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Six Rivers Chapter
CLMA

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FALL CONFERENCE
September 30 & October 1, 2010
Deer Creek Resort and Conference Center
Mt. Sterling, OH



www.sixriversclma.org

www.pointofcare.net/OhioValley/index.htm

**Dear Six Rivers Members & OHIO POCT
Network Friends,**

It's that time of year to join together for our fun fall event...the Annual Fall Conference!!! Again we have invited the OHIO POCT Group to collaborate for this remarkable conference.

Please join us at the Deer Creek Resort and Conference Center to learn about practices that can apply to your laboratory and your **success!**

Thursday, September 30, 2010

12:00–5:00 p.m. **CLMA Six Rivers Chapter
Strategic Planning meeting**
Meeting room: Pin Oak Room

3:00–5:00 p.m. **Vendor Set-Up**
Meeting room: Mezzanine

6:00–10:00 p.m. **Evening Presentation and
Networking Event**

Labs are Vitals sponsored
by Abbott Diagnostics

Dinner includes appetizers,
pizza, and salad

Cost: \$10 (cash bar)
Please mark the registration
form

Vendor Exhibits and Silent Auction!!

Our signature fall event will again offer vendor exhibits and a silent auction which will benefit the CLS/CLT or MLT/MT Student Scholarships.

Friday, October 1, 2010

Meeting: Red Oak & Chestnut Room
Vendor Hall: Mezzanine

- 8:00–9:00 a.m. **Registration & Continental
Breakfast**
- 9:00–10:00 a.m. **Health Care Reform–Impact
on You and Your Laboratory**
- 9:00–10:00 a.m. **Biomarkers and Current
Laboratory Trends**
- 10:00–11:00 a.m. **Vendor Exhibits and Silent
Auction**
- 11:00–12:00 p.m. **Increasing Engagement of the
Laboratory Professional**
- 11:00–12:00 p.m. **Case Studies in POC Testing
Communication**
- 12:00–1:30 p.m. **Lunch, Annual Reports,
Vendor Exhibits and
Silent Auction**
- 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. **Strategies for Compliance
with the CAP Patient Safety
Goals**
- 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. **Procalcitonin (PCT): An Aid in
the Assessment of Sepsis**
- 2:30 – 3:30 p.m. **Basic Tools to Build Success-
Self Development and
Leadership Tips**
- 2:30 – 3:30 p.m. **CAP's Competency
Assessment Program**
- 3:30 – 4:00 p.m. **Silent Auction and Meeting
Wrap-Up**

EXHIBITORS & SPONSORS

Speaker Sponsors:

Abbott Diagnostics

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Siemens

CAP

Interested in becoming a sponsor or exhibitor? Go to the chapter website and download the exhibitor contract at:

www.sixriversclma.org

DEER CREEK RESORT

LODGING:

Double Room (2 double beds) in lodge - \$117
Cabins - \$160

These rates do not include any taxes
(7% sales tax and 6% bed tax)

Reservations must be made by **September 3, 2010** to receive the discounted rate. **PLEASE** mention **SIX RIVERS CLMA** when making your reservations.

CALL reservations directly to the following:
877-678-3337 (toll free)

ACTIVITIES:

For more information about Deer Creek and its Facilities (golfing, boating, hiking), log on to:

www.visitdeercreek.com
For more details contact Deer Creek Resort:
740-869-2020

DIRECTIONS

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From Columbus (45 miles SE): Take I-71S to Exit 84 (London/Mt. Sterling). Follow State Route 56 for 4 miles to Mt. Sterling. Go to the second traffic light and turn onto Columbus St. Follow for 1 block to the fork at the BP station; turn left on State Rt. 207 for about 4 miles. Turn left onto Cook-Yankeetown Rd. to park entrance. Turn right onto park road; 3 miles to resort.

From Cincinnati (75 miles NE): Take I-71N to Exit 84 (London/Mt. Sterling) and follow the above directions.

From Dayton (55 miles SE): Take St. Rt. 35 Southeast to Washington Court House. Take St. Rt. 62 NE to Washington-Waterloo Rd. For 9 miles to St. Rt. 207. Turn left; follow Rt. 207 for 2 miles to Cook-Yankeetown Rd. Turn right onto Cook-Yankeetown Rd. for about 2 miles to park entrance. Turn right, 3 miles to resort.

Program Speakers

Thursday, Sept 30th 7:00 p.m.

