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OREGON GERIATRICS SOCIETY 18th ANNUAL CONFERENCE

October 6-8, 2017

Join us this year for the 18th Annual Geriatrics Conference - at Sunriver Resort, October 6-8, 2017. Our keynote speaker this year is John Abramson, MD, from Harvard Medical School. Other topics include Diabetes, Aging Eye, Substance Use Disorders, Geriatric Literature, Statin Use, Antipsychotics, Elder Abuse, Dementia, Adapting to Major Life Transitions Of Aging, Venous Leg Ulcers, Osteoporosis, Home-Based Primary Care, Lessons From Geriatric Practices Around The World, Oregon Advance Directives, Healthcare Policy, Environmental Design For The Aging, Mobility Devices And Bracing Considerations For Aging, and Nutrition. Lodging-Sunriver Resort 1-800-547-3922. Reserve early! Sunriver Resort is located 16 miles south of Bend, OR. Mention the Oregon Geriatrics Society room block for your lodging. Room Block Ends August 30th. We encourage you to register online now (if you need a paper reg form, please email us). Here is the link to register online: https://cmetracker.net/OHSU/Login?FormName=RegLoginLive&EventId=33518 NOTE: You must be a paid member of the Oregon Geriatrics Society for member conference rate. Please see last page of newsletter or OGS website to become a member. Pay dues on line by visiting the OGS. www.oregongeriatricssociety.org
OREGON CHAPTER AMERICAN COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS

The Oregon Chapter's Council of Women Physicians has identified the themes of building community, engaging in advocacy, giving back to the community, and taking care of ourselves as core values for our programming this coming year. We aim to schedule volunteerism and physical activity events in addition to speakers and talks. In this spirit, we would like to announce our summer event!

Please join us for the Saturday August 26, 2017
"Heroes in Recovery" 6K Run/Walk.
8:00am – Fernhill Park – Portland, OR
This year’s charity beneficiary is Hooper Detox of Central City Concern.

Heroes in Recovery has a simple mission: to eliminate the social stigma that keeps individuals with addiction and mental health issues from seeking help, to share stories of recovery for the purpose of encouragement and inspiration, and to create an engaged sober community that empowers people to get involved, give back, and live healthy, active lives. It takes a heroic effort to live clean and sober each day, and a Heroes 6K* celebrates that effort. The sixth kilometer separates a Heroes race from a typical 5K to symbolize the extra effort it takes to sustain recovery. The six kilometers also represent the six letters in the word HEROES. The Portland Heroes Race is presented by Oregon Trail Recovery, Awakenings Recovery, and Foundations Recovery Network.

PARTICIPATE WITH OREGON CHAPTER ACP TEAM OR DONATE:
--go to the main registration page http://heroesinrecovery.com/heroes6k/portland/
--go through the majority of the registration form.
--under "Team Information", click "Join a team" >> you will see the Oregon ACP team.
(this will also automatically link to our fundraising team).
Note: Fundraising is separate from registering fee for the Run/Walk.

"On behalf of the Oregon ACP Chapter's Council of Women Physicians (CWP), please join us for a group participation in the Saturday August 26th for the "Heroes in Recovery" 6K Run/Walk. This year's charity beneficiary is Hooper Detox of Central City Concern. All donations go directly to "Network for Good" specifically for Hooper Detox of Central City Concern. Donations do NOT go to Oregon ACP or National ACP."

CAN’T PARTICIPATE IN THE RUN/WALK---BUT WANT TO DONATE:
Follow this link: https://www.crowdrise.com/oregonamericancollegeofphysiciansacpchapter

VIRTUAL RUN:
Not in or able to make it to Portland for this? There is a "Virtual Run" option (see the website for more information as well as main registration page).
OREGON GERIATRICS SOCIETY - SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
ASSISTING STUDENTS, RESIDENTS, AND FELLOWS
IN GERIATRIC HEALTHCARE TRAINING

The Oregon Geriatrics Society Scholarship Program was established in 2010 to assist students, residents, and fellows in geriatric healthcare training, who have been selected to present a geriatric themed topic for poster or presentation at a national meeting. Funding for this program is provided from proceeds from an annual Silent Auction held in conjunction with the OGS Annual Conference. The OGS board of directors will determine the amount and number of scholarships distributed depending on funds available and number of applications received in a given year. Typically, we are able to cover travel and some miscellaneous expenses, for one to two scholarships per year. If you are a Student, Resident, or Fellow – we encourage you to apply for funding to assist with presenting your work at national meetings. Please find more information at the OGS website.

