



Georgia State Medical Association, Inc. (GSMA)

Program Agenda

June 12 – June 15, 2024

Location: Southside Medical Center, 1046 Ridge Ave., SW, Atlanta 30315

Exhibit hall opens and breakfast daily at 7:30 AM

Subject to change

<b>Wednesday, June 12</b>		
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Welcome Reception: Members, Family, Friends, Colleagues  Special Awards	Location: Morehouse School of Medicine 720 Westview Dr., SW Atlanta, GA Billye Suber Aaron Pavilion
<b>Thursday, June 13</b>		
8:00 am	Welcome	David Blake, MD GSMA President
8:05 am – 8:35 am	Neurology  Alzheimer's Update  Q&A	Moderator: Linda Walden, MD  Patrick Griffith, MD
8:40 am – 9:25 am	Genomics – Precision Medicine  Q&A	Moderator: Winston Price, MD  Priscilla Pemu, MD
<b>9:30 am – 9:55 am</b>	<b>Break – Visit Exhibitors</b>	
10:00 am – 10:30 am	Health Equity for Black Women  Q&A	Moderator: Winston Price, MD  Julianne Adams Birt, MD
10:35 am – 11:35 am	Inclusion, Equity and the Importance of Diversity for Patients with an Advanced Illness  Q&A	Moderator: Harold Moore, MD  David Blake, MD, and Ms. Diane Deese
<b>11:40 am – 12:00 pm</b>	<b>Break – Visit Exhibitors</b>	
12:15 pm – 12:45 pm	Luncheon presentation: Financial Literacy for Health Professionals	Mr. Derrick Murray
12:50 pm – 1:40 pm	Anti-Obesity Medications – A Review	Kathi Earls, MD
<b>1:45 pm – 2:00 pm</b>	<b>Break – Visit Exhibitors</b>	
2:00 pm – 3:00 pm  3:05 pm – 4:00 pm	Are we Cardiologist or Endocrinologist? GLP1, ARNI, SGLT2  Reducing morbidity and mortality with SGLT2i  ARNI for Heart Failure, Reduced and Preserved Ejection Fraction?: Next pandemic  GLP1, Is it for Everybody?  Q&A	Moderator: Paul L. Douglass, MD, MACC, FSCAI  Ugochukwu Egolum, MD, FACC Northeast Georgia Health System  Melissa Burroughs, MD, FACC Wellstar Center for Cardiovascular Care  Anekwe Onwuanyi, MD, FACC Morehouse School of Medicine
4:00 pm to 4:40 pm	Patient Advocacy  Hyperphosphatemia and Patient Access  Update: Women's Health Initiative  Q&A	Moderator: David Blake, MD  Alan Ryan, PharmD  Ms. Joanne Pittman

