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26th Annual Clinical Update in

GERIATRIC MEDICINE

April 5-7, 2018

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The fastest growing segment of the population comprises individuals above the age of 85 years. The purpose of our conference is to provide an evidence-based approach to help clinicians take exceptional care of these often frail individuals.



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Speakers were selected by a multidisciplinary committee of academic and practicing clinicians and based on two criteria: **(1) expertise** – nationally-recognized and often responsible for advances relative to practice, and **(2) ability** to share it in a practical, succinct, and entertaining way to facilitate its easy incorporation into your practice.

CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

- “Year in Review,” covering highlights of recent advances/controversies
- State-of-the-Art updates on common geriatric conditions, and tailored to each setting, i.e., office, hospital, home, nursing home.
- Geriatric Cardiology Symposium on TAVR, heart failure, lipids, and pulmonary hypertension.
- Special Topics: *New Approaches to Chronic Pain in the Elderly, Practical Incorporation of the Beers List, the Geriatric ER, Geriatric Trauma Consultation, How to Elicit Goals of Care, Deprescribing, Case-based Solutions to Difficult End of Life Issues*
- Multiple breakout sessions allowing attendees to design their own course and affording close interactions with experts on challenging topics and real-world cases
- Keynote Talk on the “*Biology of Aging*” by an internationally renowned authority
 - Board Review for Clinicians
 - Special dinner talk: “*Past, Present and Future of Geriatrics*” by Dr. William Applegate, editor of the *Journal of the AGS* (JAGS), and former president of the American College of Physicians, Dean and Head of the Health System at Wake Forest University, and primary investigator for the seminal SHEP study of systolic hypertension and the landmark SPRINT trial

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