

Do you work in an organization that has a number of professionals who would be interested in our programs? Enroll 4 people pay for 3 people. Must belong to the same company and register together.
About US:

The Canadian Society of Medical Evaluators (CSME) exists to serve Canadian healthcare professionals who perform medical and medico-legal evaluations as a professional service to employers, workplace safety and insurance or workers compensation boards or CSST, lawyers and the insurance industry, using evidence based medicine, best clinical practices and practice guidelines.

Member clinicians have the opportunity to contribute to the development, advancement and publication of ethical standards and guidelines for medical evaluators; to advise and offer expert consultation to the medical and other professions, organizations, and government agencies on all matters concerning independent medical evaluations in Canada; and to assist those hoping to locate available clinicians with suitable expertise.

CSME’s Key Role:

- Knowledge and Expertise: Provide a forum for sharing knowledge, experience and ideas amongst Canadian medical evaluators. Assist physicians who wish to develop the skills and expertise necessary to provide professional quality medico-legal services. Advise the medical profession at large, as well as other professions, organizations and government agencies, on all matters regarding medical evaluations;

- Education: Provide education regarding third party independent evaluations through seminars, workshops and podcasts;

- Standards: Unite into a single organization all Canadian practitioners who are committed to the highest possible professional standards in the performance of third party medical evaluations. Advance the interests of members by developing and publishing appropriate standards, guidelines and positions related to practical, professional, ethical medico-legal work;

- Advocacy: Be available as an expert body for consultation by other organizations and government agencies on all matters concerning medical evaluations in Canada;

- Referrals: Assist the legal profession and insurance industry in locating physicians with suitable expertise, who are regionally available and interested in offering their services;

- Networking and Communications: Provide an opportunity to meet colleagues and share best practices. Communicate newsworthy information to members from across the country from newsletters and the CSME website. You can use our existing pamphlets to educate your clients on what an independent assessment is and our positions on various issues relevant to the practice of independent evaluations such as surveillance and chaperoning.

Don’t delay any further – join today and be part of a growing association. Any questions contact our office at 416.487.4040 and speak with Cristina, who will be able to answer all your questions and assist you with getting your membership processed.

Where to submit your application: 301-250 Consumers Road, Toronto, ON M2J 4V | Fax: 416 495 8723 eMail: info@csme.org Website: www.csme.org | Fax: 416 495 8723

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GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MULTI YEAR DISCOUNT! You can opt for a multi year membership plan and receive a discount on your total membership fee. With the plan, you won’t have to worry about renewing for at least 3 years, and you will save $50-$100.

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**A combination of 1st time application fee $100 (+ tax) must be submitted. Upon approval an invoice will be issued for $350 (+ tax) along with your welcome package.**

Eligibility Requirements

- The minimum of seven (7) years as a family physician or general practitioner, and five (5) years as a specialist.
- Good standing with the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada.
- A medical license, current and unrestricted.
- Must submit two examples of recent medico-legal evaluations (patient identifiers blanked out) with application;
- Application must be sponsored by two general members—provide their information;
- Review of credentials and medico-legal evaluations for membership is completely confidential and privacy is protected;
- Upon approval—applicant will be given a full membership and access.

These samples will be graded based on the ability to do the following:

- Obtain a relevant, suitably detailed medico-legal history;
- Complete and describe a relevant, in-depth clinical examination;
- Critically review and analyze case documentation and identify deficiencies in the database;
- Use clinical evidence to derive and clearly communicate diagnoses, impairments, and resultant disabilities;
- Fully address the issue of causality by reference to logical reasoning, the evidence as a whole, and formal causation rules;
- Express conclusions in fair and unbiased terms, with proper reference to the database, assessment, literature and evidence based practices.

Benefits: Upon successful admission to the Canadian Society of Medical Evaluators, the applicant will receive:

- Letter of acceptance and a membership certificate;
- Publication of the CSME News, and all current Standards, Guidelines, and Positions;
- Immediate recognition of acceptance to the standards and guidelines of CSME, qualities sought by third party organizations;
- Membership pricing for all CSME seminars, conferences and other activities;
- Access to Members-Only area of the CSME website;
- Voting rights at all meetings but have certain restrictions with respect to the election of the representatives of Associate members;
- Ability to use the CSME logo, or otherwise publicly or privately convey their affiliation with CSME;
- At no extra cost, to have their name and practice listed on the CSME website for those seeking expertise.

(Please type or print clearly) □ Dr. _______________________________________________

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- Advance notice of CSME programs;
- Preferential membership pricing for all CSME events, publications, and podcasts & webinars;
- Ability to use the CSME logo, or otherwise publicly or privately convey their affiliation with CSME;
- Access to Members-Only area of the CSME website.

Eligibility Requirements: An individual with an interest in the assessment of health and function as these relate to impairment and disability is eligible for Associate Membership.

