



2021 OAASC ANNUAL EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE...

I think you would agree with me that there really is not a more perfect example of excellence in healthcare than the ambulatory surgery center industry. Where else in healthcare can you have the perfect joining of efficiency, patient satisfaction (coupled with physician and employee satisfaction), cost-effectiveness and most importantly, quality patient care?

Having missed all of you last year and coming off a year like no other, this year's conference theme, THE GREAT BALANCING ACT, seems to say it all. I am not sure about all of you, but I learned things in the past 16 months that continue to amaze me and sometimes I wonder how we all did it...yes, THE GREAT BALANCING ACT.

In keeping with the OAASC's tradition of "something for everyone" you will see that we have a vast array of speakers on various subjects that we believe contribute to balancing what we all do on a daily basis. Whether it be you, your nurse manager, your business office manager, one of your team members – you will all find something that relates to your area of expertise and will help fill any gaps you may be trying to balance.

Day one is solely devoted to Infection Prevention and will provide all the information that is needed to assist you and your team with TJC, AAAHC, ODH and CMS requirements and what we are hearing to be "hot topics" as those entities are back to on-site surveys.

And let's not forget our vendor area! Our vendors have stood by us this past year, waiting for us to gather again and they are back, bigger and better than ever!

It's been a long time my friends, so much has happened since we last met and on behalf of the Board of Trustees of the OAASC, I look forward to seeing you in September for what promises to be yet another outstanding conference.

Can't wait to hear how well you have "balanced" since we last were together,

Barb Draves, CASC OAASC Chair

THE GREAT BALANCING ACT

OAASC Annual Educational Conference

INFECTION PREVENTION WORKSHOP

Monday, September 27, 2021

Part 1 - Regulatory Requirements and How to Comply: We'll kick-off our day of infection prevention instruction with Cathy Montgomery, RN, CASC, of Excellentia Advisory Group. Her presentation will provide you with the 2021 requirements that you should be aware of to face your next State, Federal, OSHA, or EPA survey. Additionally, we will provide you the tools to make it happen! This has been a challenging year that has left more questions than answers. Knowing the expectations should prove to be valuable knowledge. While it is true there are some differences between the accrediting organizations, when it comes to Infection Control there is an alignment. Special points of interest will include:

- OSHA's memorandum and guidance on N95 reuse and fit testing
- Federal Emergency Operations Plan development for Emerging Infections Diseases effective 3/26/21
- How do you know what the EPA has approved as a disinfectant for COVID?
- Discussion of current Infection Control citations
- Where to find the CMS memos

Part 2 - Infection Control Strategies for Your Patients and Staff: After a short break we will reconvene with Cathy's associate, Loie Ruhl Couch, RN, BS, CIC, FAPIC. Knowing the rules is important, but we are all in this to keep each other safe. This includes your patients AND staff. Loie will lead a session on how to ensure this can be done. This past year has likely challenged our creativity skills. This is a good time to reflect on how that worked out and review short cuts that may be putting all at risk. Let us look at the basics that are not only best practice, but also required expectations in the ASC arena. This session will focus on the following:

- Surveillance and tracking for the ASC
- Pharmacy and safe injection practices
- Sterilization "musts"
- Housekeeping

Part 3 - Infection Prevention in Ohio ASCs – What you Need to Know about the Most Common Citations and How to Avoid Them: After lunch we will resume with Elethia Dean, RN, BSN, MBA, PhD of ASC Compliance. Elethia will take the afternoon to review the status of current infection prevention issues specific to Ohio, focusing on the most common citations noted in recent surveys and how to avoid repeating those at your center.

You don't want to miss this timely and informative day of education presented by the most knowledgeable professionals in the industry!

There is ONLY ONE place in Ohio to get AFFORDABLE training and resources needed for your center AND address the most common issues cited in Ohio by inspectors. No need to travel to expensive trainings out of state when you can receive ALL that you need for your center here.

Attendance will meet CMS and ODH requirements for infection prevention continuing education. All participants will receive a certificate of participation, information for in-service training and continuing education (nursing and BASC – see disclaimer). And most importantly, you will have what you need for the highest quality of care for your patients on infection prevention in your center.

