THURSDAY, MAY 7

7:30 AM – 8:00 AM
AGS MEMBERS BUSINESS MEETING
Room:
Meeting of the AGS membership. Reports on the status of AGS 2019, highlights and introduction of the new President and Board members.

Opening Remarks and Announcements
Joseph Shega, MD, 2020 Annual Meeting Program Chair

CEO Remarks
Nancy E. Lundebjerg, MPA

Treasurer's Report
Peter Hollmann, MD

Recognition of Outgoing Committee Members
Sunny A. Linnebur, PharmD, FCCP, BCPS, CGP

Incoming President's Address
Annette M. Medina-Walpole, MD

SECTION MEETINGS

8:15 AM – 9:15 AM
FELLOWS-IN-TRAINING BREAKFAST
Room:
Track: Networking
Chair: Elizabeth Ngoc Phung, DO, NPAS
Please join other fellows, faculty members, and leaders in geriatrics at the annual Fellows-in-Training Breakfast. This event is a unique opportunity to share and discuss ideas, past experiences, and future career plans while networking with colleagues and mentors from across the country.

8:15 AM – 9:15 AM
NURSES BREAKFAST
Room:
Track: Networking
Chair: Margaret I. Wallhagen, PhD, GNP-BC, AGSF
Join other nurses, nursing students, and AGS leaders at this special breakfast session. The breakfast will also include time for networking and presentations by AGS nursing leaders.

8:15 AM – 9:15 AM
PHARMACISTS BREAKFAST
Room:
Track: Networking
Chair: Jeannie Lee, PharmD & Carla J. Bouwmeester, PharmD, MS, BCPS, BCGP
The Pharmacists Breakfast is an opportunity for pharmacist members of AGS to network, share about their AGS presentations, and discuss ways to collaborate. A conversation of leadership opportunities within AGS will also be a priority for the meeting.
8:15 AM – 9:15 AM
SOCIAL WORKERS BREAKFAST
Room: 
Track: Networking
Chair: Dawn E. Butler, JD, MSW
Please join other social workers and social work students at the Social Workers Breakfast session. This session will provide an opportunity to meet, network, and collaborate with other social workers in the field of aging. The session will also include opportunities to discuss experiences and projects related to collaborations between health care systems and community-based organizations.

Using Video to Engage Health Professionals in Learning How to Support Caregivers: Success of the “No Roadmap: Caregiver Journeys” Curriculum
This exciting presentation will include viewing a short film titled “No Roadmap: Caregiver Journeys” and include a discussion around curriculum used to sensitize future health care providers to the challenges and realities of family caregiving for older loved ones.
Presenter: Margaret Sanders, M.A., L.S.W. Assistant Professor Family and Community Medicine, Director, Office of Palliative Care and Associate Director Office of Geriatrics Northeast Ohio Medical University

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

8:15 AM – 9:15 AM
DECISION MAKING FOR OLDER ADULTS WITH MULTIPLE CHRONIC CONDITIONS: THE AMERICAN GERIATRICS SOCIETY GUIDING PRINCIPLES ON THE CARE OF OLDER ADULTS WITH MULTIMORBIDITY
Room: 
CME/CE: 1.0 Track: Clinical Practice
Sponsored by the Quality and Performance Measurement Committee and the Clinical Practice and Models of Care Committee
Moderator: Heather E. Whitson, MD, MHS
The AGS Guiding Principles for the Care of Older Adults with Multimorbidity have been translated into a framework of Actions and accompanying Action Steps for decision making for clinicians who provide both primary and specialty care to older people with MCCs. Learning Objectives: (1) identify and communicate patients’ health priorities; (2) develop strategies for stopping, starting, or continuing care based on health priorities, potential benefit vs harm and burden, and health trajectory; and (3) provide a framework for aligning decisions and care with patients, caregivers, and other clinicians with patients' health priorities and health trajectory.

