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**2008
Maine Chapter
Scientific Meeting**

**October 17–19, 2008
Harborside Hotel & Marina
Bar Harbor, Maine**

*Contemporary Pulmonary Problems and
Guidelines: from the Office to the Hospital*

Dear Colleague,

We invite you to join us and your colleagues in internal medicine at the next scientific meeting of the Maine Chapter of the American College of Physicians held October 17–19, 2008, at the Harborside Hotel & Marina in beautiful Bar Harbor, Maine.

This meeting is not just for ACP members. We particularly want to invite nonmembers to join us for this important clinical update and to learn about the benefits of membership at the same time.

By attending this meeting you will:

- Gain insight into recent medical advances.
- Discuss local and national issues affecting the practice and teaching of internal medicine.
- Greet old friends, meet new friends, and develop a network of colleagues in your area.

To ensure your place at this invaluable meeting, complete the registration form at the back of this brochure and send it in today. The opportunities available at this meeting will help you meet not only your needs as a physician but also the needs of the patients you serve.

I look forward to seeing you in Bar Harbor.

Sincerely,

Richard M. Engel, MD, FACP
ACP Governor, Maine Chapter

P.S. Jeffrey P. Harris, MD, FACP, President of ACP, will attend this meeting to talk about College activities related to quality improvement on behalf of internists. *This is a good chance to make your voice heard by ACP leadership—register today to reserve your seat.*

Scientific Program and Special Events

Friday, October 17, 2008

- 10:30 a.m.** **Maine Practice Network (MPN) Teaching Session**
Only those who are part of MPN or those physicians interested in finding out more about MPN should plan to attend this session.
- 11:30** **Maine Practice Network General Meeting**
- 1:00 p.m.** **Legislative Update**
Gordon Smith, Esq. and Lesley Mansfield, MD
- 1:45** **PFT Interpretation Workshop**
Hal I. Sreden, MD
- 2:30** **Break**
- 3:00** **Sleep Study Interpretation Workshop**
David A. Neumeyer, MD
- 3:45** **Allergy Testing Workshop**
Barbara Chilmonczyk, MD
- 5:00-6:20** **Reception**
Internists and Their Art

Saturday, October 18, 2008

- 7:00 a.m.** **Breakfast**
- Resident and Student Breakfast with GAC and Faculty**
- 8:00** **Panel Discussion: “Understanding the Overlap Between Asthma and COPD”**
Moderator: Douglas G. Couper, MD, FACP
- COPD Management**
Daniel Deetz, MD
- Asthma Guidelines**
Jonathan J. Musmand, MD
- Audience Case Presentations**
- Questions and Answers**
Daniel Deetz, MD
Jonathan J. Musmand, MD
- 10:00** **Break**

Scientific Program and Special Events (*continued*)

- 10:30** **Resident Clinical Vignettes**
Moderator: Stephen R. Hayes, MD
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- 6:00 p.m.** **Children's Program**
Reception
- 7:00** **Dinner and Awards**
- 8:30** **Candidates' Positions: Health Policy Issues**
Naomi Senkeeto

Saturday, October 18, 2008

- 7:00 a.m.** **Breakfast for Registered Attendees**
Resident and Student Breakfast with GAC and Faculty

Sunday, October 19, 2008

- 7:00 a.m.** **Town Meeting**
Jeffrey P. Harris, MD, FACP
David A. Neumeyer, MD
- 8:15** **Fostering Excellence in Internal Medicine: 2008**
Jeffrey P. Harris, MD, FACP
- 9:00** **BiPAP**
Daniel Deetz, MD
- 9:30** **Break**
- 10:00** **Changes and Challenges of Internal Medicine:
The Patient Centered Medical Home**
Jeffrey P. Harris, MD, FACP
- 11:00** **Panel Discussion: Challenges and Benefits of Hospitalists**
Moderator: James K. VanKirk, MD, FACP
- Panelists:**
Richard M. Engel, MD, FACP
Jeffrey P. Harris, MD
Thomas K. Murray, MD
Ted L. Sussman, MD, FACP
Alan D. Verrill, MD

Faculty

Barbara Chilmonczyk, MD, Allergy & Asthma Associates of Maine, Portland

Douglas G. Couper, MD, FACP, Martin's Point Healthcare, Portland

Daniel Deetz, MD, Franciscan Skemp Medical Center, LaCrosse, Wisconsin

Richard M. Engel, MD, FACP, Greater Portland Medical Group, Westbrook

Jeffrey P. Harris, MD, FACP, President, American College of Physicians,
Millwood, Virginia

Thomas K. Murray, MD, Mayo Regional Hospital, Dover-Foxcrot

Jonathan J. Musmand, MD, Allergy & Asthma Associates of Maine, Portland

David A. Neumeyer, MD, Pulmonary & Critical Care Medicine, Lahey Clinic,
Burlington, Massachusetts

