



EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

June 19, 2018 at 6:00 p.m.

Committee Members Present:

Trent James, MD, Chair
Kenneth Brown, MD
James Campbell, MD
Lisa Casey, MD
Jody George, MD
Ellen Mullen, MD
Vincent Shaw, MD

Staff Present:

Ragan LeBlanc, Executive Vice President
Stacy Barbay, Membership & Education Director
Danielle Edmonson, Marketing & Event Coordinator

The regular LAFP Education Committee meeting was conducted by teleconference and was called to order by Dr. James at 6:05 p.m. The previous meeting minutes were approved as corrected.

2018 Spring Summit

The 2018 Spring Summit evaluations were discussed. Dr. James stated that the evaluations were good overall. Danielle Edmonson stated that the evaluations received great feedback from attendees. There were fewer registrants than expected however she reported that the conference was still profitable. Noted opportunities for improvements included items like using microphones for the speakers, even if in smaller rooms. Topics like cancer and cardiology were identified as most useful and practice enhancement was less useful.

Dr. Casey and Dr. Shaw agreed if there are student and resident topics, to make the track on Saturday and have the conference in state which will allow the residents to attend. There are plenty of opportunities for education in the academic setting and the AAFP/LAFP conference tends to happen around the time they have academic priorities, preventing medical students and residents from attending.

2019 Proposed Webinar Series Calendar

The potential 2019 Proposed Webinar Series calendar was discussed, please forward any potential topics or sponsors who could provide relevant speakers to Stacy Barbay.

71st Annual Assembly – San Destin Golf and Beach Resort – Update

Danielle gave an update on the upcoming conference. There is a full agenda, including a concurrent track on Thursday, offering a total of 15 credit hours. The registrations were less than the 2016 conference in Florida however she also noted that being the week of July 4 likely influenced the attendance. Exhibitor and sponsors are up from last year's conference and Danielle encouraged any board members who have not registered to do so.

2018 AAFP RESIDENT STUDENT NATIONAL CONFERENCE UPDATE

Stacy updated the committee on the LAFP booth at the conference. To date 3 residents have registered to assist with the exhibit booth, several residency programs have sponsored and will be sending representatives to help with the exhibit booth. Resident and Student Delegates and as well as the Delegate Alternates will be attending and the LAFP Foundation will cover one



delegate for a resident and student travel reimbursement. Louisiana gift bags will be given to students

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Dr. James noted that if LAFP does not receive a stipend for a speaker, we typically look for companies to deliver the lectures however LAFP has money in the budget to cover some of the speakers. Dr. Mullen suggested a topic regarding the physician's roles in overseeing and interacting with Nurse Practitioners to assure that the patients receive good care. Dr. Casey interjected that she did not think we should present topics on Nurse Practitioners as an organization out of concern it may promote their use and multiple clinics have fired physicians at their expense. Dr. James asked if the committee would forward any potential topics or sponsors who could provide relevant speakers to Stacy.

FUTURE CONFERENCE LOCATIONS

Danielle asked the committee members for input on the locations of future conferences. The 2019 conference will be in New Orleans and 2020 will be in Destin, Florida. She will send a survey to the membership for input about additional location ideas. Dr. Casey would like to see at least one conference a year in Louisiana. Dr. James suggested a cruise out of New Orleans. The committee is welcome to forward any ideas or comments to Danielle.

FMX SOCIAL

Danielle asked if hosting a social event at FMX this year is something that would be beneficial since FMX is in N.O. in October. Dr. Campbell inquired as to the previous events hosted when FMX was last in New Orleans. Ragan noted a hospitality suite was hosted when Dr. Michael Fleming was president and that when the FMX conference was in San Antonio, the chapter hosted the had a Chapter Executive social. Other states host socials and invite members in attend. Dr. Campbell, stated typically the conference attracts 5,000-10,000 family physicians, there is also the chief resident training.

Dr. James suggested we get a grant or someone willing to "float" the project and find out if they have a room big enough to host. He also noted that we may not be able to serve alcohol, as it is a big expense. Danielle stated who we are targeting will dictate who we reach out for support. She further stated that she doesn't think it would be beneficial to invite chapter executives but would want to do a member social. Ragan concurred and noted what we can get funding for will dictate the type of event and stated that in the next month or two LAFP will explore some ideas and will email committee members before moving forward. She also noted that we will have to move quickly to get space from AAFP or if we want to get something off site.

Dr. Campbell inquired if Ragan felt AAFP has any expectations of chapter during FMX. Ragan stated that they were in communication with her last year as they are focusing on health equity and she had input on that information as well as marketing. She also had a request from a board member, to have someone from Louisiana to do a prayer. If there are any other requests she would be happy to take and do something with but there were no expectations from AAFP to host a social. Dr. Campbell will support that and that it is another way to visit with the membership. Danielle will pursue more information on hosting a member social.

2019 LAFP RESIDENT STUDENT CONFERENCE

The 2019 LAFP Resident Student Conference will be held in Conjunction with Annual Assembly in New Orleans. The topic was previously discussed in the 2019 Annual Assembly agenda item.



OPIOID EDUCATION- LSBME REQUIREMENT FOR LICENSE RENEWAL

Ragan has submitted the 2018 Annual Assembly presentation on opioids for consideration from LSBME. Since the last LSBME board meeting they placed a moratorium and the board does not meet again until after the meeting. They may be able to receive credit with their education certificates after the conference. Dr. Casey is presenting on the topic at the New Orleans Grand Rounds this week. Dr. Casey noted that the LSBME just updated the website, there are 4 topics which must be met in the three-hour requirement, each one must be met otherwise one will have to do multiple sessions. Only 2 or 3 of the board approved credits that are listed on the website meet all the requirements at one time. Ragan is working to obtain the 2 credit hours at the conference to help meet the requirement. Dr. James stated that a physician can do 1 hour of a 3-hour course but it may not count for the state board requirements.

LOUISIANA FAMILY DOCTOR JOURNAL

Ragan stated if any of the residents would like to submit poster presentations, there were an over-abundance and were previously getting caught up through the next issue. In addition, the journal is accepting articles from the membership as well and asked that they be forwarded to Ragan.

In the past the journal was peer reviewed, Dr. Campbell noted when he was secretary he served as editor of the journal and questioned if that is still a part of the responsibility and was under the impression the journal was still was peer reviewed. Ragan noted that there has not been anything to review as most of the articles are the poster presentations done with residents/faculty and sometimes she receives something that may be questionable. Dr Campbell asked if the journal needs to be peer reviewed at higher level and suggested considering requesting an ID number issued by PubMed (major site to access articles) as the numbers are useful to those in the academic world. Ragan stated she had previously researched but will have to consider this topic again. Dr. James asked Ragan and Dr. Campbell to take the lead on the topic.

REVIEW OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Dr. James thanked the committee for their continued participation. Committee members will receive the LAFP Code of Ethics at the Annual Assembly in Destin or by mail and are asked to complete and return as required.

On the motion of Dr. Ishler, the meeting adjourned at 7:06.

Respectfully submitted,
Trent James, MD