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2. Consulting fee or honorarium	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			X ADD
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1. Board membership	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pfizer		X
1. Board membership	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Danone/Nutricia		X
1. Board membership	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nycomed		X
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12. Travel/accommodations/meeting expenses unrelated to activities listed**	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Boehringer Ingelheim	Costs of travel to American Thoracic Society in both 2009 and 2010	<b>X</b>
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Amir Qaseem, MD, PhD, MHA

5. Manuscript Title  
Diagnosis and Management of Stable Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease: A Clinical Practice Guideline Update from the American College of Physicians, American College of Chest Physicians, American Thoracic Society, and European Respiratory

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If monies from the types of relationships listed in Section 3 were paid to your spouse or partner or dependent children, please list the type of activity and source of the money.

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Yes, specify nature of compensation

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Type of Relationship (in alphabetical order)	No	Money Paid to You	Money to Your institution	Entity	Comments	
Board membership	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			Del x
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Consultancy	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			Del x
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Employment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			Del x
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Honoraria	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			Del ×
						Add +
Payment for manuscript preparation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			Del ×
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2. Consultancy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	MSD		X
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3. Employment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			X
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4. Expert testimony	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			X
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5. Grants/grants pending	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Astrazeneca		X
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						ADD
5. Grants/grants pending	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Grants for evidence reviews from AHRQ, NIH, VA		X
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