OREGON HEALTH & SCIENCE UNIVERSITY - DIVISION OF CPD ACTIVITIES
Please visit the OHSU Division of CPD website for full descriptions of activities and to subscribe to the CPD Newsletter. www.ohsu.edu/cme

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Multnomah Athletic Club – Portland, OR.

OLDER ADULT BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INITIATIVE
Clackamas, Multnomah, & Washington Counties
About the Older Adult Behavioral Health Initiative
Older Adult Behavioral Health Initiative | OABHI@multco.us | 503-988-2230
In early 2015 the OABHI was launched to improve delivery of behavioral health services to older adults and people with disabilities. This initiative examines the current systems for delivering mental health and addiction services to older adults and people with disabilities. The goal of the initiative is to increase access to care and services through more effective multi-system collaboration and coordination and through a well trained work force with competencies in older adult behavioral health.
For those of you who may not know, I am the COSAR (Council of State Affiliate Representatives) representative for the Oregon Geriatrics Society. For the third year as COSAR rep, I attended the American Geriatrics Society (AGS) Annual Meeting, which was held this May in San Antonio, Texas. There are two public policy-related meetings/talks that I wanted to report on in this update. There are some major policies that will impact providers and especially our patients; I hope that all of you will read through this to understand what is at stake and how the AGS is diligently working on these issues. The first session was the annual AGS Public Policy talk; this year titled “Navigating Through Uncertain Times in Public Policy” which included speakers: Peter Hollmann, Robert Zorowitz, Kathleen Unroe, Michael Malone, and Paul Rudolf.

Following the 2016 elections, there has been a major change in Administration; the key healthcare players are: Tom Price (Secretary of Health and Human Services, HHS) and Seema Verma (Administrator of the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, CMS). AGS has been proactive with letters to the President and Congress highlighting federal programs and policies essential to supporting older Americans and reiterated its commitment to work collaboratively on these efforts, particularly the Affordable Care Act (ACA) repeal and changes to Medicaid (and possibly Medicare). Key points were summarized in two Journal of the American Geriatrics Society (JAGs) articles (JAGs March 2017;65(3):462-465 and 466-469). So far, the focus of the new Administration has been on repealing the ACA and restructuring Medicaid. The American Health Care Act (AHCA) is the new plan being introduced – it narrowly passed in early May 2017 by the House. AGS and other key medical groups have expressed concern and opposition to the AHCA as it will reduce the federal deficit by reducing Medicaid funding, leaving up to 24 million uninsured by 2026. Nearly 75% of states spend more than 30% of their total Medicaid dollars on Medicare beneficiaries. The AHCA caps federal financial support to each state to a limited, pre-set amount per person. This will result in reduced federal funding for Medicaid and increased costs imposed on states. States will in turn be forced to make choices regarding key services for older adults, which will impact access to long-term care, nursing homes, and home health care, as well as many other services. Although the Republicans have indicated that they will likely keep most of the 165 ACA provisions affecting Medicare intact, the AHCA would repeal the Hospital Insurance tax on individuals in high-income brackets which will reduce revenue to the Hospital Insurance Trust Fund (known as Medicare Part A: impacting access to hospital, skilled nursing facility, home health and hospice benefits). It is unclear how the bill would replace this lost revenue. Right now, the AHCA faces uncertainty given its failure to pass in the Senate. AGS will continue to be involved in opportunities to provide feedback and expertise.

AGS advocates through meetings, Hill visits, letters, testimony, and in coalition for programs important to older adults and our members including the National Institute on Aging, Department of Veterans Affairs, title VII and VIII geriatric health professions programs, and those under the Older Americans Act. AGS has expressed its deep disappointment in the President’s “skinny budget” with plans to make significant cuts to healthcare research, zeroes out funding for the Geriatrics Workforce Enhancement Program along with other Health Resources and Services Administration primary care programs.

