

ALL ABOUT OUR CONFERENCE

THE EXCITEMENT

The dress is business casual for daytime. The conference area is air conditioned, so consider bringing a wrap or sweater if you may become chilled. We welcome you to dress comfortably at the cocktail receptions of course. Participants must wear their Conference Badges to all sessions, breaks and lunches. A special item will be distributed for the reception entrance on Thursday evening. There are plenty of opportunities for networking, so bring your business cards to exchange with colleagues and in our Exhibit Hall.

Our Exhibit Hall will open to Participants at 6:00 PM on Wednesday evening. We ask those attending who wish to use their laptop or other computer technologies to take seats in the rear, so as not to disturb other participants and the speakers.

ATLANTIC CITY CONTINUING EDUCATION (THE ACCE'S) INCLUDED WITH REGISTRATION

PANJ IARP has applied to the Commission on Rehabilitation Counselor Certification (CRC), and the Commission for Case Manager Certification (CCM) for up to 12 contact hours of CE credit for this conference.

This activity has been submitted to Pennsylvania State Nurses Association for approval to award contact hours. Pennsylvania State Nurses Association is accredited as an approver of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

All speakers at continuing education activities for this conference are required to disclose to the audience (1) any significant financial relationship with the manufacturer(s) of any commercial products, goods or services and (2) unlabeled/unapproved uses of drugs discussed in their presentations. Such disclosures will be offered in writing or verbally at the time of the conference. Nurses should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity. You can earn up to 1 nursing contact hour for every 60 minutes of educational time. You must complete an evaluation for each session that you attend to receive contact hours. Please call Louise Kaplan at (215) 813-2901 for more information about contact hours.

WHO IS THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF REHABILITATION PROFESSIONALS?

The International Association of Rehabilitation Professionals provides a community for rehabilitation professionals in their quest for education and professional growth, thereby promoting effective, interdisciplinary services for persons with disabilities. IARP serves a diverse membership practicing in the fields of long-term disability and disability management consulting, case management and managed care, forensics and expert testimony, life care planning, and Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) consulting. IARP strives to shape public policy favorable to private-sector rehabilitation by working closely with other professional associations, government and industry. Membership information is available at www.rehabpro.org

BE A SUPERSTAR OR PRODUCER: INTERESTED IN SPONSORSHIPS AND EXHIBITOR OPPORTUNITIES?

Your organization can increase its exposure to rehabilitation professionals by participating in our Exhibit Hall. In addition to exhibiting, premiere sponsorship opportunities are available for Receptions and lunches. For a full exhibitor prospectus, contact Doug Cerminaro at (908) 405-4552 or at marino@comcast.net

THE VENUE? ABOUT THE TROPICANA

The complex is located at Brighton Avenue and The Boardwalk in Atlantic City, NJ. The conference facility is located on the 4th floor of the North Tower. This is easily accessed from the Hotel's Main Lobby and Valet Parking Check-in. There will be a dedicated check-in reception line for IARP guests on Wednesday from 1-6 PM. The conference hotel rate is \$71 per night. Please be sure to use the code HIARP2017 when making your hotel reservation by calling (800) 843-8767. Hotel reservations can be made online at <http://tropac3.net/offercodes/HIARP17>

OUR CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellations must be received in writing prior to 5/30/17 to receive a full refund, less a \$50.00 processing fee. Substitutions will be accepted in writing until 5/30/17. Any questions can be directed to Doug Cerminaro at (908) 405-4552



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SCENE 18TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

STARRING _____

DATE

JUNE 21-23
2017

LOCATION

ATLANTIC CITY, NJ

PENNSYLVANIA & NEW JERSEY CHAPTERS OF IARP PRESENT REHAB ON THE RED CARPET

On behalf of the Conference Committee, we invite you to attend the 18th Annual PA/NJ IARP Conference at the Tropicana Hotel and Casino in Atlantic City, New Jersey. This year's conference promises to be the most informative and exciting one to date. The conference brings together a carefully chosen panel of expert speakers covering a wide range of topics facing rehabilitation professionals today, and gives you the opportunity to earn up to 12 contact hours for RN, CCM, and CRC for your participation. New this year, Life Care Planners can earn credits also.

This event will combine many thought provoking and educational sessions along with an array of exhibitors who service the insurance and rehabilitation industry and welcome the opportunity to introduce you to their products and services and finish each day with our cocktail reception for you to meet with your fellow professionals and exhibitors.