4:45 pm	End-of day Wrap up, David Blake, MD	
<b>Friday, June 14</b>		
7:00 am to 8:00 am	GSMA Board Meeting	SMC Main Board room
8:00 am – 8:55 am	The Grady Health Equity Journey: Making a Positive Health Impact in the Community  Q&A	Moderator: Lawrence Sanders, MD, MBA  Yolanda Wimberly, MD, MSc Grady Health System
9:00 am to 9:30 am 9:30 am – 10:00 am	Injury and Violence Prevention at Grady Hospital System  Grady is Growing: Ambulatory Medicine at Grady Present and Future State  Q&A	Moderator: Lawrence Sanders, MD, MBA  Randi N. Smith, MD, MPH and Lawrence Blair, MPH  Nitasha Burney-Fleming, MD, CPE
<b>10:00 to 10:30</b>	<b>Break – Visit Exhibitors</b>	
10:35 am – 10:45 am 10:45 am – 11:10 am 11:15 am – 11: 40 am 11:45 am – 12:10 pm 12:15 pm – 12:40 pm	Southside Medical Center  Sickle Cell Disease – The Evolution of Medical Management  Maternal Mortality Crisis in Georgia; How Can We Change the Trajectory?  What Happened to You? Trauma and Its Aftermath  Weight Management  Q&A	Introduction: David Williams, MD  Otis Powell, MD  Donna Sinclair, MD  Jahzeel Paguntalan, PA-C  Miltonia Woluchem, MD
<b>12:45 pm – 1:00 pm</b>	<b>Break – Visit Exhibitors</b>	
<b>1:00 pm - 2:00 pm</b>	<b>Luncheon</b> <i>Generational Wealth and Financial Health: Safeguarding What Matters Most</i>	<i>Mr. Gary Harker</i>
<b>2:00 pm – 2:15 pm</b>	<b>Break – Visit Exhibitors</b>	
2:15 pm – 2:40 pm 2:45 pm – 3: 10 pm 3:15 pm – 3:40 pm 3:45 pm – 4:25 pm 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm	<i>Southside Medical Center: continued</i>  Managed Care, the Core of Healthcare  General Surgery, A Day in the Life  Obesity (Surgery and Medication)  Q&A  Happy Hour/Networking session: Attendee “Speed Connections”	Michele Brown  Dennis Turner, MD  Titus Duncan, MD  SPCC-Atlanta AHEC
<b>Saturday, June 15</b>		
7:00 to 8:00 am	Medical Support Group (invitation only)	
8:00 am to 8:55 am	Breakfast: The Role of Dairy Food Intake for Improving Health among Black Americans Across the Life Continuum	Winston Price, MD and Gregory LaFortune
9:00 am – 9:30 am	Medical Marijuana in Older Patients	Kimberly A. Curseen, MD

9:35 am – 10:05 am	LGBTQ+ Fundamentals for Clinicians: Caring for the Youth in our Community	Uchenna Lizmay Umeh, MD, MBA, FAAP
<b>10:05 am – 10:20 am</b>	<b>Break- Visit exhibitors</b>	
10:30 am – 10:40 am	HIV Update workshop: Welcome and Introductions	Roger Bedimo, MD
10:40 am – 11:10 am	Update on HIV Epidemiology – Focus on Communities of Color in the South	M. Keith Rawlings, MD
11:10 am – 11:40 am	HIV Primary Care Update	Millard Collier, MD
11:40 am – 12:10 pm	Update on Antiretroviral Therapy	Zandraetta Tims-Cook, MD
<b>Lunch 12:15 pm – 12:55 pm</b>	<b>HIV: Luncheon and Panel Discussion</b>  Luncheon and Panel Discussion	Roger Bedimo, MD, M. Keith Rawling, MD, Millard Collier, MD, and Zandraetta Tims-Cook, MD
1:00 pm – 1:30 pm	Chronic Complications of HIV Disease	Roger Bedimo, MD
1:30 pm – 2:00 pm	In Case You Missed It – Rapid update from recent publications and conference presentations	Roger Bedimo, MD
<b>2:00 pm – 2:15 pm</b>	<b>Break- Visit exhibitors</b>	
2:15 pm – 3:15 pm	Health Professional Voices: Speak  Clean Air for Health Care  Physician Voice: Policy, Advocacy & Critical topics  Vot-ER	Ericka Russell-Petty, MD, Winston Price, MD, Linda Walden, and Anne Mellinger-Birdsong, MD  Donni Turner, JD  Kimberly Williams, PhD
3:15 pm – 3:30 pm	Medical Student Poster Presentations	Ericka Russell-Petty, MD and Winston Price, MD
3:30 pm	End of Convention: Wrap- up/ Close out	David Blake, MD
<b>9:00 am - 12:00 pm</b>	<b>Community Health Fair – COVID vaccines</b> <b>Vision screening</b> <b>HIV testing available</b> <b>Diabetic checks</b> <b>Blood pressure check</b>  <b>Community CPR training</b> <b>Mental Health First Aid</b>	<b>“Get Father’s Day Off to a Healthy Start”</b>
6:00 pm – 11:00 pm	GSMA President’s Dinner, Dance and Awards	Location : Russell Innovation Center for Entrepreneurs (RICE)