

FLORIDA SOCIETY OF MEDICAL ASSISTANTS

WINTER SEMINAR

Crowne Plaza

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Saturday, January 14, 2012

7:00 am – 8:00 am	Registration Desk Open
8:00am – 8:15 am	Welcome – Marsha Benedict, CMA-A (AAMA) FSMA President Introduction – Heidi Fortin, CMA (AAMA) FSMA Education Chair
8:15 am –10:15 am	What is Cardiac MR Imaging?
2 CEU	Marguerite Crawford, M.D., Pediatric Cardiologist at All Children's Hospital, Johns Hopkins Medicine

This session will review recent advances in Cardiac imaging and how the Cardiac MRI is a fast, accurate tool which helps to evaluate the anatomy and function of the heart, valves, major vessels, and surrounding structures in patients with congenital cardiovascular disease.

10:15 am – 10:30 am	Break
10:30 am-12:30 pm	“WHY AM I DIZZY? DIZZYNESS AND VERTIGO ARE SYMPTOMS; NOT A DISEASE
2 CEU	

Liz Krupa, PT, Benign paroxysmal positional vertigo (BPPV)

During this session the medical assistant will learn what causes vertigo and where the dizziness comes from. There are many causes; such as benign positional vertigo, Meniere’s disease, unilateral and bilateral vestibular paresis, Perilymph fistula and other causes. There may be a neurological reason or a medical reason why someone becomes dizzy. Learn what tests are needed and when Physical Therapy can help with the correct diagnosis.

12:30 pm–1:30 pm            Lunch – included in registration

1:30 pm- 3:00pm            Three Worst Foods and Why?

1.5 CEU                        Dr. Jeremiah Joseph, Board Certified Chiropractic Neurologist

How do the foods we eat affect the body and how it affects the way we feel each day. Dr. Joseph will journey into the worse foods to show and explain how we can change the way we eat and feel on a daily basis.

3:00 pm -3:15 pm            Break

3:15 pm – 5:15 pm            Legislative Updates for Medical Related Fields

2 CEU                        John A. Cautero, P.A

What Florida Statutes have changed? How does the change affect the patient and/or their family members, what the patient needs to know about power of attorney, guardianship, health care surrogate and nursing home situations?

5:15 pm-5:45pm            FSMA Committee Meetings  
Committee chairs, take this opportunity and important time to meet with your committee members to finalize any business before the board meeting.

7:30pm                        FSMA Executive Board Meeting  
President Marsha Benedict, CMA-A (AAMA), and the executive board welcome all members to the board meeting. Learn how your organization operates and how you can become more involved.

**Total CEU's: 7.5**