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June 21-25, 2008
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An Invitation

The founder and CEO of ASIPP, Laxmaiah Manchikanti, MD, the current President of ASIPP, Andrea Trescot, MD, incoming President, David Schultz, MD, and Board of Directors welcome you to a celebration of modern interventional pain management and its survival during ASIPP's 10th anniversary in Washington DC, June 21-25, 2008. This unique 10th celebration, will look at the past, celebrate the present, and plan for the future of our distinct medical specialty. Our gala celebration will be worthy of a 10th anniversary and the special practice management course will help in managing a successful interventional pain management practice.

Along with didactics, which follow the 10th Anniversary Gala, the legislative session and Capitol Hill visits are accompanied on Monday after legislative session and legislative preparation. Members with family, either in group or on their own, will have the opportunity to explore exciting Washington! If you are interested in traveling as a group, please sign up for this.

Now you may say that ASIPP has been in Washington on a yearly basis since 1999 so what is new about this? Interventional pain management is at the crossroads. Some may say that it is under the gun. ASIPP has been, is, and will continue to be the voice of interventional pain management. Now, more than ever before, unity and advocacy is essential to preserve the specialty into the future. In fighting, arrogance, complaints, fraud, abuse are not solutions to our problems. As always, interventional pain management is in our hands. Thus, we continue to provide not only advocacy, but survival into the future ethically and successfully. We continue to provide along with didactics, education and practice, fraud, abuse, compliance, and continue legislative advocacy.

As usual, if you have attended legislative sessions in the past and have been an active participant in the past, you have experienced the pleasure and satisfaction of meeting your elected official in person and preserving interventional pain management into the future. Thus, on behalf of the Board of Directors of ASIPP, we are confident that you will not want to miss this memorable and only once in a lifetime session.

If you have never attended an ASIPP Annual Meeting, this is the perfect opportunity to attend, learn, enjoy, and meet your representative or senator. Missing the 10th Anniversary celebrations of ASIPP will be missing a unique opportunity that will never be offered again for another 15 years to celebrate the 25th anniversary (who knows where we will be at that time).

Finally, once again, we hope you are as excited to attend the 10th Annual ASIPP Meeting and legislative session in Washington DC and celebrate with us as we are once again, on behalf of the Board of Directors of ASIPP, we invite you to join us for this most distinguished and beneficial once in a lifetime meeting for physicians and other providers in interventional pain management settings.



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The University of Louisville School of Medicine Continuing Health Sciences Education office designates this educational activity for a maximum of 7.25 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*™ for the SIPMS annual meeting OR a maximum of 7.25 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*™ for the Practice Management Conference; and a maximum of 9.75 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*™ for the ASIPP annual meeting. No CME credits are available for the legislative session or Capitol Hill visits. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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Agenda

DIDACTICS

Three days of lectures designed to educate interventional pain physicians, as well as nursing, administrative, and support personnel. The faculty will thoroughly explore the above topics and provide insight into many important issues facing interventional pain physicians and ambulatory surgery centers.

LEGISLATIVE SESSION AND CAPITOL HILL VISITS

The Legislative Session and Capitol Hill Visits will focus on the discussion of various issues relating to interventional pain management. The second day of legislative sessions will be held on Capitol Hill. Fact sheets and other materials will be utilized for the visits to congressional offices. Please indicate with whom you wish to visit on your registration form.

Audience/Objectives

AUDIENCE

Physicians, nurses, and other health care professionals practicing within this field as well as office administrators.

OBJECTIVE – ADVANCES IN PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

Consider the information that benchmarking provides for interventional pain management practices, identify how to present your pain practice to the community, discuss employment law basic but key concepts. Identify and consider third party payer policies and issues; compliance issues in IP practices; leadership issues, team building, performance building and Q&A; managing your revenue cycle, how to handle Workers' Compensation and MVA. Discuss concepts of choosing a practice model and the value of organization. Consider the pros and cons of leasing versus purchasing. Identify and discuss Stark and anti kickback. Identify how to choose the correct codes for E&M physicians and how to select the best billing method. Consider and discuss in-depth coding and billing for IPM including the anatomical aspects.