Key AGS Policy Work Successes For The Past Year:
Creating High-Quality Results and Outcomes Necessary to Improve Chronic (CHRONIC) Care Act of 2017; passed the Senate Finance Committee 5/18/17. This Act features many of AGS’ priorities including extending the Independence at Home Demonstration, expanding telehealth services, and making Special Needs Plans permanent.
21st Century Cures Act: passed in December 2016. Key highlights: funds $4.8 billion over 10 years for Precision Medicine Initiative, BRAIN Initiative, cancer research, and regenerative medicine; helps NIH funding to include relevant age categories in clinical studies; SAMHSA to promote evidence-based practices for prevention and treatment of geriatric mental disorders and substance use disorders; MedPAC/CMS to examine telehealth benefits for the dual eligible and those with chronic conditions.

AGS Policy Goals For 2017:
1) Ensure adequate funding for the Geriatrics Workforce Enhancement Program (GWEP): only federal program designed to increase the number of providers in a variety of disciplines with the skills and training to care for the elderly. There are 44 GWEK centers in 29 states.
2) Restore the Geriatric Academic Career Award (GACA): only federal program intended to increase the number of faculty with geriatrics expertise in a variety of disciplines.
3) Guiding the implementation of MACRA (Medicare Access and CHIP Reauthorization Act of 2015), which repealed and replaced Medicare’s Sustainable Growth Rate (SGR) formula: this changes the way Medicare incorporates quality and cost efficiency measures into clinician payments.

AGS has launched online MACRA toolkit with resources from CMS and other key stakeholders: learn more at: http://www.americangeriatrics.org/publications-tools/practice-management

4) Improving healthcare provider reimbursement: AGS involved with getting coding and payment for Transitions of Care Management (2012), Chronic Care Management (2015), Advance Care Planning (2016), Complex Chronic Care Management (2017), Cognitive Assessment and Care Plan (2017); and in the future (2019) – Chronic Care Management for Physician Time.

AGS Policy Priorities For 2017:
- Expand healthcare options for us all as we age to include in-home and other care that enables us to live independently for as long as possible, help older adults and caregivers better understand healthcare needs and make the most of Medicare and other benefits, and provide caregivers with adequate resources and support.
- Ensure that value-based purchasing and other quality initiatives take into account the unique healthcare needs of all older people.
- Strengthen primary and preventive care and care coordination.
- Step-up research concerning healthy aging; the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of age-related health problems, and the cost-effectiveness of various approaches to care, as well as ensure that older adults are adequately represented in research trials.
- Address the acute and growing nationwide shortage of all geriatrics healthcare professionals, and ensure that other healthcare providers have training that prepares them to meet the unique healthcare needs of older people.

In sum, there is an internal team of AGS leaders and consultants who have been involved with collaboration and building relationships with key stakeholders to advance our causes. AGS has engaged with CMS and seeks to keep AGS members informed and educated about the many ongoing changes through comment letters, FAQ’s, webinars, and journal articles (in JAGs). Visit the AGS’ Health in Aging Advocacy Center, and take action today: www.capwiz.com/geriatrics

COSAR MEETING: At the AGS conference, I also attended the face-to-face COSAR meeting on May 19, 2017 (there are also 3 other quarterly virtual meetings throughout the year). This was led by the co-chairs of COSAR, James Powers, MD and Kathy Frank, RN/PhD. We did a roll call of COSAR member state chapters (there are 27 states now with local chapters) and discussed how each chapter is doing. Participants included: us, Oregon, Utah, Tennessee, New York, Arizona, West Virginia, Pennsylvania,
and Florida. Some chapters have difficulties with membership and executive director support, while others are doing quite well and continue to grow in size. Several chapters also sponsor an educational conference/meeting annually. The other part of the meeting was spent with invited guest speaker, Dr. Kyle Allen, who discussed “Geriatric Leadership in the Community” and how his organization was able to partner with community programs to make their post-hospital program a success. AGS is trying to reach out to state affiliates more and have many new resources that include My AGS Online, AGS State Affiliate webpages that can be accessed through the AGS website, and a State Affiliate Booth at the national AGS meeting. The new Director of Member Services and Relations, Ashley Morris, has been instrumental in organizing all of this. I am happy to share more information on any of the above topics and/or PowerPoint presentations from the AGS Policy lecture. As your state representative for AGS, please let me know your thoughts and concerns. Lisa Miura, MD. miural@ohsu.edu