Please take advantage of early registration by April 30, 2017 for discounted rates as well as a special conference hotel rate of \$71 per night when you call the Tropicana at 1-800 The TROP and mention "HIARP2017" when making your reservation. Hotel reservations can be made online at <http://tropac3.net/offercode/HiARP17>

Please feel free to contact Louise Kaplan at Louise.AC.Conference@gmail.com or Doug Cerminaro at minaro@comcast.net with any questions or for assistance

THE 2017 CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

Doug Cerminaro **Louise Kaplan**
Joseph Sabatini **Mary Shaffer**

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DETACH HERE
REGISTER TODAY

Conference Fees:	Early Registration Before April 30 th , 2017	Traditional Registration May 1 st and on
IARP Member	\$170.00	\$195.00
Non IARP Member	\$195.00	\$225.00
Reception Guest - Must be accompanied by an attendee. Specify Wednesday or Thursday evening	\$50.00	\$75.00

Registration Form: Kindly print

Name: (As you wish your badge to appear) _____ Company: _____
 Address: _____ City/State/Zip _____
 Telephone Number: (____) _____ Email for Registration Confirmation: _____

Payment Information:

Secure Online Registration at <https://www.ACconference.formstack.com/forms/IARP>

• Charge my Visa or MasterCard only. We cannot accept American Express

Name of cardholder: _____

Card Number: _____

Expiration Month/Year: _____ 3 Digit Security Code on back _____

Signature: _____

• Check or Money Order enclosed (made payable to PA/NJ IARP) \$: _____

• Email Registrations with credit card accepted at minaro@comcast.net

Please send this page with payment to:
 PA/NJ IARP PO BOX 272 Bordentown, NJ 08505

Wednesday, June 21, 2017

11:00AM-4:00 PM
 2:00-7:30 PM
 2:30-3:30 PM
 3:45-4:45 PM
 5:00-6:00 PM
 6:00-7:30 PM

Exhibitor Check-in

Participation Check-in Registration

Non-Surgical Interventions for Knee Pain • Mehul Shah, DO *Morris Anesthesia Group*

Back Pain: Fact or Fiction? • Steven B. Kirshner, MD, *FAAOS Kirshner Spine Institute*

IMPACT: Maxillofacial Trauma • Shahid R. Aziz, DMD, MD, *FACS Rutgers School of Dental Medicine*

Exhibit Hall Opens; Presidents Cocktail Reception

Thursday, June 22, 2017

7:30-8:15 AM
 8:15-8:30 AM
 8:30-10:00 AM
 10:00-10:30 AM
 10:30-Noon

Registration and Continental Breakfast - Exhibit Hall

Welcome Remarks and Announcements

Managing Psychosocial Factors Affecting Injured Workers • Kyle Babick, Ph.D. *PsychGroup*

Break - Exhibits

How to Succeed in Workers Compensation from Four Perspectives: A Panel Discussion

• Stephen Fannon, Esquire, *Capehart & Scatchard* Cheryl Glaab, RN, *COHN/CM, CCM Broadspire*

• Michele Wojciechowski, BA, AIC, MBA *Broadspire* Mark Ludwick, ARM, AIM *Tropicana Casino and Resort*

Conference Lunch

Are You Up to Code? Exploration of the CRC & CCM Code of Conduct

• Mitchell Schmidt, M.Ed., CRC, LPC *Vocational Case Management Services*

• Mark Heckman, CRC *Heckman Enterprises Inc.*

12:00-1:15 PM

1:15-2:15 PM

Elements of Deception Detection • Andre M. Hu, MD *Synergy Joint & Spine*

2:30-3:30 PM

Management of Multiple Injuries • Thomas N. Bianco Jr., PT, DPT *Rehab Connection*

Break - Exhibits

Medical Legal Issues Regarding Causality and Permanency

• Carl P. Giordano, MD *Atlantic Spine Specialists*

3:30-4:00 PM

4:00-5:00 PM

Concussions in the Workplace & Return to Work Considerations

• Cynthia Simonds, Psy-D Jean Sloan, RN, BS, CCM *Bryn Mawr Rehab Hospital*

VIPs On the Red Carpet: The Cocktail Reception

5:30-7:00 PM

Friday, June 23, 2017

8:30-9:00 AM
 9:00-10:00 AM
 10:00-10:30 AM
 10:30-11:30 AM

Continental Breakfast & Exhibits

What's Up Doc? Diagnosis & Treatment of Spinal Injuries

• Kris E. Radcliff MD Barrett I. Woods, MD *Rothman Institute*

Break - Exhibits

CRPS: The New Technology and Treatments: Is Cost Containment Feasible?

• Jennifer Yanow, MD *The New Jersey Pain Management Institute*

The Journey is the Destination: Improving Quality of Life in Long Term Rehabilitation

• Elizabeth Povanda, M.A., CCC-SLP Dave Scarisbrick, Ph.D. *Progressive Health of PA, Inc.*

11:45-12:45 PM

Effect of Co-Morbidities on the Workers Compensation Spinal Patient

• Nirav Shah, MD *Princeton Brain and Spine Care*

12:45-1:00 PM

1:00-2:30 PM

Protecting Your Assets: Ethics in Vocational Counseling • Judi Drew, Ph.D. *CRC Voc Works*

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Lunch and Door Prize Distribution