CME ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES: DECEMBER 20, 2012

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- Gary E. Stahl, MD
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- Sharon A. McLean, RN
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- Antoinette Spevetz, MD
- Jean Minder, RN
- Thomas S. Newmark, MD
- Natali R. Franzblau, MD
- Susan K. Cavanaugh, MS, MPH
- Loretta Aloi, MBA
- Carolyn E. Bakes, MD
- Jocelyn A. Mitchell-Williams, MD, PhD

Present:

- Loretta Aloi, MBA
- Susan K. Cavanaugh, MS, MPH
- Theresa A. DiPersio
- Natali R. Franzblau, MD
- John F. McGeehan, MD
- Sharon A. McLean, RN
- Jean Minder, RN
- Thomas S. Newmark, MD
- Robin L. Smith
- Antoinette Spevetz, MD

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The minutes of the September 27, 2012 meeting were approved.

DISCUSSION

Web-based CME (Enduring Materials)

Antoinette Spevetz, MD provided a background to the Committee regarding the health system’s desire to venture into web-based CME. John F. McGeehan, MD offered to facilitate the help that Cooper is going to need from Rowan to jump-start this endeavor. An initial planning meeting will be held in early 2013.

Performance Improvement Discussion Regarding CME Activities – No report.

General Discussion

Loretta Aloi announced that Kelly Kupniewski has been hired as the new part-time CME Meeting Planner at Cooper. Kelly returns to Cooper on January 7, 2013 after leaving Cooper 15 months ago. Kelly previously worked for Cooper for 13 years in Administration and Marketing.

UPDATE ON CME APPLICATIONS REVIEWED – RSS – DIDACTIC (2012/2013 ACADEMIC YEAR)

The 19th Annual Family Medicine Series was approved for AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™ for the 2012/2013 Academic Year at the July 26, 2012 Committee meeting contingent upon the Department of CME receiving an additional lecture schedule with needs assessment documentation and core competency details in December 2012. The Committee reviewed the documentation and APPROVED this series through June 30, 2013.
Anesthesiology Grand Rounds, Cardiology Grand Rounds, Faculty Development Forum, Hospitalist Didactic Series, Medical Education Grand Rounds, Medicine Grand Rounds, Neuroscience Grand Rounds, OB/GYN Grand Rounds, Orthopaedic Grand Rounds, Pathology Grand Rounds, Pediatric Grand Rounds, Plastic Surgery Grand Rounds, Psychiatry Grand Rounds, Surgery Grand Rounds, and Vascular Surgery Conference were approved for AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™ for the 2012/2013 Academic Year at a 2012 Committee meeting contingent upon the Department of CME receiving an additional lecture schedule with needs assessment/gap analysis and core competency details in December 2012. The Committee reviewed the documentation and APPROVED each series through March 31, 2013. The remainder of the academic year (April 2013 through June 2013) will be designated in AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™ once the Department of CME receives an additional lecture schedule with needs assessment and core competency documentation. Loretta will contact the clinical planners and request that this information be submitted by March 1, 2013.

CME APPLICATION – LIVE ONE-TIME ACTIVITY

The application for the activity entitled the 20th Musculoskeletal Ultrasound Course for Rheumatologists: The Antonio J. Reginato Course was submitted for credit designation by David E. Feinstein, DO. This conference is scheduled to take place on May 3 – 4, 2013 at the Radisson Plaza – Warwick Hotel Philadelphia in Philadelphia, PA. Needs assessment sources consisted of performance improvement data, self-assessment tests, faculty perception, and consensus of experts. The target audience includes rheumatologists, physiatrists, and emergency medicine physicians. The course is designed to describe the principles of musculoskeletal ultrasound and instruct participants on the proper technique for performing ultrasound examinations of all major joints. Hands-on sessions occur throughout the course, and registrants will be placed in groups for these sessions based on their level of expertise in scanning. World-renowned speakers have agreed to participate as faculty for this course. In addition, Dr. Reginato’s son, Anthony M. Reginato, MD, PhD, will give an honorary presentation on the history of musculoskeletal ultrasound, as well as serve as a lecturer and instructor. The Committee APPROVED this activity for a maximum of 16 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by,

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