Monday, September 27, 2021 INFECTION PREVENTION WORKSHOP

8:30 AM - 9:20 AM 9:20 AM - 9:30 AM Registration and Continental Breakfast with Exhibitors

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9:30 AM - 11:00 AM....Infection Prevention Part 1

11:00 AM - 11:20 AM....Coffee Break with Exhibitors

11:20 AM - 12:40 PM.....Infection Prevention Part 2

12:40 PM - 1:30 PM.....Lunch with Exhibitors

1:30 PM - 3:00 PM......Infection Prevention Part 3

3:00 PM - 3:20 PM......Coffee Break with Exhibitors

3:20 PM - 4:40 PM......Session Resumes

4:40 PM......Day 1 Adjourns

5:30 PM - 7:00 PM Social Reception

It's great to be together again! Join us on the patio for a lovely fall evening of drinks, appetizers and wonderful networking with exhibitors and peers.

Tuesday, September 28, 2021 GENERAL EDUCATION SESSIONS and BREAKOUTS

7:00 AM - 7:30 AM

Continental Breakfast with Exhibitors

7:30 AM - 7:45 AM

Welcome

7:45 AM - 8:45 AM | Keynote Address

Live and Lead with G.R.I.T.

Dr. Melissa Briggs-Phillips

Pluck. Moxy. Determination in the face of seemingly insurmountable odds. "Grit" is a term used by educational czars, cross fit instructors and business leaders in reference to personal gains, athletic prowess, market acumen and physical feats that boggle the mind. Science indicates that the power of perception may trump raw physical and intellectual ability. In other words, all of those burpees mean nothing if your head is not right! Gratitude. Responsibility. Intention. Toughness. G.R.I.T represents FOUR CORE FACTORS that Dr. Melissa has researched, observed, trained, taught and practiced herself. Learn what these FOUR CORE FACTORS look like in yourself and others (you may be surprised) and leave with action items to try and achieve your goals with G.R.I.T.

General Session | 8:45 AM - 9:45 AM

2021 National Legislative and Regulatory Update

Kara Newbury, William (Bill) Prentice

Kara and Bill will review the latest news from Washington D.C. affecting ASCs on a national front as our industry gets back to business as we know it. After many months of unusual and unexpected challenges, this session will help us re-focus on the important legislative and regulatory issues that affect our centers.

Tuesday, September 28, 2021 Cont'd...

GENERAL EDUCATION SESSIONS and BREAKOUTS

9:45 AM-10:15 AM Coffee and Exhibit Break

General Session | 10:15 AM - 11:15 AM

A Reflection of 30 Years in the ASC Industry

John Goehle, MBA, CASC, CPA

After surviving such a challenging year, it's the perfect time to reflect on our industry's past, present and future. John will discuss the early years of the ASC industry and how it has changed in 30 years. His presentation will highlight the biggest lessons learned and where we might be headed as we all look to the future.

Concurrent Sessions | 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

The Joint Commission ASC Compliance Update

Angela Timperio

Angela will provide an update that discusses changes to the Accreditation Process, and how they will affect ASCs for the remainder of 2021 and into 2022.

2021 AAAHC and QAPI Update and Review Elethia Dean, RN, BSN, MBA, PhD

Have you been wondering what recent changes have been put in place with AAAHC and QAPI? Elethia will review what you need to be aware of to ensure your center is prepared for your next survey and assessment.

12:30 PM -1:30 PM Lunch

Concurrent Sessions | 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Best Practices for ASC Peer Review

Eric Plinke, Esa.

Eric's session will guide you through a summary of best practices and policies for ASCs in conducting peer review activities, protecting confidentiality and preserving immunity. (Session Meets Cat A Ohio Nursing Requirement.)

What We've Learned about Inventory Management in the Post COVID World

Heather Changet

Heather will provide a close look at how inventory management in ASCs has changed in the wake of the COVID-19 crisis. Her session will provide concepts to help attendees pivot to a new understanding of preparedness and planning.

Concurrent Sessions

| 2:45 PM - 3:45 PM

Developing an Emergency Management Preparedness Plan

Angela Timperio

Are you confident in your center's Emergency Management Preparedness Plan? Have the challenges of the past year and a half left you feeling like improvements could be made? This presentation will lead you through handson learning where you will actually start building a great emergency plan for your facility.

Ransomware and Your Facility IT. Are you Aware and Prepared?

Eric Madden

These days you simply have to turn on the news to realize that ransomware is one of the newest threats to your facility's IT integrity. Eric and his teammates will provide a review of this timely and challenging topic, and offer tips and suggestions to make sure your center is protected and prepared.

Concurrent Sessions | 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Resilience - Turning Adversity into Opportunity

Brian Garver

2020 and 2021 have been challenging years! The Healthcare Revenue Cycle Industry is difficult in regular times, but now we are really in the weeds. Patients are facing additional challenges of their own and need help more than ever. How can you and your team come out on the other side of this even better? The key is Resilience. Developing resilience in yourself and your team will help in your work and personal lives.