OBJECTIVE – INTERVENTIONAL TECHNIQUES

Identify and discuss the evidence, issues and solutions for dealing with interventional techniques under scrutiny; consider the evidence, issues and solutions for spinal cord stimulation and intrathecal infusion systems. Identify issues related to pre-approvals and guidelines. Consider and discuss the evidence, issues and solutions of vertebral augmentation procedures, radiofrequency, and discography.

OUTCOME

The American Society of Interventional Pain Physicians and Society of Interventional Pain Management Surgery Centers Annual Meetings are offered to provide you with an opportunity to improve knowledge and skills regarding multiple aspects of interventional pain management so that you can better diagnose, manage and treat patients using the latest interventional pain technology and information for improved patient outcomes.

ADVOCACY

Identify multiple issues facing interventional pain management, political activism, and legislative issues. Numerous distinguished speakers will offer their insight on these topics. In addition, the second day of legislative sessions will be held in on Capitol Hill.

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Saturday June 21, 2008

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SIPMS 3rd Annual Meeting

7:00am-8:00am	REGISTRATION & CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
Moderator: Hans C. Hansen, MD	
8:00am-8:30am	Introduction Laxmaiah Manchikanti, MD
8:30am-9:15am	ASC ownership: how to make an ASC a viable option for Interventional Pain Management (IPM) Don Cushing, MBA, CMPE
9:15am-10:00pm	ASC design and development: with the IPM physician in mind S. Weld Ransom, CID
10:00am-10:30am	BREAK
10:30am-11:15am	Keeping your bottom line healthy: learn several tips to maximize the potential of your ASC Nilesh Patel, MD, MBA
11:15am-12:00pm	Managing risk in the ASC: heighten your awareness of areas that put your ASC at risk. Explore issues related to patient safety, informed consent, radiation safety, OSHA and more: from a legal and a physician's perspective Judith H. Holmes, JD and Hans C. Hansen, MD
12:00pm-1:00pm	LUNCH (on your own)
Moderator: Andrea M. Trescot, MD	
1:00pm-1:45pm	Utilizing new payment system to your advantage Stephanie Ellis, RN, CPC
1:45pm-2:30pm	Key performance indicators: what gets measured gets attention Measure the things that make a difference. Understand how to set goals and respond to variances Marsha Thiel, RN, MA
2:30pm-3:15pm	Documentation, Coding and Billing in an ASC setting for all payers— with emphasis looking at complete charge capture for non-Medicare Stephanie Ellis, RN, CPC
3:15pm-3:45pm	BREAK
3:45pm-4:30pm	Buying and selling an ASC: how do you determine the value? Curtis Bernstein, CPA, MBA
4:30pm-5:15pm	Compliance in ASC: ownership & practice issues David M. Glaser, JD
5:15pm-6:00pm	KEYNOTE SPEAKER Beyond 10 ASIPP Strategic Plan — Alan Zacharias, ABD, MBA, CFRE
1:00pm-5:30pm	Abstract Presentation Moderators: Salahadin Abdi, MD, PhD
7:30pm-12:00am	ASIPP's 10th Anniversary Gala



Practice Management Conference

Starting or Changing Your Practice: Coding, Compliance and Practice Management for New and Established Pain Practices