Why the American Geriatrics Society Guiding Principles and Action Framework are Needed
Cynthia M. Boyd, MD, MPH

Health Priorities-Aligned Care for Older People with Multiple Chronic Conditions
Caroline S. Blaum, MD, MS

Barriers and Mitigating Factors to Implementing Multiple Chronic Conditions Action Steps
Mary E. Tinetti, MD

8:15 AM – 9:15 AM
VA RESEARCH FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES FOR EARLY TO ESTABLISHED INVESTIGATORS
Room:
This session will bring awareness of VA research and research opportunities to clinicians and early-career, mid-career, or established investigators in the field of aging research. The session will end with small group breakouts to allow attendees to query VA program officers and current investigators about current funding opportunities and strategies for success. Learning Objectives: (1) describe the VA mission, research services and funding opportunities in the field of aging research available to investigators at different career stages; (2) describe VA research priorities, including strategic and cross-cutting priorities, and new initiatives; (3) identify resources for research training within the VA, including the Geriatrics Research and Education and Clinical Center system; and (4) list examples of VA aging research and VA research career trajectories.

VA Research and Funding Opportunities for Early-Career to Established Investigators
Carole Sztalryd Woodle, PhD, ORD, RR&D

Unique VA Structures to Conduct Research in the Aging Field: GRECCs
Neil Alexander, MD & Mark A. Supiano, MD, AGSF

Research Career Q&A and Networking Session
Monica C. Serra, PhD; Camille P. Vaughan, MD, MS; Keith M. McGregor, PhD

8:15 AM – 9:15 AM
GERIATRIC EDUCATION MATERIALS AND METHODS SWAP
Room:
CME/CE Credit: 1.0 Track: Education
Sponsored by the Teachers Section and the Education Committee
Moderator: TBD
This workshop presents a forum for teachers of geriatric education to share topics and materials of common interest, such as program development, curriculum, educational process and research in teaching and evaluation. Learning Objective: (1) describe and exchange geriatric education and teaching materials.

8:15 AM – 9:15 AM
CLINICAL SKILLS WORKSHOP: PHYSICAL EXAM
Room:
CME/CE Credit: 1.0 Track: Clinical Practice
Ticketed session. No additional fee.
Facilitators: Shobhana A. Chaudhari, MD, FACP, AGSF; Ashok P. Chaudhari, MD; Estrella Roffe, MD, AGSF; Julio A. Martinez-Silvestrini, MD
This workshop will cover practical techniques for conducting a high-quality geriatric joint exam in a time efficient manner. Participants will have a chance to practice joint exam techniques in small groups with expert facilitators. Learning Objective: (1) perform a screening joint physical examination of the hip, knee and shoulder joints.

8:15 AM – 9:15 AM
EPIDEMIOLOGY PAPER SESSION
Room:
CME/CE Credit: 1.0 Track: Research
Sponsored by the Research Committee
Moderator: Shelly L. Gray, PharmD, MS
This session will present the latest peer-reviewed geriatrics research with questions and answers to follow. Learning Objectives: (1) discuss new and original geriatrics research; (2) describe an emerging
concept or new scientific focus in aging research; and (3) summarize the key findings of projects with relevance to care of older adults.

P1 – Early Life Sexual Trauma and Late Life Genitourinary and Functional Decline in Women
Pooja Lalchandani, BA

P2 - Obesity and the Expression of Alzheimer’s Disease Related Genes
Roshni G. Ray

P3 – Comparative Effectiveness of Non-Oral Drug Treatments for Hip Fracture Prevention in Nursing Home Residents
Andrew R. Zullo, PharmD, PhD

Savitri G. Aguiar, MD

9:30 AM - 10:15 AM
PLENARY PAPER SESSION
Room:
CME/CE Credit: .75 Track: Research
Sponsored by the Research Committee
Moderator: Annette M. Medina-Walpole, MD
This session will present the top three research abstracts based on average score, quality, originality and methodology of research. Learning Objectives: (1) describe emerging concepts or a new scientific focus in aging research; and (2) summarize the key findings of research with relevance to care of older adults.