Naomi Senkeeto, Policy Analysis and Research, American College of Physicians,
Washington, DC

Gordon Smith, Executive Vice-President, Maine Medical Association, Manchester

Hal I. Sreden, MD, Mid Coast Medical Group Pulmonology, Brunswick

Ted L. Sussman, MD, FACP, Houlton Internal Medicine, Houlton

Alan D. Verrill, MD, Hospitalist, Central Maine Medical Center, Lewiston

Associates' and Students' Activities

Clinical vignettes will be presented at the meeting. Winners will be eligible for entrance into the national competition held in April 2009 during Internal Medicine 2009 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and will be given up to \$1000 for expenses to participate. Contact Stephen Hayes, MD, at 207-854-9101 for information about entering the vignette competition.

We are pleased to announce our plans for the second annual poster session at the Maine Chapter ACP fall meeting. This will include submissions of clinical vignettes, quality improvement activities, educational innovations, and research (including works in progress). We encourage submissions from students, residents, faculty, and practicing clinicians who plan to attend the meeting. The number of entries is limited to 15.

Submitted items should be no longer than 500 words, and should be structured according to the submission category below:

Case Reports: Presenting Symptoms, Clinical Course, and Teaching Points/Discussion

Quality Improvement: Problem or Background, Intervention, Measures/Outcomes, and Discussion

Educational Innovation: Introduction or Background, Innovation/Change, Outcomes, and Discussion

Research: Background, Methods, Results or Preliminary Findings, and Discussion

The abstract deadline will be Friday, September 5, 2008. All submissions should be sent via e-mail to Dr. Kathleen Fairfield, at fairfk@mmc.org

As well, there will be a Residents' and Students' breakfast with GAC & Faculty members on Saturday, October 18, 2009, at 7:00 a.m.

For internal medicine residents and medical students who attend the scheduled activities of the annual scientific meeting, the Maine Chapter of ACP will reimburse internal medicine residents and medical students for half of the lodging fee. Contact Warene Eldridge for additional information at 207-622-3374, ext 227, or weldridge@mainemed.com

If you are interested in becoming a member of the College, please contact the Customer Service Department at 800-523-1546, ext. 2600, or 215-351-2600 (M–F, 9 a.m.–5 p.m. ET).

Learning Objectives

At the conclusion of this activity, the participant will be able to:

- Apply updated knowledge of internal medicine to clinical practice.
- Apply updated knowledge of COPD management and asthma guidelines to clinical practice.
- Increase confidence in interpretation of pulmonary function tests, interpretation of sleep study, and allergy testing.
- Understand political advocacy and reform.

Laureate Award

It is with distinct pleasure that the Maine Chapter presents this year's Laureate Award. Laureate Award winners are long-standing and loyal supporters of the College who have rendered distinguished service to their chapters and community and have upheld the high ideals and professional standards for which the College is known. The award will be presented during the banquet on Saturday evening.

Pathways to Fellowship

Attendance at chapter meetings can help all ACP members in meeting the qualifications for advancement to Fellowship. It is especially important for those applying under the pathway that calls for 5 years of activity as a Member.

Who Should Attend

- General internists
- Subspecialty internists
- Family practitioners
- Fellows in subspecialty training
- Allied health practitioners
- Residents (internists in training)
- Medical students interested in internal medicine

CME Accreditation

The Maine Medical Association is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The number of *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*[™] is pending. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Hotel Accommodations

We have reserved a block of rooms until **September 17, 2008**. To receive the discounted room rate identify that you will be attending the American College of Physicians meeting.

Harborside Hotel & Marina	Deluxe Island View:	\$169
55 West Street	Premium King Island View:	\$179
Bar Harbor, ME	Deluxe Ocean Front:	\$189

The rooms are available on a first-come, first-served basis, so make your reservation as early as possible by **calling the hotel directly at 800-328-5033**.

Additional information on the Harborside Hotel & Marina is available at www.theharborsidehotel.com

Directions

From Boston, MA: (4 1/2 hours)

Proceed North on I-95 to Exit 6A (I-295, South Portland)

From Portland, Maine: (2 3/4 hours)

Take I-295 North to I-95 North (I-295 becomes I-95 at Falmouth) Exit 45 to I-395 South. Take I-395 South about 3 1/2 miles to Exit 6, Route 1A. Follow Route 1A approximately 20 miles into Ellsworth. Follow directions from Ellsworth to Bar Harbor. Travel approximately 3/4 of a mile and make a left onto West Street. The Harborside Hotel and Marina is approximately 1/2 mile on the left.

From Augusta, Maine: (90 mins.)

Follow Route 3 East into Ellsworth. You will travel through the cities of Palermo, N. Searsmont, Belfast, and Bucksport. Continue on Route 3 through Ellsworth as it turns south at the second stoplight in town. You will pass Burger King, Wendy's, and McDonald's on your right-hand side. Follow directions from Ellsworth to Bar Harbor. Travel approximately 3/4 of a mile and make a left onto West Street. The Harborside Hotel and Marina is approximately 1/2 mile on the left.