7:00am-8:00am	REGISTRATION & CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
Moderator: Andrea M. Trescot, MD	
8:00am-8:30am	Introduction Andrea M. Trescot, MD
8:30am-9:15am	Choosing a practice model: office, ASC, or HOPD site of service. Solo or group practice? Single specialty or multispecialty group? What should go into the decision making process? Kathleen White, MBA
9:15am-10:00am	Accumulating, preserving, and protecting your assets Joel M. Blau, CFP
10:00am-10:30am	BREAK
10:30am-11:15am	Lease vs purchase: pros & cons Office space, furnishing your office, office equipment (copiers, fax, computers) Kathleen White, MBA
11:15am-12:00pm	Compliance Issues in an Interventional Pain Practice <i>Narcotics agreement, monitoring, HIPAA privacy and securing, removal of office records, information requests, need for written compliance, medical record retention.</i> Vicki S. Myckowiak, JD
12:00pm-1:00pm	LUNCH (on your own)
Moderator: Marsha Thiel, RN, MA	
1:00pm-1:45pm	Stark and anti kickback: what is new? Do you know the right questions to ask? David M. Glaser, JD
1:45pm-2:30pm	Prescription for smooth practice: organization, organization, organization Laxmaiah Manchikanti, MD
2:30pm-3:15pm	Audits, investigations, fraud, and abuse <i>The difference between a subpoena and a search warrant, and how to respond to each; case discussion fraud, abuse and compliance</i> Vicki S. Myckowiak, JD
3:15pm-3:45pm	BREAK
3:45pm-4:30pm	E&M for Physicians <i>Choosing the correct code. Category and level of service.</i> Marvel Hammer, RN, CPC
4:30pm-5:15pm	Selection of billing method <i>Pros & cons of in-house vs outsourcing; what information does an outside billing agent need to be effective; what does the agent need to know; responsibilities of the doctor – the agent; contractual agreement with your outside agent</i> Panel: Vicki S. Myckowiak, JD; Kathleen White, MBA; and Marsha Thiel, RN, MA
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*On behalf of the
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*CEO Laxmaiah Manchikanti, MD
President Andrea Trescot, MD
and President-Elect David Schultz, MD
invite you to the*

Tenth Anniversary Gala Celebration

*Saturday, the 21st of June 2008 at 7:30PM
in the ballroom of the Crystal Gateway Marriott, Alexandria, Virginia*

The evening will feature:

- Dinner
- Awards presentation
 - ★ Lifetime Achievement Award
 - ★ Distinguished Service Awards
 - ★ Friend of ASIPP Award
 - ★ Outstanding Achievement Awards
- The comedy of Jim Gossett
- Music and dancing

Semi-formal attire





ASIPP 10th Annual Meeting

7:00am–8:00am		REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	
GENERAL SESSION			
8:00am–8:20am		Introduction to Interventional Pain Management and ASIPP Andrea M. Trescot, MD	
8:20am–9:30am		MANCHIKANTI DISTINGUISHED LECTURE Introduction: Andrea M. Trescot, MD	
8:20am–8:30am		Introduction Andrea M. Trescot, MD	
8:30am–9:00am		Medical liability crisis: how to avoid frivolous lawsuits Jeffrey Segal, MD, FACS	
9:00am–9:30am		Physician relations with manufacturers: legal pitfalls and risks Paul E. Kalb, MD	
9:30am–10:00am		BREAK	
MORNING SESSIONS			
SESSION I Interventional Techniques Moderator: Peter S. Staats, MD		SESSION II Advances in Practice Management Moderator: Judith Holmes, JD	
10:00am–10:45am	Interventional techniques under scrutiny: Evidence, issues & solutions Laxmaiah Manchikanti, MD	10:00am–10:45am	Benchmarking: The "best practices" in interventional pain management are doing. What should you expect from your practice performance? Do you measure up? Dennis Wipperling, MBA, FCMPE
10:45am–11:30am	Spinal cord stimulation: Evidence, issues & solutions Joshua P. Prager, MD	10:45am–11:30am	Marketing your pain practice: How to present your pain practice to the community in a way that educates rather than sells. The goal is to attract new patients... the methods are varied. Georgann Gillund
11:30am–12:15pm	Intrathecal infusion systems: Evidence, issues & solutions Peter S. Staats, MD	11:30am–12:15pm	Basics of Employment Law: Key concepts of discrimination & harassment law; what is acceptable; what is lawful; avoiding personal liability; obligations under the ADA; leave laws; complying with immigration laws Judith Holmes, JD
12:30pm–2:00pm		ASIPP BUSINESS MEETING (lunch included) Business Meeting — Laxmaiah Manchikanti, MD, CEO; Andrea M. Trescot, MD, President; David M. Schultz, MD, President-Elect Introduction of New Board — Laxmaiah Manchikanti, MD, CEO	