Labs are Vital sponsored by Abbott Diagnostics

Julie Aleksiewicz, Key Account Representative for Abbott Diagnostics

Labs Are Vital is a program focused on positively impacting the laboratory and its professionals by elevating the profile of the laboratory and extending its influence in the healthcare community. It is a program to raise awareness of what exactly laboratorians do and how they influence patient care. This presentation will explain what the program is and how to get involved.

Friday, October 1st 9:00 a.m.

Health Care Reform – Impact on You and Your Laboratory

Paul Labbe, VP Operations at CompuNet Clinical Labs

The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act of 2010 was signed into law this past spring, and the 2,000+ page bill will impact the accessibility and delivery of health care in the U.S. far into the future. Timelines and specific guidelines are still being established, so we'll give you the highlights of what we know to-date, and how it is projected to impact you and your laboratory services down the road.

Biomarkers and Current Laboratory Trends sponsored by Ortho Clinical Diagnostics

Mike Sutch, MT (ASCP) MA, PMP, U.S. Regional Marketing Manager – ClinChem/ImmunoAssay, Ortho Clinical Diagnostics

This informative and interactive speaking program will be on current and future trends that are being seen within the Laboratory. Labs are facing new challenges and new biomarkers are being developed to help patients Be Healthier, Feel Better and Live Longer. Focus of this presentation will be on Cardiac Biomarkers, Vitamin D testing, Mental Stress Biomarkers and Osteoporosis treatment monitoring.

Friday, October 1st 11:00 a.m.

Increasing Engagement of the Laboratory Professional

Kimberly Cromwell-Berkes, Director of Organizational Development at Nationwide Children's Hospital

The purpose of this presentation is to identify current areas of dissatisfaction in the healthcare laboratory culture as well as solutions that empower leaders and staff to increase job satisfaction in their work unit / organization.

Case Studies in POC Testing Communication

Ed Tirakis MHSA, MT (ASCP), Director of Laboratory Services at Knox Community Hospital

This presentation will center on case studies related to point of care testing and communication. We will discuss specific issues facing Point of Care Coordinators and as a group decide on possible solutions.

Friday, October 1st 1:30 p.m.

Strategies for Compliance with the CAP Patient Safety Goals

Patsy Bryant MT(ASCP), SBB, Administrative Director of Laboratory Services at Good Samaritan Hospital

This presentation will list the CAP patient safety goals and provide examples of ways different laboratories are meeting the goals. There will also be a period of time set aside for participants to discuss measures they have taken to satisfy the requirements.

Friday, October 1st 1:30 p.m.

Procalcitonin (PCT): An Aid in the Assessment of Sepsis sponsored by Siemens Healthcare Diagnostic

Nancy J. Haley, Ph.D., Senior Clinical Specialist, Disease State Management at Siemens Healthcare Diagnostic

Sepsis is a leading cause of death worldwide. Biomarkers of sepsis have been the subject of intense investigation because the onset of sepsis is not always clinically apparent. Literature supporting procalcitonin as a biomarker to aid in the identification of septic patients will be discussed.

Friday, October 1st 2:30 p.m.

Basic Tools to Build Success – Self Development and Leadership

Jim A. Rowe HT, MT(ASCP) MBA, FACHE, Regional Vice Present of Clinical Services at Cleveland Clinic Regional Hospitals

This presentation is designed for those who are new to management and those who want ideas for self development. You will learn:

- how to use a SWOT analysis for self assessment
- how SWOT can be used for departments and new direct reports
- ideas to improve personal competencies
- ideas around time management, finance, and communication
- the power of simple disciplines

CAP's Competency Assessment Program
Kathy Mortell, Manager, CAP Client Relations western U.S. & Canada

This presentation will cover:

- Review of 2011 Competency Assessment and training courses
- Course Builder tools
- Checklist Builder
- Instrument-specific checklists
- Management reports
- CE credits

Powerful time-saving program that simplifies responsibilities for meeting CLIA mandates in the laboratory. An efficient way to administer, monitor and manage competency for all laboratory personnel and more.

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REGISTRATION FORM

DUE BY FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th, 2010

Name: _____

Title: _____

Organization: _____

Street Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Ph: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

Make check payable: CLMA SIX RIVERS CHAPTER

Mail to:

Wanda Broerman, Treasurer
12 Clark Road
Cincinnati, Ohio, 45215

Contact info:

Phone: 513-706-4157

E-mail: smithwl1257@hotmail.com

Check which Track you will be attending: **CLMA/ Management** or **POCT**

FEES:

Fill in amount

Thursday (9/29) Networking Dinner (\$10) _____

CLMA and OHIO POCT Network Members (\$45.00) _____

Non member (\$60.00) _____

MT/MLT student (\$10) _____

TOTAL: _____

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