From Bangor, Maine: (60 mins.)

Follow Route 1A South about 20 miles into Ellsworth. Continue straight through Ellsworth as Route 1A turns into Route 3 South. Follow directions from Ellsworth to Bar Harbor. Travel approximately 3/4 of a mile and take a left onto West Street. The Harborside Hotel and Marina is approximately 1/2 mile on the left.

*The Harborside Hotel & Marina is located just 20 minutes from Hancock County Airport, airport code **HCA**.*

Area Interests

There is much for family and friends to see and do in the Bar Harbor area, including:

- Touring Acadia National Park
- Kayaking, hiking, biking
- Whale watching
- Shopping and visiting galleries

Additional information on the Bar Harbor area is available online at www.theharborsidehotel.com or www.barharborinfo.com

Children's Program

A children's program will be offered on Saturday evening during the reception and banquet. Complete the appropriate section of the registration form at the back of this brochure to enroll your children in the program.

The children's program is free for children **5 years or older** of registered attendees attending the reception and banquet on Saturday evening. A "pizza party" will be provided during the children's program. If not attending the banquet, \$20 per hour for the 1st hour and \$15 per hour for each additional hour per child will be charged.

How to Register

- If you need more information on the meeting, please contact Warene Eldridge at 207-622-3374, ext. 227, or weldridge@mainemed.com.
- For information on College-related issues, contact the Maine Chapter Governor:

Richard M. Engel
207-662-1340
engelr@mmc.org

- To register for the meeting, complete the attached registration form with credit card information or return it with your check made payable to:

Maine Chapter of ACP
P.O. Box 190
Manchester, ME 04351-0190

- To access our online meeting information or to print another registration form for a friend or colleague, go to www.acponline.org/meetings/chapter.htm.
- To take advantage of the reduced rate for hotel accommodations and to reserve your hotel room, call the hotel directly at the number listed under “Hotel Accommodations.”

Social Events

- Internists and Their Art—Maine Chapter of ACP invites our members to bring a piece of their artwork/craft to display at the meeting. We also invite members to bring their musical instrument to play with their colleagues at the family reception on Friday night. For additional information, please contact James Van Kirk, MD (jvankirk@emh.org or 973-6676).
- Maine Chapter of ACP invites all registered attendees and up to 4 guests to attend the reception on Friday evening at no charge. If you would like to bring more than 4 guests, the fee is \$30 per adult and \$15 for each child 10 years of age or younger.
- If attendee would like to bring more than 1 guest to the banquet on Saturday evening, there is a fee of \$45 per additional person.

Registration Form

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Maine Chapter Scientific Meeting
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This form may be photocopied.

ACP # (found on mailing label) _____

Name _____ MD DO

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Daytime Phone _____ Fax _____

E-mail _____

Please check here to indicate a permanent change to your preferred address for all College mailings.

Registration Fees:

Check one category that best applies. Registration fee includes continental breakfast, lunch, attendance at reception, all scientific sessions and materials, and a CME certificate.

ACP Categories

- Master Fellow Member \$225
- Associate (Resident Members) No Fee
- Medical Student Member No Fee
- Affiliate Member (AHP) \$240

Nonmember Categories

- Nonmember Physician \$255
- Allied Health Professional \$240
- Resident \$50
- Medical Student No Fee

I will attend the workshops on Friday afternoon, October 17

I will not attend the workshops on Friday afternoon, October 17

Friday evening Family Reception (there is no fee for the registered attendee, 1 adult guest and 3 children guests)

_____ Total number of adults attending the reception

_____ Total number of children attending the reception

_____ Number of additional adults attending the reception (\$30 each)

_____ Number of additional children (10 years and younger) attending the reception (\$15 each)

Banquet Saturday evening (registered attendant may bring 1 adult guest to the banquet at no charge.) If you would like to bring more than 1 guest, the fee is \$45 per person)

_____ Total number of adults attending the banquet

_____ Registrant _____ Spouse/guest

Name of guests: _____

Names and ages of children participating in the children's program on Saturday evening

Name: _____ Age: _____

Name: _____ Age: _____

Name: _____ Age: _____

TOTAL FEES: _____

Please make your check payable to **Maine Chapter-ACP** and mail to:

Attention: Warene Eldridge
P.O. Box 190
Manchester, ME 04351-1090

Visa MasterCard

Cardholder Name _____

Signature: _____

Questions? Please call Warene at 207-622-3374, ext. 227

We encourage participation by all individuals. Check here if you are disabled and require assistance. Advance notification is essential in order for us to serve you better. Please notify the Maine Chapter at the above address in writing at least 30 days before your course. We'll be glad to help.



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