ASIPP 10th Annual Meeting

AFTERNOON SESSION

SESSION I Interventional Techniques Moderator: Joshua A. Hirsch, MD		SESSION II Advances in Practice Management Moderator: Marsha J. Thiel, RN, MA	
2:00pm-2:45pm	Pre-approvals and guidelines: what do we know; how to get approved Standiford Helm, II, MD	2:00pm-2:45pm	Third party payer policies and issues: Contracting, common contract terminology, tiering, PPO network transparency, credentialing, patient verification and preauthorization; Worker's Compensation billing / compliance, prompt pay laws Don Cushing, MBA, CMPE
2:45pm-3:30pm	Vertebral augmentation procedures: evidence, issues & solutions Joshua A. Hirsch, MD	2:45pm-3:30pm	Managing the revenue cycle: Learn key components to effectively manage your revenue cycle beginning with the patient registration process and going through A/R management process. Don Cushing, MBA, CMPE
3:30pm-4:00pm	BREAK	3:30pm-4:00pm	BREAK
4:00pm-4:45pm	Discography: evidence, issues & solutions Richard Derby, Jr., MD	4:00pm-4:45pm	How to handle Workers Compensation, MVA: Managing evaluations, practice pre-approvals Standiford Helm, II, MD
4:45pm-5:30pm	Radiofrequency: pulsed, heat or cold evidence, issues & solutions Steven P. Cohen, MD	4:45pm-5:30pm	Leadership Issues <i>Leadership: explore several of the challenges faced by medical practice administrators. Understand the impact of several leadership styles, examine the expectations of various generations in the workplace, recognize the issues related to the "partnering" of the lay administrator and the physician owners.</i> Marsha Thiel, RN, MA
5:30pm-6:30pm	DINNER (on your own)		
6:30pm-9:30pm	In-depth coding and billing for pain management: this session will include anatomical and coding information to better help staff understand the work that physicians perform and how that work should be reported. Physicians are welcome and encouraged to attend. Marvel Hammer, RN and Joanne Mehmert, CPC		

Material For Preparation

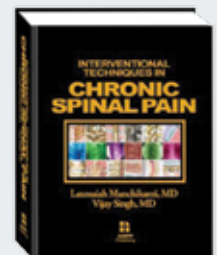
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Monday June 23, 2008

Legislative Session Marriott Crystal Gateway

LEGISLATIVE SESSION

7:00am–8:00am	REGISTRATION & CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
8:00am–8:20am	Shaping the Political Future — Andrea M. Trescot, MD
8:20am–8:40am	All Politics are Local—How to Get Your Voices Heard — Senator Tim Hutchinson
8:40am–9:30am	Legislative Issues — Laxmaiah Manchikanti, MD
9:30am–10:00am	BREAK
10:00am–12:30pm	MANDATORY LEGISLATIVE PREPARATION

LEGISLATIVE AGENDA (Preliminary)

The Issues

1. Physician Payment
2. Ambulatory Surgery Center Payment Reform
3. National All Schedules Prescription Electronic Reporting (NASPER) Act Funding

WASHINGTON TOUR (Optional)

afternoon *Complete information available in registrant folder*

Tuesday June 24, 2008

Capitol Hill Visits Capitol Hill, Senate Caucus Room

7:30am–8:00am	REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
8:00am–8:15am	Welcome to Capitol Hill — Laxmaiah Manchikanti, MD
8:15am–11:00am	Congressional Speeches
8:15 am	
8:30 am	Representative Ben Chandler
8:45 am	Representative Bart Stupak
9:00 am	
9:15 am	Representative Gene Green , Representative Bart Gordon
9:30 am	Senator Sherrod Brown , Representative Frank Pallone, Jr.
9:45 am	Representative Ed Whitfield
10:00 am	Senator Ben Nelson
10:15 am	Senator Jeff Sessions
10:30 am	Representative Wally Herger
10:45 am	Representative C.A. Ruppertsberger
11:00 am	Senator David Vitter
	<i>Schedule may change</i>
11:00am–12:30pm	LUNCH ON YOUR OWN
12:30pm–5:00pm	CONGRESSIONAL VISITS

Wednesday June 25, 2008

Capitol Hill Visits Capitol Hill

8:00am–3:00pm	CONGRESSIONAL VISITS
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GALA CELEBRATION

I WILL BE ATTENDING THE 10TH ANNIVERSARY GALA CELEBRATION

There is no cost to attend for meeting registrants and a guest, but you must RSVP

NAME OF GUEST _____

CAPITOL HILL VISIT

I WILL BE PARTICIPATING IN THE CAPITOL HILL VISITS

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