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Minneapolis to host pediatric hospital medicine meeting

"Innovation from Bedside to Board Room" is the theme of Pediatric Hospital Medicine 2010, July 22-25 at the Hyatt Regency Minneapolis.

In its fifth year, the event focuses on pediatric hospitalists' role in pediatric care now and in the future. Courses are applicable to pediatric hospitalists, pediatric department chairs, pediatric teaching program directors, directors of general pediatric divisions, general academic pediatricians, pediatric residents, pediatric nurse practitioners, pediatric physician assistants and physicians who participate in the medical care of hospitalized children.

Courses focus on clinical education, practice management/leadership, quality/safety and research.

Highlights include:

- "Pain Management in Children: The Concept of Broad-Band Analgesia," with Stefan J. Friedrichsdorf, M.D., medical director, pain and palliative care, Children's Hospitals and Clinics of Minnesota, Minneapolis;
- "How to Evaluate, Improve and Teach Quality Handoffs," with Erin E. Shaughnessy, M.D., FAAP, assistant professor of pediatrics at the Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee;
- "QI 101: Quality Improvement in the Hospital Setting: What Do I Need To Know and How Do I Do It?" with Stephen E. Muething, M.D., FAAP, associate professor of general and com-

munity pediatrics at University of Cincinnati College of Medicine and assistant vice president of patient safety at Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center; Jayne M. Stuart, M.P.H., director, quality transformation at National Association of Children's Hospitals and Related Institutions, Alexandria, Va.; and Paul D. Hain, M.D., FAAP, associate chief of staff at Monroe Carell Jr. Children's Hospital at Vanderbilt, Nashville, Tenn.;

- "QI 201: Masters Cohort," with Dr. Muething and Stuart; and
- "Hospitalists in Transport: Getting It Right," with Bryan R. Fine, M.D., M.P.H., FAAP, pediatric hospitalist at Children's Hospital of the King's Daughters, Norfolk, Va.

Sponsored by the AAP Section on Hospital Medicine, the Academic Pediatric Association and the Society of Hospital Medicine, the course offers up to 19 AMA PRA Category 1 credits.

RESOURCES

For more information on continuing medical education (CME) meeting registration, brochures and general meeting information, call the AAP Customer Service Center at 866-THE-AAP1 (866-843-2271). To enroll in a CME activity, visit www.pedialink.org/cmefinder or call 800-433-9016, option 3. Outside the United States and Canada, call 847-434-4000.