CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION



Edmund G. Beacham 48th Annual

Current Topics in Geriatrics – A Virtual Series

March 10, 17 and 24, 2021 • 1:00 - 5:15 PM

PRE-CONFERENCE SESSION

Tuesday, March 9, 2021 • 4:00 – 6:00 PM

Cultural Competence in Dementia Care

DESCRIPTION

As the older adult population lives longer and becomes increasingly diverse, it is imperative that we offer high quality continuing education in the care and management of geriatric patients. Most physicians have received very little or no formal geriatrics training, despite this growing trend in the number of older adults they care for. The activity will improve knowledge about diseases and syndromes common in the elderly and offer practical and effective guides to their management and address cultural competence in providing care. It will address the specific challenges faced in 2020 including the COVID-19 pandemic and racial/ethnic inequities and impact on older adults and the health care team.

This activity has been approved for AMA PRA Category I Credits[™].



Dr. Beacham's vision when he developed the course in 1972 was to provide scientifically based practical, clinical talks focused on improving the health care of individual seniors. It is in that spirit that we dedicated Topics in Geriatrics to his memory when he died in May 2008 at the age of 93. Through this and subsequent courses, we will bring together many of his trainees and colleagues to give the sort of talks he demanded.



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We wish to acknowledge the support of the Johns Hopkins Geriatrics Workforce Enhancement Program.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This activity is intended for geriatricians, internists, family practitioners, physician assistants, nurses, nurse practitioners, social workers, pharmacists, physical therapy and other health professionals involved in caring for seniors.

TOPICS INCLUDE:

- Pre-conference: Cultural Competence in Dementia Care
- Beacham Lecture: Why Are Health Disparities Everyone's Problem?
 Lisa Cooper, MD, MPH
 Bloomberg Distinguished Professor, Equity in Health and Healthcare
 Director, Johns Hopkins Center for Health Equity
- Update on COVID-19
- Top 5 Journal Articles for 2020
- Concurrent Breakout Sessions

METHODS OF PAYMENT

We require full payment prior to the start of the activity.

Entire Series (March 9, 10, 17, 24)\$150	
Registration for March 10 only\$75	

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