OREGON HEALTH CARE ASSOCIATION

Annual Convention:
September 18-19, 2017 @ Oregon Convention Center
The Oregon Health Care Association is attended by over 1,400 professionals from assisted living, residential care, nursing facilities, and in-home care agencies. OHCA offers an energetic and well-balanced educational program to appeal to this diverse audience and make their learning experience the best it can be. Visit: www.ohca.org

The 2017 Annual Convention & Trade Shows features a variety of educational opportunities and unique special events including:
Keynote Speaker Session-Radical Leadership / Practical/Resource-filled Educational Breakout Sessions
Happy Hour Education Sessions / Awards Ceremony Luncheon Honoring OHCA Awards Winners

SALEM, OREGON - DEVELOP AGE-FRIENDLY COMMUNITY

Salem Mayor, Chuck Bennett, has made a commitment to actively work toward making Salem a great place for all ages! Center 50+ has accepted this challenge. Phase One of Salem’s program starts on September 19, 2017. Seeking community members and agency partners interested in serving on an age-friendly review team to help assess Salem as an Age-Friendly Community. This Launch Party is September 19, 7:00pm, at Salem Cinema, starting with a premier of the movie "Old" and an interactive survey and open conversation. Call Center 50+ at 503-588-6303 for your free tickets and details on commitment of time needed from volunteers. www.cityofsalem.net
Please contact Molly Willis at willima@ohsu.edu for more details.

**Friday, September 15, 2017: 8:00am – 3:05pm: Regional Palliative Care Conference in The Gorge “Advanced Illness & End of Life in The Gorge: Conversations About Palliative Care”**
Location: Water’s Edge (551 NE Lone Pine Blvd - The Dalles, OR 97058) Reg required/CME available

**Monday, September 25, 2017: 10:00am – 12:00pm: Dr. Daniel Labby Senior Clinicians’ Seminar: “The Opioid Crisis: Finding a Path between Chronic Pain, Addiction, and Death”**, Discussion led by: Dave Clarke, MD. Location: OHSU Marquam Hill; Casey Eye Institute; MacDonald Auditorium Reg not required/CME not available/Contact Molly Willis for parking and tram needs

**Friday, October 6, 2017: 8:00am - 9:00am: All-City Palliative Care: “Payers, Palliative Care, and the Safety Net”**. Presented by: Will Kennedy, DO. Location: Adventist Medical Center; 10123 SE Market St., Amphitheatre C (Lower level). Reg not required/CME not available

**Wednesday, October 11, 2017: 12:00pm - 1:00pm: Bioethics Study Group: “The Implications of a New Blood Test for Drug Adherence”**. Presented by: Craig Williams, PharmD Location: OHSU-Biomedical Research Building (BRB) 381. Reg not required/CME not available

**Friday, November 3, 2017: 8:00am – 3:05pm: Regional Palliative Care Conference in Southern Oregon “Advanced Illness & End of Life in Southern Oregon: Conversations Palliative Care”**
Location: Event Center on Edenbower (3510 NW Edenbower Blvd., Roseburg, OR 97470)

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WELLBEING THROUGH ILLNESS AND Dying

Transitions Professional Center presents

**Wellbeing Through Illness and Dying**

October 20, 2017 • Sheraton Portland Airport Hotel

Co-sponsored by Patient/Family Support Services of the Knight Cancer Institute
3rd Annual Palliative Care Conference /
**Keynote: Ira Byock, MD**

Transitions Professional Center, LLC is an organization of psychologists and doctoral-level psychology trainees located in Portland, OR. We serve adults, couples, children, and families with serious medical illness, life threatening illness, and clients who are bereaved. We provide services in Newberg, OR. Psychology services include clinical treatment, neuropsychological assessment, education, and consultation.  


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ALZHEIMER’S NETWORK – SALEM, OREGON

**Walk 4 Alzheimer’s - Saturday September 9, 2017**

Salem Riverfront Park/200 Water St. NE Salem, OR 97301
Features: 2K & 5K Walk Routes, Live Music, Lunch, Kids Zone and Family Wellness Fair. No registration fee, purely a fundraising event.

