## "Eleventh Hour Educational Event" **Registration Form** Saturday, April 21 @ Crowne Plaza

Attendee Name & Title (as preferred for name badge):
Primary Medical Specialty:
Email (required):
Office Address:
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No refunds will be issued for no shows. Cancellations accepted up to five days prior to the event.

Please mail your registration materials to: RI Medical Society c/o Marc Bialek 405 Promenade Street, Suite A, Providence, RI 02908 RIMS members may register online at www.rimed.org



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RHODE ISLAND MEDICAL SOCIETY PRESENTS:

Eleventh Hour Educational Event Your Four Hours of Required CME in One Convenient Location Before the June 1, 2018 Deadline



Saturday, April 21, 2018 7:30am - 1:00pm **Crowne Plaza Hotel** 

801 Greenwich Avenue Warwick, RI 02886

# Rhode Island Medical Society's Eleventh Hour CME Conference

On a biennial basis, Rhode Island physicians are required to document to the Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline that they have earned a minimum of forty (40) hours of American Medical Association, Physician Recognition Award or American Osteopathic Association (AOA Category 1a) continuing

medical education credits. At least four (4) hours of continuing medical education shall be earned on topics of current concern as determined by the director of the Rhode Island Department of Health. Current topics include: Ethics; Risk Management; Opioid pain management / chronic pain management; End of life/palliative care; and

Antimicrobial Stewardship.

The Rhode Island Medical Society's "Eleventh Hour Educational Event" on Saturday, April 21 is designed to assist physicians obtain the four hours of required CME before re-licensure applications are due on June 1, 2018.

# **Program Agenda**

7:30 am- 8:15 am: Registration/Breakfast/ Visit Exhibits

**8:15 am-8:30 am:** Welcome

Bradley Collins, MD, RIMS President

**8:30 am- 9:30 am:** "Medical Marijuana: Becoming Comfortable with Recommending Marijuana as a Treatment Option"

**Todd E. Handel, MD**, Handel Center for Spine, Sports, and Intervention

Dr. Handel will discuss the rules and regulations governing medical marijuana in Rhode Island, the medical use of marijuana in the treatment of pain management, and the risks and side effects associated with medical marijuana use.

**9:30 am- 10:30 am:** "National Patient Safety Trends/Risks: The Importance of Systems"

Susan L. Montminy, MPA, RN, BSN, CPHRM, Risk Consultant, Coverys

This national patient safety trends and risks presentation will focus on the importance of systems and how physicians work within them. A review of Coverys' medical malpractice claims data will supplement the discussion.

10:30 am- 11:00 am: Refreshment Break/Visit Exhibits

**11:00 am- 12:00 pm:** "Hospice and Palliative Care: Improving Care at the End of Life"

Edward W. Martin, MD, PhD

Dr. Martin's presentation will focus on helping physicians identify misunderstandings families may have about the limits of medical care and how physicians can break down barriers and encourage fluid and open communication with patients and their families. Dr. Martin will also discuss how physicians can help empower patients and their families to actively participate in end-of-life decision making.

**12:00 pm – 1:00 pm:** "Antimicrobial Stewardship"

**Cheston Cunha, MD**, Infectious disease specialist at Rhode Island Hospital and The Miriam Hospital; and Assistant Professor of Medicine at the Warren Alpert School of Medicine of Brown University.

Dr. Cunha will discuss how physicians can optimize the treatment of infections, reduce adverse events associated with antibiotic use, and determine the optimal antimicrobial drug regimens for patients.

1:00 pm: Adjournment

#### Accreditation

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint-providership of Med-IQ and the Rhode Island Medical Society. Med-IQ is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

### **Credit Designation**

Med-IQ designates this live activity for a maximum of 4 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits<sup>TM</sup>. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.