

2010 ACGME ANNUAL EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE
Call for Workshop/Didactic Sessions

The Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) invites workshop and didactic session proposals for the 2010 Annual Educational Conference, scheduled for March 4-7, 2010 at the Gaylord Opryland in Nashville, Tennessee.

All sessions should be able to be facilitated by one or two individuals and will last for 90 minutes. Proposals should be designed for residency program directors, designated institutional officials, program coordinators and others involved in graduate medical education.

Sessions should be interactive and focus on accreditation, education and assessment or innovative approaches in the learning environment. Special consideration will be given to the following topics:

- Creative Scheduling to Meet Duty Hours Requirements
- Innovations in Transitions of Care
- Patient Safety and Error Reductions
- Supervision
- Faculty Development
- Assessment
- Fundamentals of Education
- Teaching of the Competencies
- Program Evaluation

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR WORKSHOPS

Workshop enrollment will be limited to 100 participants.

The most successful workshops:

1. Limit their lecturing and didactics.
2. Are as interactive as possible and encourage discussion and exchange of ideas.
3. Leave at least 20 minutes for discussion.
4. Provide a format for the audience to be heard.
5. Offer concrete deliverables and achievable “take-home” messages and tools.

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR DIDACTIC SESSIONS

Didactic sessions will have up to 300 participants and are meant to be lecture-based but also have some audience participation.

The most successful didactic sessions:

1. Provide current and topical information.
2. Encourage discussion and exchange of ideas.
3. Provide a format for the audience to be heard.
4. Are learner-centered and leave the audience with a take home message.

The deadline to submit a session proposal is Monday, June 8, 2009. Applicants whose workshops are selected will be notified by e-mail the week of June 29, 2009.

Please use the form below to submit a description of no more than one page which lists the description of the workshop/didactic session (including content and activities, if applicable) and the desired learning outcomes to:

ACGME Annual Educational Conference Selection Committee at acgmeconference@acgme.org

If accepted, session organizers are responsible for communication with the Annual Educational Conference Selection Committee to make arrangements for room setup and AV requirements.

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Session Submission Form

Session Title:

Session Type (workshop or didactic):

Presenter(s) (must be limited to two):

Affiliation(s):

Address:

City:

State:

Zip Code:

Phone:

E-mail:

Session Description (include content and activities, if applicable):

Session Objectives (At the end of this session, learners will be able to):

Target Audience:

Presenter Background/Experience in this topic area: