2015 ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Innovations in Collaborative Geriatric Care

The Historic Academy of Medicine at Georgia Tech
875 West Peachtree Street NW, Atlanta, GA 30309

SATURDAY
MARCH 7
Atlanta, Georgia

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Agenda

8:00-8:30 AM  
*Posters & Sign-in*  
*Breakfast*

8:30-8:45 AM  
*Welcome and Conference Opening*  
*Sheryl McManus, Georgia GAPNA President*

8:45-10:15 AM  
*Keynote Speaker*  
*Arthur Garson, Jr., MD, MPH*  
*Grand-Aides Program*

10:15-10:45 AM  
*Break (Coffee/light snack)*  
*Exhibit Hall Open*

10:45 AM-12:00 PM  
*Highlighted Speaker*  
*Ula Hwang, MD, MPH*  
*GEDI: Geriatric Emergency Department Interventions*

12:00-1:15 PM  
*Lunch*  
*Product Theatre*  
*Exhibit Hall Open*

1:15-2:15 PM  
*Breakout Sessions*

2:15-2:45 PM  
*Break (Coffee/light snack)*  
*Exhibit Hall Open*

2:45-3:45 PM  
*Breakout Sessions*

3:45-4:00 PM  
*Break (Coffee/light snack)*  
*Exhibit Hall Open*

4:00-5:00 PM  
*Closing Speaker*  
*Carolyn Clevenger, DNP*  
*Patient Centered Dementia Medical Home Model*

See following pages for presenter bios and more information on their presentations.

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**CE accreditation has been applied for via AANP, NASW, NAACM, ACCME, and LPC**
Arthur Garson, Jr., MD, MPH

**Grand-Aides**

- Describe the role of the home care provider in relation to the nurse practitioner/office-based provider in a Grand-Aide program
- List patient outcomes for healthcare utilization for patients who receive home care support services
- Identify mechanisms to optimize primary care of acute and chronic illness by leveraging every member of the healthcare team

Arthur Garson, Jr. is the Director of the Health Policy Institute, Texas Medical Center, Houston. Immediately preceding his current position, he was Director of the Center for Health Policy, University Professor and Professor of Public Health Sciences at the University of Virginia. He has previously been the University’s Executive Vice President and Provost and prior to that, Dean of the School of Medicine. He has served as the Chief of Pediatric Cardiology, Vice President of Texas Children’s Hospital and Dean for Academic Operations at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, as well as Associate Vice Chancellor for Health Policy at Duke. He is a member of the Institute of Medicine, past President of the American College of Cardiology and Chair of the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality’s National Advisory Council. He is the author of more than 450 publications including 8 books. In addition to work in more than 30 institutions or health plans in the US, he has consulted with health ministers in more than 10 countries on their workforce issues with possible application of Grand-Aides, an innovative health care delivery program with experienced, caring people connecting the patient and care team quickly and cost-effectively.

Ula Hwang, MD, MPH

**Geriatric Emergency Department Initiative (GEDI)**

- Define the successful environmental, process and staff attributes of the geriatric emergency department
- Describe the unique needs of the aging population during the time of emergent or urgent care
- Identify patient outcomes affected by the GEDI approach: risk of delirium, iatrogenic complications, cost, hospital length of stay, and transfer to long-term care facilities, patient and provider satisfaction and patient function

Ula Hwang, MD, MPH, FACEP is an Associate Professor of Emergency Medicine with a secondary appointment in Geriatrics and Palliative Medicine at the Mount Sinai School of Medicine in New York. She is also a core faculty researcher in the GRECC (Geriatrics Research, Education and Clinical Center) at the James J. Peters Bronx VAMC. Her research focuses on understanding and improving the quality of care older adults receive in the ED setting, in particular acute pain care. As such she authored the paper “The Geriatric Emergency Department” that is the basis of the HCIA program, GEDI WISE (Geriatric Emergency Department Innovations in care through Workforce, Informatics, and Structural Enhancements) and was a lead organizer of the nationally endorsed Geriatric ED guidelines. She is a content expert on geriatric emergency care and acute geriatric pain care and is the Past President of the Academy of Geriatric Emergency Medicine of the Society for Academic Emergency Medicine and incoming Chair for the Geriatric Section of the American College of Emergency Physicians. Ula has received funding from the American Geriatrics Society, Hartford Foundation, Atlantic Philanthropies, and New York State Department of Health, and is currently funded by the Veterans Affairs Health Services Research & Development, National Institute on Aging, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid, and Hartford Foundation.
Speaker Bios & Presentation Objectives