Doing This...Will Make Your Center a Top Performer! Tori Caillet, RN, BSHCA, CNOR, CASC

Did you know that adding a few important details to everyday life at your ASC can help it become a top performing facility? Hand-off communications, maintaining a neat and tidy center and drills will be discussed; but we will also take a timely look at vaccine management and tips for developing a Respiratory Protection Program.

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FEATURED KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Dr. Melissa Briggs-Phillips Owner and Founder Next Generation Behavioral Health

Melissa Briggs-Phillips, PhD, is owner and founder, Next Generation Behavioral Health and a licensed clinical psychologist with a corporate background. In addition to serving as a leader of people and projects herself, she has spent years coaching people through career pivots and life transitions. She knows the full, real deal about people's internal processes: why they leave bosses, why they drive chaos with co-workers, why you cannot get alignment across teams, why you need 3 glasses of cabernet to stop ruminating about an

exchange in a meeting. She will outline the "G.R.I.T." approach, a framework to personal and professional growth that is a fusion of best practices in organizational psychology, behavioral health, and leadership.

EXHIBITORS

Exhibit Area

Be sure to visit our valued exhibitors that will feature the latest, most innovative products and services for ambulatory surgery centers. Many of the exhibitors will be giving away great door prizes. Visit each exhibitor for your chance to win!

Exhibit and Networking Hours

Monday, September 27th

8:30 AM - 7:00 PM

Tuesday, September 28th 7:00 AM - 10:15 AM

Our valued exhibitors who have already registered:

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Agiliti Health

Ambulatory Healthcare Strategies

American Biomedical & Imaging Group, Inc

ASC Compliance, LLC

Astute Technology Management

Didage Sales Company, Inc.

Economy Linen-Medical

EmPower HR

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Heron Therapeutics, Inc.

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Pacira BioSciences, Inc.

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ServiceMaster Elite Janitorial Services

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TSI-Transworld Systems



REGISTRATION FEES

Early Bird deadline is September 17, 2021.

OAASC Member Full Conference (received on or before 9/17/2021)	\$299.00
Non-Member Full Conference (received on or before 9/17/2021)	\$449.00
OAASC Member Full Conference (received after 9/17/2021)	\$344.00
Non-Member Full Conference (received after 9/17/2021)	\$504.00
OAASC Member Infection Prevention Only	\$239.00
Non-Member Infection Prevention Only	\$334.00
Each Additional OAASC Member Full Conference	\$219.00
Each Additional Non-Member Full Conference	\$344.00
Walk-in Registrations are welcome!	

ACCOMMODATIONS

All rooms (1 King/2 Doubles) will be available for the rate of \$150.00/night at the Hilton Columbus/Polaris. If you want to make reservations, please call 1.888.864.8055 or 614.885.1600 and use the group code: OAAMBS. Or go to the OAASC website: www.oaasc.net for the online link.

CONFERENCE ATTENDANCE CANCELLATION

Cancellations received in writing at the OAASC office by 5 p.m. Eastern on September 17th will be entitled to a refund, less a \$50 administrative fee. Cancellations received after September 17th will be subject to a 50% penalty. Conference "no-shows" forfeit their entire registration fee. Substitutions are welcome with advance notice. Telephone and email cancellations will not be accepted. Please mail cancellations to OAASC: P.O. Box 340225, Columbus, OH 43234-0225 or fax to 614.467.2071.

DIRECTIONS

The Hilton Columbus/Polaris is located at 8700 Lyra Dr. Columbus, Ohio 43240. Traveling I-270 or I-70, proceed to I-71 North to Exit 121 which is Polaris Parkway. Turn left (West) onto Polaris Parkway and proceed to the first traffic light, Lyra Drive. Turn right at Lyra Drive.

PARKING

The Hilton Columbus/Polaris provides 500 complimentary spaces for self-parking at their facility.

This activity has been submitted to the Ohio Nurses Association for approval to award contact hours. The Ohio Nurses Association is accredited as an approver of nursing continuing professional development by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. (OBN-001-91) There is no conflict of interest for anyone with the ability to control content of this activity. Please contact Heidi Moss at 614-358-0177 for more information about contact hours.

An application has been submitted to the American Association of Professional Coders for CEs for the program. This full program has been submitted for approval by BASC Provider #6228 for CASC certified professionals. You must attend the entire curriculum and complete an evaluation form to be awarded CE units. No exceptions will be accepted. Please contact Heidi Moss at 614-358-0177 for more information about contact hours.