Learn more about Salem-based Alzheimer’s Network, serving Marion & Polk Counties with programs for art classes, music therapy, services for caregivers & families, support groups, educational, care navigation, and referral services. 1449 Liberty St. SE - Salem, Oregon 97302. 503.364.8100 | alznet.org
OREGON GERONTOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Aging & Technology – September 29, 2017

AGING & TECHNOLOGY
2017 ANNUAL CONFERENCE

September 29, 2017 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Keizer Community Center - Keizer, OR

$30  Students and honored
attendees aged 65+
$60  Members
$90  Non-members

Plenary speakers include:
Dr. Rob Winningham, Western
Oregon University
Dr. Jeffrey Kaye, Oregon Health
& Science University
Gordon Hoffman, Northwest
Technology Ventures

The Oregon Gerontological Association’s
2017 conference will focus on how technology is
meeting the needs of older Oregonians, as well as
how technology offers an avenue for elder empow-
erment and recognition in the community as as-
sets. The full day program is expected to draw
150+ attendees who are part of the broad aging
network of professionals, educators, advocates,
and service providers. Keynote presentations will
address new approaches to brain health, technol-
ogy and monitoring in the home, and how self-
driving cars can support population aging. We
hope to offer CEUs — certification is pending.

To register, please go to:
oregongeo.org/event-2550158
We would also appreciate your help by forwarding this to others who might be interested.

Contact Scott Ekblad with any questions or suggestions. We look forward to hearing from you, and seeing you next May.

WALK TO END ALZHEIMER’S® OREGON CHAPTER

The Alzheimer’s Association Walk to End Alzheimer’s® is the world’s largest event to raise awareness and funds for Alzheimer’s care, support and research. Held annually in more than 600 communities nationwide and 6 locations in our region, this inspiring event calls on participants of all ages and abilities to reclaim the future for millions.

Visit www.alz.org/oregon

SCOTT C. ARMSTRONG MENTAL HEALTH & GERIATRIC CONFERENCE

Tuality Healthcare - Friday, October 20, 2017 / 7:30AM – 5:00PM

Location: Tuality Health Education Center/334 SE 8th Avenue, Hillsboro, OR.
Cost: $110.00. Contact: Rosemary: 503-359-6962. Rosemary.schifferling@tuality.org
Contact Tuality Healthcare for Registration

Topics and Speakers:

Communicating Through the Confusion
Paula M. Mixson, Certified Validation Teacher

Our Voices Matter - Creating Visibility and Inclusion for LGBT Elders
Paul Iarrobino, BBA Business Mgt, BS Human Services

Blood Let, Bones Set, Wounds Patched, Babies Hatched
David Grube, MD

Shining in the Golden Years
Catherine Rockwood, MD, Medical Director, Center for Geriatric Psychiatry
Established by the National Center for Assisted Living (NCAL) in 1995, National Assisted Living Week provides a unique opportunity for residents, their loved ones, staff, volunteers, and the surrounding communities to recognize the role of assisted living in caring for America’s seniors and individuals with disabilities. The annual observance encourages assisted living communities around the country to offer a variety of events and activities to celebrate the individuals they serve, as well as to help educate members of the public about this distinctive aspect of long term care. “Family Is Forever” is this year’s theme for National Assisted Living Week – inspired by a quote from the poet Maya Angelou:

“Family isn’t always blood, it’s the people in your life who want you in theirs: the ones who accept you for who you are, the ones who would do anything to see you smile and who love you no matter what”.

Assisted living communities across the country are encouraged to organize activities and events during NALW that celebrate these deep connections between staff and residents.

From NCAL Executive Director, Scott Title:

“It takes a special person to work in our profession, and often, caregivers form bonds that can never be broken. We want to recognize these amazing individuals who give their heart and soul to their residents, as well as those seniors and individuals with disabilities who leave a lasting imprint on their care givers”.

OREGON SENIOR REFERRAL AGENCY ASSOCIATION
OSRAA
An Association Of Senior Referral Agencies

Senior Referral Agents at OSRAA personally know housing and care options. They will help you connect your senior patients to care best meeting their needs.