Camille Vaughan, MD, MS
Enhancing Quality of Prescribing Practices for older veterans discharged from the Emergency Department (EQUiPPED)

- List potentially inappropriate medications for older adults, according to the Beers criteria
- Describe the role of the various providers within the healthcare team in managing emergent conditions common among older adults
- Describe provider response to the structured change in emergency department prescribing processes

Dr. Vaughan is a geriatrician and clinical investigator with a focus on optimizing the care of adults with multiple chronic conditions. She serves as Associate Section Chief for Research within Geriatrics & Gerontology, Assistant Professor at Emory School of Medicine, and as an Investigator in the Birmingham/Atlanta VA Geriatric Research Education and Clinical Center (GRECC). Currently, she is supported by a five-year VA career development award investigating exercise-based behavioral therapy for urinary incontinence in Parkinson disease. Dr. Vaughan also led the formation of a multi-institutional implementation team (EQUiPPED project) to reduce the use of potentially inappropriate medications prescribed to older Veterans discharged from five VA emergency departments.

Kathy Kinlaw, MDiv
Schwartz Rounds: Sharing Vulnerability and the Human Dimension of Medicine

- Understand the moral distress experienced among professional caregivers in ethically challenging clinical situations
- Identify models and opportunities that ensure patient-centered care
- Explore the research supporting prognosis discussions and communication strategies that address patient and caregiver emotions

Kathy Kinlaw is Associate Director of the Emory University Center for Ethics and Director of the Center’s Program in Health Sciences and Ethics. She serves as Bioethics Associate in Pediatrics, Emory School of Medicine; and Executive Director of the Health Care Ethics Consortium of Georgia.

Kathy is as a member of the CDC Ethics Subcommittee of the Advisory Committee to the Director, and is on the GeorgiaComposite Board of Medical Examiners. Since 1994 she has co-directed the School of Medicine’s teaching in Clinical Ethics. Her publications and scholarly interests are primarily in the areas of: palliative and end of life care, ethics and medical education, perinatal and neonatal ethics, the work of ethics committees, and public health ethics.

Eve Byrd, MSN, MPH, APRN-BC
Updates in Pharmacologic Interventions for Geriatric Psychiatric patients

- Understand the problems and issues of medication use and management in the elderly with psychiatric diagnoses
- Review pharmacodynamic and pharmacokinetic considerations relevant to the use of psychotropics in the older adult
- Review medication management concerns and controversies in late-life depression

Ms. Eve H. Byrd, Executive Director of the Fuqua Center for Late-Life Depression/ Emory University, graduated from the Nell Hodgson Woodruff School of Nursing at Emory University where she earned her Bachelors in Nursing and her Masters in Psychosocial Nursing. She also earned a Masters in Public Health with a concentration in Health Policy from Rollins School of Public Health at Emory. She is a certified Family Nurse Practitioner and a licensed Psychiatric Clinical Nurse Specialist. She is an adjunct faculty member at Emory’s School of Nursing. Ms. Byrd is a member of the Board of Directors for the American Association of Geriatric Psychiatry and serves on the annual meeting program and practice committees. She is also on the Board of Directors of Community Friendship, Inc., a psychosocial rehabilitation program in Atlanta. She has served as consultant to the Georgia House Representative Pat Gardner and the Fulton Behavioral Health System of Care Study Committee, Atlanta Regional Commission/Atlanta Area Agency on Aging, Georgia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities, Georgia Division of Aging, the Georgia Alzheimer’s Association and a is member of the Georgia Alzheimer’s and Related Dementia’s State Plan Task Force. She is on faculty with the Carter Center’s Mental Health Program/Liberia Project.

