American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) Invites Medical Students, Residents, and Fellowship Trainees to Make New Connections at the 2016 National Conference

The AAP National Conference has a strong history of programming specifically for medical students, residents, and fellowship trainees on Saturday of the conference. This includes keynote speakers who talk about topics of high interest and benefit for each group. The conference also features outstanding programming for all attendees, from hot-topic plenary sessions to small interactive, hands-on workshops. You will enhance your clinical skills, learn from nationally known experts, network, socialize with your peers and AAP leaders, challenge each other at the James W Bass Pediatric Bowl (a quiz competition featuring your fellow residents), and make new friends and connections. The entire National Conference Planning Group and I hope you will be able to attend this year and make this a new tradition!

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### AAP National Conference Attendance Growth Among Medical Students & Pediatric Residents

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<td>Interns/Residents</td>
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Social and Networking Opportunities

**Meet, Greet, and Network with Peers** (Not Designated for CME Credit)

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21**
12:00PM – 4:00PM
AAP Community Cares Project ($0 Registration, Lunch Included)
5:30PM – 8:30PM
President’s Welcome Reception

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22**
7:00PM – 10:00PM
San Francisco Experience!

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23**
7:15AM – 8:00AM
District Breakfast

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 24**
7:30AM – 8:30AM
AAP Friends of Children Fund 5K Fun Run & Walk ($25 Suggested Donation to Participate)

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25**
12:30PM – 1:30PM
James W Bass Pediatric Bowl
- UCSF Benioff Children’s Hospital Oakland
- Kaiser Permanente Northern California Pediatric Residency Training Program
- UCSF Fresno Pediatrics
Educational Sessions

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21
- Global Child Health Course (C0005)
- Peds 21 - The Medium Is the Message: How Electronic Media Are Transforming Our Patients’ World (C0017)
  Supported by AAP Friends of Children Fund

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22
7:30AM – 5:30PM
Section on Medical Students, Residents, and Fellowship Trainees (SOMSRFT) Program (H1016)
  • This session serves as the primary forum for SOMSRFT to elect national officers, develop and approve section resolutions, debut the section’s Annual Advocacy Campaign, and present awards.
  • The Medical Student program will continue to inform students on how to be a competitive residency applicant and how to engage with the AAP and be an advocate for children while in medical school.

6:00PM – 7:00PM
SOMSRFT Reception and Poster Display highlights poster presentations from the SOMSRFT Clinical Case Competition. Dr Kamath, from Pediatrics in Review, attends and determines the winner from the Top 20 finalists.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23
- Talking to Parents: Strategies for Addressing Vaccine Hesitancy (F2007/F1075)
- Practice Transformation: Organizational Change, Payment Reform, and Harnessing New Technology (F2034)
- Breastfeeding Support in Your Practice: a Hands-on Skills Session (I2050)
- Otoscopy Workshop (W2062/W2142)
- Birthmarks: Red, White, Blue, and Brown (F2073)
- Safe and Effective: HPV Vaccine — the Pediatrician’s Critical Role (P2087)
- Demystifying the AAP Policy Process: Statements, Guidelines, and Technical Reports (V2093)
- Council on Early Childhood Program (H2110)
- ADHD: Diagnosis and Management From Preschool to High School (S2139)
- Community Collaboration: Improving Child Health Through Community Development (F2163)

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24
- Top 10 Pediatric Sports Musculoskeletal Injuries: a Case-Based Review (A3045/A3148)
- On and off Campus: Care of the Adolescent After Sexual Assault (F3100/F4003)
- Discussing Immunizations: Communication Without Confrontation (I3114/I4023)
- Fractures, Sprains, and Strains: What Can I Do in My Office? (S3122)
- How To Start a New Pediatric Practice in 5 Easy Steps (S3123)
- Casting and Splinting Workshop (W3127/W3161)
- Talking to Your Patient About Weight: the Skinny on Strategies for Preventing Obesity and Eating Disorders (F3142/F4038)
- Dermatologic Potpourri (A3146/A4073)

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25
- Office Concussion Evaluation: Understanding the ‘Tools’ in the Concussion ‘Tool Box’ (I4024/I4077)
- Fired for Using Facebook: Law, Ethics, Professionalism, and the Use of Social Media (S4080)
- Doctor Heal Thyself: Self-Care for the Pediatrician (S4104)

PLANNING YOUR AAP EXPERIENCE
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