APPD 2015 Annual Spring Meeting

March 25-28

Walt Disney World Swan and Dolphin Resort
Orlando, FL

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APPD LEAD – Candidates for Council Member

October 15

If you are interested in becoming a candidate for a position on the APPD LEAD Council, please see the criteria and details of the selection process on the on-line application site: https://www.appd.org/leadc/begin.cfm.

APPD 2014-2015 Dues Billing

July 2014-June 2015

Several programs have not paid APPD membership dues for 2014-2015. Please watch your email for another reminder, being sent to the residency program director and coordinator and remit your dues as soon as possible. If you are unsure about your program’s status, please contact Daglyn Carr at daglyn@appd.org.

APPD Regional Meetings

Listed at right

APPD Mid-America Region Meeting

October 10, 2014
10am - 4pm
Nationwide Children's, Columbus, OH

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1) APPD 2015 Annual Spring Meeting

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The APPD is excited to announce some changes to this year's abstract submission process.

In an effort to increase high quality submissions from chief residents and other trainees, there will be two separate abstract submission deadlines. The general deadline for workshop and poster abstract submissions, open to all APPD members, will be **October 19th**. In addition, we will offer a second deadline of **February 13th** for any chief residents or other trainees who require more time to complete their projects prior to submission of a poster abstract. Certainly, if a chief resident or trainee is ready to submit in October, they are more than welcome to do so.

We hope that these changes will allow your chief residents and trainees to submit high quality poster abstracts to this year's Spring Meeting.

Another change is that we are now soliciting pre-conference workshop abstracts through the online submission and review process. These pre-conference workshops will be offered on Wednesday, March 25th and will last between 3-4 hours. A detailed agenda and evidence of interactivity is required with this and all other workshop submissions.

The final change is that we are now accepting QI project abstract submissions from everyone. In the past, those abstracts were only accepted from residents and fellows.

[https://www.appd.org/WS_Submission/abstract/index.cfm](https://www.appd.org/WS_Submission/abstract/index.cfm)

We look forward to receiving your workshop and poster abstract submissions. Please do not hesitate to contact us, or info@appd.org, if you have any questions about these new changes, or submissions in general.

2) APPD 2014 Fall Meeting Presentations

Following a very successful meeting in Arlington this month, with nearly 300 attendees, we are pleased to share this link to the [APPD 2014 Fall Meeting Presentations](https://www.appd.org/WS_Submission/abstract/index.cfm). Highlights include EPAs (Core and Specialty Specific), Updates from the ACGME and ABP, Generational Differences, Q&A from ERAS, Best Practice abstracts on the CCC and Milestones, and the IOM Report on GME Governance and Financing.

**LATE BREAKING NEWS: Self-Study Visit Renamed as "10-year Site Visit" by ACGME**

Please note that the ACGME has changed the name of the Self-Study Visit to the "10-year Site Visit." This is to clarify the difference between the ongoing Self-Study and the q10 year site visit by the ACGME. The 10-year Site Visit will not only look at the annual Self-Study material, but actually includes a full site visit. Be sure to look for a Self-Study webpage on the ACGME website in October.

[ACGME Self-Study Slides from APPD Fall Meeting](https://www.appd.org/WS_Submission/abstract/index.cfm)
The APPD is pleased to announce a call for a new member of the APPD LEAD Council. APPD LEAD is a nationally recognized program which provides a unique opportunity for pediatric GME directors to engage and learn from seasoned pediatric educators. Council members are responsible for developing, implementing and evaluating the APPD LEAD program, as well as choosing participants.

If you are interested in becoming a candidate for a position on the Council, please see the criteria and details of the selection process on the APPD LEAD Council on-line application site: https://www.appd.org/leadc/begin.cfm.

All materials must be submitted by October 15, 2014.

All APPD members are assigned to different email listservs based on their position, region and other sub-categories. When you are added to a listserv, you receive a welcome message with important information about your access to the listserv, how to unsubscribe, etc.

And, you may or may not have noticed that you may request to receive everything in Digest form!

- Too busy to read each APPD Listserv email you receive?
- Feeling overwhelmed when a topic seems to take over your Inbox?
- Want to be able to read everything at once...and not be constantly interrupted by incoming emails?
- You can have all of the listserv email messages for a day or two combined into one email!
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Breaking News from Affiliated Organizations

APA Educational Scholars Program

APA New Century Scholars Program

AAP PREP Editorial Board Call for Nominations
AAP 7th edition School Health: Policy & Practice Manual Updates

Opening for Senior Editor for Education for Academic Pediatrics

Manuscripts Wanted for New Feature in Pediatrics

7) "Positions Available" Postings on Website

Since the last APPD Bulletin, SEVEN new positions have been posted. To view all job descriptions, go to: http://www.appd.org/communications/positions.cfm. Simply click on a job header to read more about the position.

If you have posted a position available in the past which has been filled, please remember to inform the APPD office (info@appd.org) so that the posting may be removed. It is our policy to remove positions from the page after three months unless a request to extend is received.

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