In addition to practicing as an Nurse Practitioner in geriatric psychiatry, Ms. Byrd's area of interest include the translation of evidence based models of care into practice, work force development and mental health policy as it pertains to the care of older adults.
**Speaker Bios & Presentation Objectives**

**Colleen Peach, MSN, CS, FNP-C**  
*Updates in Parkinson's Disease*

Describe the unique chronic and acute care needs of Parkinson's patients

- Describe the role of various providers within the healthcare team in assessing and managing acute and chronic issues for persons with Parkinson's disease
- List the patient outcomes associated with a comprehensive collaborative care approach

Colleen Peach is a Family Nurse Practitioner at Emory University in the Department of Neurology. She graduated from Kennesaw State University with her Masters of Science in Nursing in 1999. She has been working in the Movement Disorder Section since 2000 working with patients with Parkinson’s Disease, Essential Tremor, Dystonia and various other movement disorders. She currently is involved with cutting edge advancements in the use of using deep brain stimulation as a treatment for these disorders. She currently resides in Marietta, Georgia and is a loving wife and dedicated mother of her two children.

**Carolyn Clevenger, DNP**  
*Patient Centered Dementia Medical Home Model*

- Describe the unique needs of persons with dementia and their family caregivers in primary care
- Describe the model of comprehensive, collaborative care for persons with dementia that incorporates psychiatry, palliative care, geriatrics and neurology to achieve best outcomes
- Identify the roles of the clinical team members in providing the appropriate care to persons with dementia and their caregivers

Carolyn Clevenger, RN, DNP, AGPCNP-BC, GNP-BC, FAANP earned a BSN from West Virginia University, MSN (Gerontology NP) and Post-Masters Certificate (Education) from Emory University, and Doctor of Nursing Practice from Medical College of Georgia. She completed a Special Fellowship in Advanced Geriatrics at the Birmingham/Atlanta VA Geriatric Research, Education, and Clinical Center (GRECC). She holds a number of leadership positions in nursing education and practice at the School of Nursing and its clinical affiliate, the Atlanta VA Medical Center. In addition to her role as Assistant Dean, she is the Director of the Fuld Palliative Care Fellowship program and Lead for Student Training of the Atlanta Regional Geriatric Education Center. She is the nurse faculty lead on interprofessional education collaboratives such as the Interprofessional Team Training Day(s) and Emory Senior Mentor program. At the Atlanta VA Medical Center, she is the Associate Program Director of the Atlanta VA Quality Scholars Advanced Fellowship program. She is President-Elect of the Gerontological Advanced Practice Nurses Association (GAPNA), the national organization representing the interests of advanced practice nurses who work with older adults in a wide variety of practice settings.

Dr. Clevenger’s commitment to nursing education, practice, and scholarship has garnered national acclaim. In 2013, she was named a Health Care Hero by the Atlanta Business Chronicle. The Gerontological Advanced Practice Nurses Association honored her with its Excellence in Education Award in 2010.

Dr. Clevenger is a recognized as an expert in gerontology and healthy aging. She has served as a clinical expert for media outlets including Fox News, the Atlanta Journal-Constitution, Atlanta Magazine, and the Atlanta Business Chronicle.
**2015 Annual Conference Information**

**DATE:**
Saturday, March 7, 2015

**LOCATION:**
The Historic Academy of Medicine
http://academy.gatech.edu

**FEES:**
GAPNA Members - RNs, SWs: $75
Non-GAPNA Members - (NP, PA, MD): $95
Students - $35

*No refunds after February 15, 2015.

**LODGING:**
Renaissance Atlanta Midtown Hotel
866 W Peachtree St, NW
Atlanta, GA 30308
678-412-2400

A block of rooms has been reserved at a rate of $144/night: mention Gerontological Advanced Practice Nurses Association Meeting when making reservations.

Cut off date for preferred rate is February 13, 2015.

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**Register Online at www.GAGAPNA.org**

**OR Registration BY MAIL:**

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Georgia Chapter of GAPNA
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SATURDAY MARCH 7, 2015
Seating for Concurrent Sessions is limited. Please register for the session you plan to attend.

* Breakout Session 1: (1) ________________________ (2) ________________________

* Breakout Session 2: (1) ________________________ (2) ________________________

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