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***XXIV ANNUAL CONVENTION OF MAMCOAANA***

***Presents***

**Update in Medicine**

To be held at  
**The Westin at Riverwalk**

**San Antonio, Texas**

**August 1 – 3, 2008**



Arizona Health Sciences Center

**Sponsored for CME by  
The University of Arizona College of Medicine  
at the Arizona Health Sciences Center**

## **ACCREDITATION**

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the Joint Sponsorship of the University of Arizona College of Medicine at the Arizona Health Sciences Center and MAMCOAANA. The University of Arizona College of Medicine at the Arizona Health Sciences Center is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The University of Arizona College of Medicine at the Arizona Health Sciences Center designates this educational activity for a maximum of **8.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)**<sup>™</sup>. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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## **TARGET AUDIENCE**

This program is intended for the physicians who are alumni of MAMCOAANA who belong to various specialties of medicine.

## **FORMAT**

The program will consist of four-hour sessions for each day. There will be didactic lectures, followed by a discussion period.

## **OBJECTIVES**

1. Discuss Role of Evidence-Based Medicine
2. Assess Updates in Cardiology, Liver Disease, Cancer, Fibromyalgia, and Psychiatry
3. Review new modalities in Evaluation of Lung Cancer
4. Recognize issues in Heart Disease – Especially in Ethnic Indians (Asians): The Role of Diet and Behavior Modification

## **NEEDS ASSESSMENT**

Topics were developed from previous evaluations, faculty perception, and participant requests. Suggestions were made to include topics that will help the primary care physician and not just specialists.

## **AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT**

Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation by contacting Dr. Rakesh Nanda @ 480-609-0369, or email at [manda@cox.net](mailto:manda@cox.net). Request should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

## **TAX DEDUCTIBLE STATUS**

Each physician should contact his/her accountant about the deductibility of this program.

## FACULTY

- Rakesh Nanda MD COURSE ORGANIZER  
Gastroenterology, Carl T Hayden VAMC, Phoenix, AZ, and  
Assistant Professor Clinical Medicine, University of Arizona,  
Tucson, AZ
- Jagdish Dang MD Chair, Department of Psychiatry, Barnert Hospital. Assistant  
Clinical Professor, Psychiatry, University of Medicine and  
Dentistry of New Jersey, West Paterson, NJ
- Nikhil Goyal MD Associate Residency Director and EM/IM Coordinator,  
Department of Emergency Medicine, Henry Ford Health System,  
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- Vikas Khurana MD Associate Professor, Medicine, Temple University School of  
MBA Medicine, Section of Gastroenterology, Philadelphia, PA
- Prem Kumar MD Cardiologist, Private Practice, Butler, PA
- R K Marwah MD Clinical Professor, Internal Medicine, Division of Rheumatology,  
Texas Tech University, El Paso, TX
- Meenakshi Pandit MD - Staff Radiologist, Teleradiology Solutions, Kenner, LA
- Bhushan Pandya MD - Danville Gastroenterology Center, Danville, VA
- Arun Sanyal MBBS Charles Caravati Professor of Medicine. Chairman, Division of  
MD Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition, and Professor of  
Pharmacology and Molecular Pathology, Virginia  
Commonwealth University-Medical College of Virginia,  
Richmond, VA
- Gulshan Sethi MD Professor, Department of Surgery, Section of Cardiothoracic  
Surgery. Medical Director, Circulatory Sciences Program,  
University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ
- Alka Srivastava MD- Oncologist, Staff Appointment, Claxton Hepburn Medical  
Center, Ogdensburg, NY
- Renu Thapar MD Psychiatrist Services, Houston, TX

## **FACULTY DISCLOSURES**

The following faculty disclosed that they have a financial interest or affiliation with one or more corporate organizations:

Raj Kumar Marwah – States he is on the Speaker’s Bureau for Lilly, Roche/ GlaxoSmithKline, Proctor & Gamble and Aventis. His presentation will include discussion of unlabeled/investigational drug use with Denusomab, Zoledronic Acid and Pamidronate

The following faculty declared that they have no financial interest, arrangement, or affiliation that would constitute a conflict of interest concerning this CME activity:

Jagdish Dang  
Nikhil Goyal  
Prem Kumar

Rakesh Nanda  
Meenakshi Pandit  
Bhushan Pandya

Arun Sanyal  
Gulshan Sethi  
Alka Srivastava

Other than listed individually, each of the above stated that their presentation will not include discussion of any commercial products or devices or unlabeled/investigational drug use.

### **CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE**

**The University of Arizona College of Medicine at the Arizona Health Sciences Center**

Steven J. Barker, PhD, MD – Receives Grant/Research Support from Masimo

Sammy Campbell, MD – Receives Grant/Research Support from: Novartis

Consultant: Schering-Plough. Speakers' Bureau: Schering-Plough, Sepracor, Boehringer-Ingelheim, Pfizer

Myra L. Muramoto, MD MPH – Received Grant/Research Support from: Pfizer Pharmaceuticals and Sanofi-Aventis

Frank Walter, MD, FACEP, FACMT, FAACT – Receives Grant/Research Support from: The Office of the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response (ASPR) and Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA); Editor for Advanced Hazmat Life Support (AHLS); Director of the AHLS Program at the University of Arizona

The following CME Committee members have stated they have nothing to disclose:

Gail Barker MBA, PhD, Tom Reichenbacher, MD, Rifat Latifi, MD, FACS, Todd Vanderah, PhD, and Amy Waer, MD

Office of CME: Kathryn O’Neill, Program Coordinator Sr, OCME

**CME AGENDA**  
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**Aug 1<sup>st</sup> 2008 Friday**

**8:30 Introduction and opening remarks - Rakesh Nanda, MD**

**Moderator- Rakesh Nanda, MD**

8:30-9:00 The Heart Valves - Past, Present and Future – A 15 year follow-up  
Gulshan Sethi MD

9:00-9:30 Affairs of the Heart  
Prem Kumar, MD

9:30-10:00 How to Recognize and Help with Physician Impairment?  
Renu Thapar, MD

10:00-10:30 Roundtable Discussion and Coffee Break

**Moderator: Bhupesh Kaul, MD**

10:30-11:00 NAFLD - Implications For and Beyond the Liver  
Arun Sanyal, MD

11:00-11:30 Colorectal Cancer  
Rajeev Malik MD

11:30-12:00 Education in India  
Bhushan Pandya, MD

12:00-12:30 Round table Discussion

**CME AGENDA**  
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**August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2008 Saturday**

**Moderator: Stish Kathpalia, MD**

8:30-9:00 Fibromyalgia  
Raj Kumar Marwah, MD

9:00-9:30 Evidence Based Medicine- How to Read a Journal Article  
Nikhil Goyal, MD

9.30-10.00 Statins as Cancer Chemopreventive Agents  
Vikas Khurana, MD

10-10:30 Round Table Discussion and Coffee Break

**Moderator: SK Gaur, MD**

10:30-11:00 New Modalities in Lung Cancer Imaging  
Meenakshi Pandit, MD

11:00-11.30 Lung Cancer  
Alka Srivastava, MD

1130-12:00 To Do or Not To - Can We Change Our Mind  
Jagdish Dang, MD

12.00-12:30 Round Table Discussion



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and ultimately improve patient care                    1        2        3        4        5

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