Please identify your occupation:
- Psychologist
- Chiropractor
- Physiotherapist
- Health Centre
- Kinesiologist
- Investigator
- Plaintiff Lawyer
- Defence Lawyer
- Medical Advisor
- Social Worker
- Claims Manager
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SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

8:00  Registration & Continental Breakfast
8:45  Welcome and Introduction

9:00  Overview of Psychological Testing: Dr. Michael Bagby
  •  Brief Historical Overview
  •  Types of tests (objective, projective, etc.)
  •  Purpose
  •  Limitations
  •  Test Construction/ Development (validity; reliability)
  •  Q & A

10:00  Networking Break

10:15  Introduction to Clinical & Personality Evaluation: Dr. Jeremy Frank
  •  Methods of assessment (MMPI, MCMI-III, PAI, etc.)
  •  IME case examples
  •  Q & A

11:00  Essentials of Neuropsychological Evaluation: Dr. Konstantine Zakzanis
  •  Methods of assessment (various defined batteries, uni-dimensional tests)
  •  Components (i.e., cognitive [IQ concept], motor, sensory, neuro-psychiatric, vocational, effort)
  •  Integration with other assessment methods
  •  Q & A

12:00  Issues in IME Clinical & Neuropsychological Testing – Interactive Panel: Dr. Michael Bagby & Dr. Konstantine Zakzanis

12:30  Lunch

1:30  Psycho-vocational Evaluation: Dr. Daniel Cohen
  •  Methods of assessment (defined batteries, un-dimensional tests)
  •  Components (i.e., cognitive, intelligence, aptitudes, interests, personality)
  •  Integration with other assessment methods
  •  Q & A

2:15  Malingering / Dissimulation Assessment: Dr. Gerald Young
  •  Specific tests
  •  Caveats
  •  IME case example

3:00  Networking Break

3:15  The Use of Psychological Testing as a part of a Complete Method in Psycholegal Assessment: Dr. Brian Levitt
  •  Training and experience
  •  the Psychological method
  •  Mohan and Daubert Issues
  •  Understanding invalid data
  •  Hypothesis testing
  •  Integrating Psychological testing into the overall assessment
  •  Interpretation
  •  Culture, language and other factors
  •  Testimony

4:00  Issues in IME Psych-vocational & Dissimulation Testing: Interactive Expert Panel: Dr. Fabien Gagnon, Dr. Gerald Young, Mr. David Lauder & Mr. Joel Dick, Howie, Sacks & Henry LLP

5:00  Program Evaluation and Closing Remarks

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SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

8:00  Registration & Continental Breakfast

8:45  Welcome & Introduction:  Dr. Kathleen Armitage, Morning Moderator

9:00  The 2010 American College of Rheumatology Preliminary Diagnostic Criteria for Fibromyalgia and Measurement of Symptoms Severity: Dr. Mary-Ann Fitzcharles

9:40  DSM-5 and Pain:

10:20  Networking Break

10:50  Managing Pain-Related Work Disability

11:30  Panel Discussion

12:00  Lunch

1:00  Pain Symptoms Validity in the Context of Litigation

1:40  Costing and Proving Chronic Pain:

2:20  Networking Break

2:50  Work Reintegration: The OPSEU Experience

3:30  Fibromyalgia Long Term Disability Jurisprudence in Ontario

4:10  Panel Discussion

4:50  Program Evaluation and Closing Remarks

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8:00  Registration & Continental Breakfast

8:30  Welcome & Introduction: Dr. Fabien Gagnon

8:45  DSM-5 Changes Overview  
   - The Introduction of Dimensions  
   - New categories  
   - Screening Tools, Severity Scales and Cultural Assessment  
   - Key Diagnostic Changes

9:30  The Intelligent Clinician’s Approach to DSM-5: Dr. Joel Paris

10:00 Morning Networking Break

10:15  Mood disorders, anxiety disorders, trauma and stressor-related disorders.

11:15  Somatic symptoms and related disorders, substance-related and addictive disorders, neurocognitive disorders, personality disorders, other conditions that may be the focus of a clinical attention

12:15  Lunch  Join us—as we honour Dr. Jack Richman, the third recipient of the “Michel Lacerte Award”

1:15  Workshop A* choose one—this can be done the day of [onsite]
2:15  Workshop B* choose one—this can be done the day of [onsite]

3:15  Afternoon Networking Break

3:30  Main controversies and pitfalls for the IME consultant (overview of workshops)

4:15  Group Discussion

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The “Michel Lacerte Award of Excellence” is granted to a person who has made exceptional contributions throughout their careers to the Canadian Society of Medical Evaluators and the field of independent medical evaluation.

☐ Lunch ONLY “honour Dr. Jack Richman, the fourth recipient of the “Michel Lacerte Award of Excellence” $ 56.50

Michel Lacerte Award—Luncheon RSVP Form

Guest Name:

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Cancellation: Refunds will be provided for cancellations received in writing no later than 48 hours in advance of the lunch.
We are seeking people interested in volunteering for the following committees:

* Education
* Membership
* Communication

If interested and would like more information contact Renee Levine by email rlevine@csme.org