P5 - Angiotensin-II Stimulating Antihypertensives are Associated with Lower Incident Dementia Rates in Community-Dwelling Older Adults
Zachary A. Marcum, PharmD, PhD

P6 - Time to Benefit for Stroke Reduction after More Intensive Blood Pressure Control in Older Adults
Vanessa S. Ho, MS

P7 - Acceptability of a Deprescribing E-Consult for Older Veterans at Risk for Falls
Kristin R. Smith, PharmD

10:15 AM – 11:15 AM
PREVENTING SERIOUS FALL INJURIES: PRIMARY FINDINGS FROM THE STRIDE STUDY
Room:
CME/CE: 1.0 Track: Clinical Practice
Moderator: Rosaly Correa-de-Araujo, MD, MSC, PhD
The Strategies to Reduce Injuries and Develop Confidence in Elders (STRIDE) Study findings will be presented. The aim of STRIDE is to evaluate the effectiveness of evidence-based strategies to reduce serious fall-related injuries by implementing individually tailored interventions to prevent fall-related injuries. Learning Objectives: (1) describe the rationale, design, implementation, and results of the Strategies to Reduce Injuries and Develop Confidence in Elders (STRIDE) clinical trial; (2) discuss the STRIDE interdisciplinary, co-management approach to falls prevention; and (3) describe the policy implications of the STRIDE results.

Background and Significance
Nancy K. Latham, PhD, PT
Design, Recruitment and Retention
Thomas M. Gill, MD

Interventions
David B. Reuben, MD

Ascertainment and Adjudication of Primary Outcome
David A. Ganz, MD, PhD

Results
Thomas M. Gill, MD

Discussion
David B. Reuben, MD

Policy Implications
Shari M. Ling, MD, MSG

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

11:30 AM – 12:30 PM
TYPE 2 DIABETES IN OLDER ADULTS: RE-REVISITED
Room:
CME/CE Credit: 1.0 Track: Clinical Practice
Moderator: Thomas E. Finucane, MD
This symposium will highlight evidence about drug and nondrug management of T2D, with emphasis on new evidence that strengthens the observation that treatment to achieve strict, target based glycemic control in T2D is a mistaken strategy with particular harm in older adults. Learning Objectives: (1) incorporate the latest clinical research on drug management of T2D into existing treatment strategies; (2) describe the role of nondrug treatments; and (3) recognize the effectiveness of the drug industry and the diabetes enterprise in promoting profitable treatment strategies.

The Safety, Efficacy and Affordability of Lifestyle Interventions for T2D
Caroline B. Trapp, DNP, ANP-BC, CDE

In T2D, Maybe it's Not the Glucose
Thomas E. Finucane, MD

11:30 AM – 12:30 PM
COMPLEX SURGICAL DECISION-MAKING IN OLDER ADULTS
Room:
CME/CE Credit: 1.0 Track: Clinical Practice
Sponsored by the Geriatric-Surgical Co-Management Programs Special Interest Group, the Ethics Committee, and the Clinical Practice and Models of Care Committee
Moderator: Sarah A. Wingfield, MD
This session will provide a roadmap for surgical decision making for health care providers caring for older adults in the perioperative period. Learning Objectives: (1) recognize the importance of performing a preoperative cognitive assessment and articulate the impact this assessment has on determining a patient’s capacity to consent for surgery; (2) discuss the essential components of geriatric perioperative risk assessment; (3) elicit patient goals and preferences surrounding operative and non-operative treatment options; and (4) use the BC/WC framework as a tool to facilitate shared decision making.
Preoperative Cognitive Assessment and Capacity  
Bonnie J. Olsen, PhD

Perioperative Risk Assessment  
Shelley R. McDonald, DO, PhD, CMD

Shared Decision Making: Best Case/Worst Case  
Margaret Gretchen Schwarze, MD, MPP, FACS

