Keynote to be followed by a networking reception

Saturday Session – March 25 (CLE 4.0, CME 4.0, *UH CRME 4.0)

7:00 a.m.  Registration & Breakfast
8:00 a.m.  Welcome & Introductions
8:15 a.m.  MACRA - Plenary Session

Overview
The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act of 2010 (ACA) created the National Quality Strategy (NQS) and included the redesign of Medicare’s fee-for-service (FFS) payment structure. As set out in the new Medicare Access and CHIP Reauthorization Act of 2015 (MACRA) legislation signed into law in April 2015, physicians will now submit quality measures through the Merit-based Incentive Program System (MIPS). MACRA replaces the Medicare Sustainable Growth Rate (SGR) and puts into place two types of quality payment programs. The panelists in this session will delve into the new payment systems to be implemented under MACRA.

Speakers
Cathy Costello, JD; Director, CliniSyncPLUS Consulting, Ohio Health Information Partnership; Howard Pitluk, MD, MPH, FACS, Health Services Advisory Group (HSAG) Vice President for Medical Affairs & Chief Medical Officer; Robert Furno MD, MPH, MBA; Chief Medical Officer at the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services - Invited

11:30 a.m.  Break

* The AMCNO has obtained approval from University Hospitals (UH) for 5.0 hours of Clinical Risk Management Education (CRME) credit for those physicians participating in the UH Sponsored Physician Program.

Summit details continued:
Overview
Ohio became the 25th state to legalize medical marijuana when H.B. 523 was signed into law by Governor Kasich on June 6, 2016. Although this law became effective September 8, 2016, the Medical Marijuana Advisory Committee, State Medical Board, State Board of Pharmacy and Ohio Department of Commerce currently are currently crafting specific provisions mandated by the law at time of publication. The medical marijuana program will become fully operational on September 8, 2018. On that date, certified physicians will be able to recommend medical marijuana for 26 approved conditions.

This panel will provide an overview of what's ahead for medical marijuana in Ohio. It will review evidence for marijuana as a medicine and explain the rules and regulations for physicians, patients, caregivers, employers, municipalities, cultivators, processors, testing laboratories, and dispensaries.

Speakers
Cassandra L. Manna, Esq., Roetzel & Andress, LPA; Jerry Mitchell, MD, Medical Marijuana Advisory Panel

Law & Medical Students (limited seats)
$75 CMBA Members, AMCNO Members & other Health Care Provider
$125 Non-Members
$15 Law & Medical Students (limited seats)

Legal Issues in the Care of the “Vulnerable” Patient
Overview
Physicians often encounter patients who are “vulnerable” for a variety of reasons (e.g., psychiatric illness, aging and cognitive decline, intellect limitations). These people are sometimes prone to poor decision-making that puts them at risk. Although we observe these patients making poor decisions, struggling with life events and often neglecting medical care, in the medical setting we often do not have the time, resources, or knowledge to address these issues.

The purpose of this panel is to outline basic concepts of capacity and competency, legal and practical definitions of abuse and neglect, etc., prior to discussing general approaches to these common situations. We will provide information on local resources available when faced with such situations in the medical setting.

Speakers
Cynthia Norwood, Executive Director, The Arc of Greater Cleveland; Chuck Corea, In-House Attorney, Cuyahoga County Board of Developmental Disabilities; Ewald J. Horwath, MD., Department of Mental Health, The MetroHealth System

Registration

Please select one breakout session:

Breakout Session: ☐ Medical Marijuana OR ☐ Legal Issues in the Care of the “Vulnerable” Patient

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This program will give participants a medical-legal overview of changes in the health care delivery systems, their impact on the practice of medicine, and various strategies to meet these challenges.

Global Desired Learning Outcomes: At the completion of the session, participants should be able to: Increased knowledge of current rules and regulations and how they impact the practice of medicine; Increased knowledge of the risks and legal ramifications of medical lawsuits; Increased knowledge of the legal and medical ramifications of treating patients with behavioral issues; Recognize the issues related to medical marijuana.