Members Include: A Home To Fit You, A Senior Moment, Adult Care Pro, Adult Placement Network, Aging Wisely, Assisted Living Locators, Assisted Living Solutions, Autumn Of Life, Care Partners Hospice, Choice Advisory Services, Golden Placement Services, Housecall Providers, Living Right-Senior Placement, NW Estate Law, NW Senior Resources, Oasis Senior Advisor, Oregon Senior Living Advisors, Providence ElderPlace, Right Fit Senior Living Solutions, Team Senior Referral Services, The Senior List.

www.osraa.com

Need Assistance Finding Senior Housing?
Our Members Can Help.
OREGON GERIATRICS SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP 2017

Oregon Geriatrics Society (OGS) invites you to consider membership in 2017. Our membership form is located on the OGS website where you will find the membership form and pay online PayPal. [www.oregongeriatricssociety.org](http://www.oregongeriatricssociety.org)

- OGS stands for, and strongly states our views regarding care of Oregon’s elderly.
- We work closely with State of Oregon and Seniors & People with Disabilities.
- Gain opportunities to collaborate and network with other members.
- Eligible to list recruitment opportunities at no cost, on our website.
- Eligible for member discount rate for our Annual Conference.
- Your dues support our programs for an organization that stands for excellence in the care of the elderly.

UPCOMING EVENTS

**SPIN - Senior Provider Information Network Meeting**  
August 28, September 25, October 23, November 20. [www.spinportland.org](http://www.spinportland.org)

**MSN – Metropolitan Senior Network Meeting**  

**Alzheimer's Network – Walk 4 Alzheimer's**  

**ALS Research Symposium**  
September 9, 2017. Mittleman Jewish Community Center – Portland, OR.  
No Reg Fee/RSVP Required. 1-800-681-9851, ext 101. [careservices@alsa-or.org](mailto:careservices@alsa-or.org)

**NATIONAL ASSISTED LIVING WEEK – National Center For Assisted Living (NCAL)**  
September 10-16, 2017. National Celebration!!

**Alzheimer's Association – Oregon Chapter – Walk To End Alzheimer's!!!**  
September 10, 2017 Portland, OR September 16, 2017 Bend, OR  
September 17, 2017 Albany, OR September 23, 2017 Medford, OR  
October 8, 2017 Eugene, OR

**Older Adult Behavioral Health Initiative Conference-Substance Use Disorder In Older Adults**  
September 12, 2017. Hillsboro Public Library Main Branch – Hillsboro, OR. 8:30-10:30am. [oabhi@multco.us / 503-988-2230](mailto:oabhi@multco.us)

**OHCA - Oregon Health Care Association Fall Conference**  

**OGA – Oregon Gerontological Association Annual Conference**  
September 20, 2017. 8:00am—5:00pm. Location TBD. [www.oregongero.org](http://www.oregongero.org)  
How Aging & Technology Are Meeting Needs of Older Adults

**OHSU - Parkinson Center Annual Symposium / Team Care Approach**  
September 23, 2017. Embassy Suites Hotel-Tigard, OR. [brownstj@ohsu.edu](mailto:brownstj@ohsu.edu)

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AAHCM – American Academy of Home Care Medicine Annual Meeting  
October 13-14, 2017. Lowes Chicago O’Hare Hotel. Rosemont, IL.  www.aahcm.org

AHCA/NCAL 68th Annual Convention & Expo  
October 15-18, 2017. Mandalay Bay Resort – Las Vegas, NV.

Oregon Rural Health Conference  
October 18-20, 2017. Sunriver Resort – Sunriver, OR.  
October 3-5, 2018. Riverhouse – Bend, OR.  
October 2-4, 2019. Riverhouse – Bend, OR.  
www.ohsu.edu/xd/outreach/oregon-rural-health

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Wellbeing Through Illness and Dying – Transitions Professional Center  
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AZGS – Arizona Geriatrics Society Annual Fall Symposium  

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The Bloom Project Bouquets Of The Heart Fundraising Luncheon  

OMA – Oregon Medical Association Annual Conference  

ACP - Oregon ACP – Oregon Chapter American College of Physicians – Annual Scientific Meeting  
November 2-4, 2017. Salem Convention Center – Salem, OR.  www.acponline.org/chapters

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OHSU – Sommer Memorial Lectures – OHSU Alumni Scientific Sessions  

Forum On Aging In Rural Oregon  
May 16-18, 2018. Wildhorse Resort – Pendleton, OR.  Office Rural Health: ruralweb@ohsu.edu

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