11:30 AM – 12:30 PM
THE ABCS OF NIA GRANTSMAINSHP - FOR EARLY CAREER RESEARCHERS AND THEIR MENTORS  
Room:  
CME/CE: 1.0  Track: Research  
Sponsored by the National Institute on Aging for new and early stage researchers in cooperation with the AGS Research Committee  
Moderator: Marie A. Bernard, MD  
The symposium is intended for investigators with current research training or career development awards, including "T," "F," or "K" funding, or GEMSSTARs. It is also intended for individuals who are interested in learning about these types of grant opportunities. The session targets the needs of new and early career investigators by providing an overview of NIA's extramural research programs and initiatives, including a focus on emerging opportunities across NIA for Alzheimer's and related dementias research. Funding and training opportunities, the Center for Scientific Review grants review process, and experiences of an early career researcher will also be featured. Participants will have an opportunity to meet and consult with representatives from NIA. Learning Objectives: (1) describe the NIA mission and extramural divisions supporting early stage investigators in clinical, biomedical, neuroscience, and behavioral and social research; (2) discuss recent policy changes which affect the funding environment; (3) identify NIA's resources for research training and grant application; and (4) meet with representatives of NIA.

NIA Research Priorities and Opportunities for Early Career Researchers  
Marie A. Bernard, MD, Deputy Director, National Institute on Aging

How to Get an NIA Grant  
Kenneth E. Santora, PhD

Viewpoints from Junior Faculty Researchers  
Andrew B. Cohen, MD, PhD

Meet with NIA Representatives

11:30 AM – 12:30 PM
HOW TO IMPLEMENT PATIENT PRIORITIES AlIGNED CARE IN YOUR PRACTICE  
Room:  
CME/CE Credit: 1.0  Track: Clinical Practice  
Moderator: Mary E. Tinetti, MD  
Patient Priorities Care (PPC) aims to align the healthcare of older adults with multiple conditions with their health priorities (i.e. specific health outcomes goals and care preferences) and preparing clinicians to translate these priorities into clinical decisions. Learning Objectives: (1) describe the steps involved in identifying patients’ health priorities (health outcome goals and healthcare preferences); (2) review the steps and strategies that can be used in patient priorities aligned decision-making; and (3) gain preliminary hands-on experience with what the Patient Priorities Care approach entails.

Overview of the Patient Priorities Care (PPC) Approach
11:30 AM – 12:30 PM  
**JOINT INJECTION WORKSHOP: KNEE, SHOULDER AND HIP**
Room: 
CME/CE Credit: 1.0  
Track: Clinical Practice
*Ticketed session. No additional fee.*
Facilitators: Shobhana A. Chaudhari, MD, FACP, AGSF; Ashok P. Chaudhari, MD; Estrella Roffe, MD, AGSF; Julio A. Martinez-Silvestrini, MD
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11:30 AM – 12:30 PM  
**GERIATRIC EDUCATION PAPER SESSION**
Room: 
CME/CE Credit: 1.0  
Track: Research
Moderator: Audrey K. Chun, MD
This session will present the latest peer-reviewed geriatrics research with questions and answers to follow. Learning Objectives: (1) discuss new and original geriatrics research; (2) describe an emerging concept or new scientific focus in aging research; and (3) summarize the key findings of projects with relevance to care of older adults.

**P8 - The UCSD Geriatrics Escape Room: An Innovative Way for Healthcare Providers to Learn the 4Ms of Age-Friendly Healthcare**
Shannon Marie Devlin, MD

**P9 - A Longitudinal OSCE with an Aging Patient: Needs Assessment for a New Medical School Aging Curricular Theme**
Catherine M. P. Dawson, MD & Andrea Wershof Schwartz, MD, MPH

**P10 - The Impact of an Intergenerational Respite Program on College Students Volunteers' Attitudes toward People with Alzheimer's Diseases and Dementia**
Zaldy S. Tan, MD, MPH

**P11 - Improving Delirium Assessment across A Large Health System: A Multi-Modal Training Program to Create Delirium Champions**
Liron Sinvani, MD

12:30 PM – 6:00 PM  
**EXHIBIT HALL OPEN AND POSTERS AVAILABLE FOR VIEWING**
12:30 PM – 1:30 PM
LUNCH BREAK
Complimentary lunch available in Exhibit Hall.

