Quality in Geriatric and Long-Term Care Medicine

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<td>Journal Club – The Electronic Medical Record and its Impact on the Practice of Geriatric Medicine (location details provided upon registration)</td>
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<td>Business Meeting of the Tennessee Geriatrics Society (TGS) &amp; Tennessee Association of Long-Term Care Physicians (TALTCP)</td>
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Schedule subject to change.
Faculty

Course Director
James Powers, MD
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Tennessee Valley Healthcare System
Associate Director, VA Geriatric Research, Education and Clinical Care Center (GRECC)

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Geriatric Nurse Practitioner

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Staff Nurse

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Nurse Manager

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Director, Center for Health Services Research

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Staff Pharmacist

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Assistant Professor of Medicine

Ralf Habermann, MD
Assistant Professor of Medicine

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Sumi Misra, MD
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Josh Peterson, MD
Assistant Professor of Medicine

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Geriatric Nurse Practitioner, Senior Care Service

John Schnelle, PhD
Professor of Medicine and Director, Center for Quality Aging

Sandra Simmons, PhD
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H. Keipp Talbott, MD
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Staci Thomas, RN
Staff Nurse
VA TN Valley Healthcare System Faculty

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Melinda Henderson, MD
Physician
Alive Hospice, Nashville, TN

Lynn Knott, PharmD
Pharmacist
NHC Health Care at Cool Springs, Franklin TN
Statement of Educational Need
The purpose of this conference is to 1) enhance long-term care providers’ clinical management through exposure to best practices and evidence-based care recommendations in geriatrics medical care. Areas of clinical focus will include palliative care, hospice, sleep disorders, immunizations, and prescribing patterns in geriatric medicine. 2) Expose geriatricians, nurses, and pharmacists to clinical care applications related to GRECC research as well as quality assurance issues. 3) Increase participants’ use of new opportunities in medical information management provided by the Electronic Medical Record (EMR).

Target Audience
The target audience includes long-term care (nursing home) physicians, nurses/APNs and pharmacists. Community geriatric medicine physicians, nurses/APNs and pharmacists from Tennessee and surrounding states are also encouraged to participate. While providers with specialty training in geriatrics are expected to attend, it is anticipated that most will not have formal training in geriatrics.

Objectives
Upon completion of this program, participants should be able to describe and discuss:
- criteria for patients in need of palliative and comfort care
- the differences between hospice care and palliation
- the standards of practice in the areas of sleep disorders, immunizations and medications prescribing for older adults
- the role quality assurance issues play in their organizations’ delivery of clinical care to older adults
- the issue of the electronic medical record and its role or potential role in providers’ clinical care

Accreditation
This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint sponsorship of Vanderbilt University School of Medicine and the Mid South Chapter of the Alzheimer’s Association. Vanderbilt University School of Medicine is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Designation of Credit
Vanderbilt University School of Medicine designates this educational activity for a maximum of 10.75 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Cancellation Policy
If you must cancel your registration for this course, Vanderbilt University will refund your registration fee, less a $25 administrative fee, provided you notify us by October 5, 2007. No refunds will be made after that date. Exceptions will be made for justifiable emergencies. Registration may be transferred to another person. In the event of cancellation or rescheduling of this CME activity due to unforeseen circumstances, Vanderbilt University will refund registration fees in full. Vanderbilt University is not responsible for non-transferable, non-refundable airline tickets or hotel accommodations purchased in connection with attendance at this CME activity.

Meeting Location
The Vanderbilt University Student Life Center is located at 310 25th Avenue South on Vanderbilt’s campus. Detailed directions and a map, along with parking instructions will be sent with your registration confirmation materials.

Americans with Disabilities Act
It is the policy of Vanderbilt University School of Medicine and the Mid South Chapter of the Alzheimer’s Association not to discriminate against any person on the basis of disabilities. If you feel you need services or auxiliary aids mentioned in this act in order to fully participate in this continuing education activity, please contact Wilma Cooley at (615) 460-1650 (email: wilmac@tma.medwire.org) or attach a note to your registration form.

For Further Information
Please contact Wilma Cooley at (615) 460-1650 (email: wilmac@tma.medwire.org) or Donna Rosenstiel at (615) 936-0918 (email: donna.rosenstiel@vanderbilt.edu).

Accommodations
A group rate has been negotiated for a limited number of hotel rooms at the Nashville Marriott at Vanderbilt University for attendees of this program. Rooms are available on a first-come, first-serve basis and may be reserved by contacting the Nashville Marriott by telephone at (615) 321-1300 or online at www.marriott.com. Attendees are responsible for making their own travel and hotel arrangements.

Faculty Disclosure
It is the policy of Vanderbilt University School of Medicine and the Mid South Chapter of the Alzheimer’s Association that participants in CME activities be made aware of any affiliation or financial interest that may affect the speaker’s presentation(s). Each speaker has completed and signed a conflict-of-interest statement. The faculty members’ relationships will be disclosed to the audience.
Registration Form

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*Your registration confirmation will be sent by e-mail.

☐ I will attend the City-Wide Geriatrics Journal Club on the evening of Friday, October 19.
☐ I will attend the Tennessee Geriatrics Society/Tennessee Association of Long-Term Care Physicians business meeting on Saturday, October 20.

Registration Fees (please check one)

☐ Physician $60.00
☐ Other Health Care Professional $50.00
☐ VA Employees (limited to the first 25 registrants) fee waived

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