Welcome to The Mountain: Winter Foot and Ankle Conference presented by the Idaho Podiatric Medical Association!

Mission Statement of the Conference
The IPMA educational mission is to advance the art and science of podiatric medicine by providing quality clinical learning experiences to members and non-members, and shall include a variety of instructional sessions aimed at significantly enhancing patient care, treatment protocols, and practice efficiency. The program may include interactive educational learning methods and principles utilizing lectures, panel discussions, point-counterpoint, case studies, question and answer, handouts, audio visual materials (including media or narrations), hands-on workshops and roundtable discussions with moderators to achieve a well-rounded venue of postgraduate instruction.

Key Goal
To achieve 15 Hours of CME Category I in evidenced based podiatric medicine for professional development.

Objectives
Upon conclusion of the Annual Seminar, podiatric physicians will be able to:
• be knowledgeably informed or recall information regarding podiatric conditions, maladies or circumstances relating to the practice of medicine and podiatry
• extrapolate by comprehension, understanding or perception the insight gained via lecture and discussion relating to the practice of medicine and podiatry
• formulate or infer by application case relevance relating to the practice of medicine and podiatry
• distinguish by analysis the appropriate modalities in the treatment, care and protocols of current trends, application and practices of medicine in podiatry
• generalize, synthesize, or deduce by classification ways to develop treatment protocols based on current literature and evidenced based medicine
• compare, contrast and evaluate judgment values for those ideas presented between medical and surgical applications

MEETING GOALS AND OBJECTIVES
• Review nerve procedures and treatment options
• Identify major reasons for podiatric law suits • Understand concepts and current techniques for management of the diabetic foot and below the knee intervention for limb salvage
• Identify additional options for surgical management of plantar plate, arthrocell bone graft, and Lapidus fusion with plantar plate fixation
• Develop deeper understanding of percutaneous achilles repair and midfoot arthrodesis.
• Identify risk factors to prevent amputation and role of stress on wound healing

Breakfast & Breaks
Included with your registration, join us in the Exhibit Hall daily for breakfast and for all scheduled breaks on Friday and Saturday.

Exhibit Hall
Lunch (included with your registration) is provided to all registered attendees in the Exhibit Hall. No CME is provided; there are no opposing lectures. You must wear a name tag for admittance. Be sure to visit all exhibitors and have your cards marked for your chance to win door prizes after the Saturday afternoon break. Exhibitors’ participation supports the podiatric profession. Please let them know how much you value their presence and participation at The Mountain: Winter Foot and Ankle Conference.

Exhibits are Friday and Saturday only. You must wear a name tag for admittance. Exhibits will dismantle after the break on Saturday afternoon.

Signatures
Participants must sign in at the registration table attesting to attendance per session. This must be
completed and remitted before conference departure for CME certificates.

General Information
Conference materials will be provided in your registration packet. To receive member pricing, you must be a current IPMA member. **We suggest that you bring a sweater or jacket to ensure your comfort at all sessions.**

**Nondiscrimination:** No person shall be denied registration or participation in any continuing education program provided by this association for reasons of race, religion, sex, national origin or physical ability. This program is ADA Compliant. Please notify our staff when registering if you require special accommodation for training or attendance at (208) 695-7335.

Registration
You must sign for your seminar packet at the conference Registration desk. CME credit up to 15 contact hours.

Conference Attendance
Registration and payment does not automatically result in the issuance of any CME credit. To verify attendance attendees will sign in at each session. The signature form attests that you have attended the program for the number of CME hours awarded. These forms are required to receive the Certificate of Attendance.

Consent to use of photographic images: **Registration and attendance at or participation in IPMA meetings, functions and other activities constitutes an agreement by the registrant to the use and distribution (both now and in the future) of the registrant or attendee’s image in photographs, videotapes, and electronic reproduction of such events and activities for marketing and professional use.**

Cancellations
**A $50 administration fee will be charged.** Cancellations must be received in writing to IPMA prior to January 9, 2020. No refunds for cancellations will be honored after that date.

Online Registration
Register online at www.idahopodiatrists.org/the-mountain-conference; or mail to: IPMA, PO Box 6602, Boise, Idaho 83707. Make check payable to IPMA.

On-Site Registrations
**Online registration will be closed on January 6;** registration cannot be confirmed after that date. **After January 6, you must register on-site at the meeting.** For on-site registration, add $50 to the above fees (excludes residents, students, guests, Life Members).

Changes to Lectures or Schedules
We reserve the right to adjust or change any lecture or schedule due to unforeseen scheduling conflicts, registration, or as otherwise deemed necessary. Note: There are limited spaces for selected events; registrations are on a first come first served basis.

Hotel Rates
A special discounted room rate for our conference is negotiated each year. Reservations must be made 30 days prior to the conference. Individuals cancelling a reservation must do so within 30 days of the arrival date. All cancellations will be charged a $25 cancellation fee. Sun Valley Resort provides courtesy transportation to and from Friedman Memorial Airport (SUN). In order to guarantee a seat upon arrival, please have your flight information available and make a reservation with Bell Service at (208) 622-2122 or svshuttle@sunvalley.com. Mention you are with the IPMA to receive the discounted rate. Rooms go quickly. Reserve yours as soon as possible! For reservations, call 1-800-786-8259 or email reservations@sunvalley.com.
Thank you for using the Sun Valley Resort for your hotel reservations for the conference. By utilizing our room block, we are able to reduce the overall costs associated with producing the seminar. These savings allow us to offer reduced registration and special events that are included in the registration.

CPME and CME Credit
The Ohio Foot and Ankle Medical Foundation is approved by the Council on Podiatric Medical Education as a provider of continuing education in podiatric medicine. The Ohio Foot and Ankle Medical Foundation has approved this activity for a maximum of 15 continuing education contact hours. Hours are calculated from the sign-in forms. Please note: Registration and payment do not automatically result in the issuance of continuing education contact hours. Signature forms verify attendance. The attendee must attest that he or she has attended the program for the number of continuing education contact hours awarded.

Audience
The intended audience for conference is physicians and resident physicians. For physicians and students, the skill, knowledge, or experience is equated with their scholarship, license limitations or practice area. Presentations are post-graduate physician level. Our venues provide participants the opportunity to question the faculty or offer comments to the program content. Continuing education hours are based on clock hours. This program has been approved for a maximum of 15 continuing education contact hours.

Name badges: An IPMA name tag will be required for all attendees and does not automatically result in the issuance of any CME hours.

PICA
PICA policyholders who attend the PICA risk management lecture at The Mountain Winter Foot and Ankle Conference are eligible to earn up to a 10% premium discount on their insurance renewal.

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Disclosure
Each speaker is required to disclose the existence of any financial and/or other relationships (i.e., employee, consultant, speaker’s bureau, grant recipient, research support) she or he might have with (a) manufacturer(s) of any commercial product(s) to be discussed during his/her presentation and/or (b) the commercial contributor(s) of the activity. Any such conflict will be announced by the speaker immediately preceding the lecture.