



2012 CALL FOR SPEAKERS

The Pennsylvania Annual Statewide EMS Conference is celebrating 35 years!

The 35th Annual Statewide EMS Conference will be held at the Lancaster County Convention Center and Marriott at Penn Square in Lancaster, PA.

The 2012 Conference will be held August 16-17, 2012

The Pennsylvania Emergency Health Services Council (PEHSC) invites EMS educators, as well as experts from related fields and clinical researchers, to present lecture programs at this conference. Presenting is an excellent way to showcase your hospital, EMS agency, or personal accomplishments and expertise while interacting with EMS and clinical providers from across the state. Pennsylvania providers and clinicians place great value on relevant presentations made by clinical leaders and industry experts.

The Pennsylvania EMS Conference brings together over 400 basic- and advanced-life-support providers, EMS educators, agency managers, registered nurses, exhibitors, and others for two days of education on both clinical and non-clinical topics. Continuing education credits are provided to both EMS providers and registered nurses as approved by the Pennsylvania Department of Health and Pennsylvania Department of Education. Pennsylvania's EMS protocols and scope of practice can be found at www.paemsinfo.pehsc.org for the purposes of tailoring presentations.

The format of this year's program is subject to change but consists of two days of education – both general concepts and focused content.

Day 1 – Focused Content Symposium	Day 2 – General EMS Conference
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Symposium hours: 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. • Two simultaneous tracks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Pediatrics ○ Cardiology (tentative topic) • Variety of 60- and 90-minute sessions • Evening networking reception with the exhibitors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conference hours: 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. • Potential 7:00 a.m. “sunrise session” • Variety of 60- and 90-minute sessions

While the tentative conference schedule does not accommodate preconference sessions, submissions for both 4- and 8-hour preconference workshops are being accepted.

Due to changes in the process to apply for continuing education credits, prospective speakers **must** complete the attached biographical form, conflict of interest statement, and session outline. A session outline should be completed for all sessions that you would like to have considered. Existing session outlines that include the requested information (objectives, content/topics, time frame, methods) will be accepted and do not need to be transposed into the provided table. Failure to complete all paperwork will invalidate the proposal.

Thank you for your interest in presenting at Pennsylvania's Annual EMS Conference.

Completed speaker packets should be sent to: PEHSC, 600 Wilson Lane, Suite 101, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055
 Fax: (717) 795-0741 or Email: smrozowski@pehsc.org

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Speaker Biographical/Data Form

Speaker name:

Degrees/Credentials:

Mailing Address:

Daytime Telephone:

Email Address:

Present Position (Title):

Present Employer:

Describe your expertise in the topic(s) you are offering to present:

Biographic Information for Brochure and On-line promotional materials:

Have you presented at other EMS related conferences? If yes, please list:

***Please attach CV/Resume when submitting this document**

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Conflict of Interest Disclosures

Having an interest in an organization does not prevent a speaker from making a presentation, but the audience must be informed of this relationship prior to the start of the activity and any potential conflict must be resolved. In order to ensure balance, independence, objectivity, and scientific rigor at all programs, the planners and faculty must make full disclosure indicating whether the planner, faculty, or content specialist and/or his/her immediate family members have any relationships with sources of commercial support, e.g. pharmaceutical companies, biomedical device manufacturers, and/or corporations whose products or services are related to pertinent therapeutic areas. All planners, faculty, and content specialists participating in CE activities must disclose to the audience any of the following:

- A. Relationship with companies who manufacture products used in the treatment of the subjects under discussion
- B. Relationship between the planner, faculty, or content specialist and commercial supporter(s) of the activity
- C. Intent to discuss unlabeled uses of a commercial product or an investigational use of a product not yet approved for this purpose.

All information disclosed must be shared with the audience either on the program handouts, advertising, and/or audiovisual presentation.

- A. Is there a relationship with companies who manufacture products used in the treatment of the subjects under discussion:

Yes No **If yes, list company(ies) with relationship:**

Relationship Name of Commercial Company(ies)

Research Support

Speaker's Bureau

Consultant

Shareholder

Other Support

Large Gift(s)

- B. Is there a discussion of unlabeled uses? Yes No

If yes, you must disclose this information during your presentation. How will you do this?

1. Verbal statement during the presentation
2. Information provided on handouts
3. Information provided in audiovisuals
4. Other: Describe:

- C. How will any conflict of interest be resolved?

1. Have discussed this conflict with individual who is now aware of and agrees to our policy.
2. Presenter has signed a statement that says s/he will present information fairly and without bias.
3. RN with minimum of BSN or designee will monitor session to ensure conflict does not arise.
4. Not applicable since no conflict of interest.
5. Other: Describe:

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Signature: _____ Date: _____

**By checking this box, I am providing my electronic signature approving all the information entered above.
(Please enter name and date on signature and date lines above).**

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Session Outline

Title of Educational Session:

Presenter:

Description of Session (50 words max.):

Objectives	Content/Topics	Time Frame	Presenter	Methods
List learner's objectives in behavioral terms	Provide an outline of the content for each objective. It must be more than a restatement of the objectives	State the time frame (in minutes) for each objective	List the faculty for each objective	Describe the teaching methods, strategies, materials & resources for each objective (lecture, power-point, audience participation)

Please use behavioral objectives so that nursing credits can be applied for.

Behavioral keyword examples (use these) – write, recite, list, state, name, compare, contrast, identify

Non-behavioral keyword examples (avoid these) – know, think, learn, remember, understand, recognize

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