12:30 PM – 1:30 PM
POSTER SESSION A
Room: Exhibit Hall
View the most current research in geriatrics. Authors will be available to discuss the presented findings and answer questions.

12:30 PM – 1:30 PM
EDUCATION PRODUCT SHOWCASE
Room: Exhibit Hall
The Education Product Showcase will provide attendees an opportunity to examine education products focusing on classroom teaching, small group activities, web-based modules, handouts and guides, "bedside" teaching tools, self-studies, and others.

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

1:30 PM – 2:30 PM
AUGMENTATION THERAPIES FOR DEPRESSION IN OLDER PEOPLE: SCIENCE AND PRACTICE
Room:
CME/CE Credit: 1.0 Track: Clinical Practice
Moderator: Soo Borson, MD, FAPA, FGSA
This session will review the rationale for replacing or augmenting antidepressant pharmacotherapy with non-pharmacological approaches as well as supplemental or alternative medications. We summarize the evidence supporting existing options, suggest how they can be used in clinical practice, and describe health system design elements that foster comprehensive depression care for older people. Learning Objectives: (1) name at least 2 types of evidence-based pharmacological interventions to augment antidepressant medication; (2) describe at least 2 types of evidence-based non-pharmacological interventions to augment or replace antidepressant medication; and (3) identify 2 health system design elements that support comprehensive depression care for older adults.

Why We Need Augmentation Strategies in Late-Life Depression Care
Soo Borson, MD, FAPA, FGSA

Boosting Resilience to Prevent Depression
Helen Lavretsky, MD

1:30 PM – 2:30 PM
GLOBAL DEPREScribing UPDATES: LESSONS LEARNED AND NEEDS FOR THE FUTURE
Room:
CME/CE Credit: 1.0 Track: Public Policy
Sponsored by the Polypharmacy Special Interest Group
Moderator: Nicole J. Brandt, PharmD, MBA, BCGP, BCPP, FASCP
This program will provide lessons learned from interprofessional leaders located throughout the world. Learning Objectives: (1) describe a framework for deprescribing and what stakeholders need to be involved; (2) list at least 3 challenges that were faced in implementing deprescribing; (3) describe at least 3 tactics or tools to sustain deprescribing; and (4) identify at least 3 action items that need to be taken on
a national and international basis.

**Canadian Deprescribing Network – Policy Steps 2.0**  
Cheryl A. Sadowski, PharmD, BCGP, FCSHP

**Australian Deprescribing Network Implementation - Lessons Learned**  
Sarah N. Hilmer, BScMed(Hons), MBBS(Hons), FRACP, PhD

**US Deprescribing Initiatives - Looking Ahead**  
Cynthia M. Boyd, MD, MPH; Michael A. Steinman, MD

1:30 PM – 2:30 PM  
**NARRATIVE MEDICINE: COMMUNICATING TO THE PUBLIC, POLICY MAKERS, AND FUNDERS**  
Room:  
CME/CE Credit: 1.0  
Track: Education  
Moderator: Louise Aronson, MD  
This session will begin by discussing different forms of written public communication by health professionals, from op-eds and medical journal perspectives articles to research and policy narratives. We will then consider techniques and strategies for success, including how to appeal to your target audience and capitalize on your experience and expertise – techniques that work across all communication and audience types. Learning Objectives: (1) discuss how media and social media have transformed the ways people and organizations interact, influence one another, and share information; (2) identify different forms of written, oral, and mediated public communication, as well as strategies for appealing to your target audience while capitalizing on your expertise; and (3) explore how clinicians, researchers, administrators, and leaders can leverage narrative and communications fundamentals to communicate more effectively and with more diverse audiences in the 21st century.

1:30 PM – 2:30 PM  
**NIA SYMPOSIUM FOR RESEARCHERS AT MID-CAREER AND BEYOND – OPPORTUNITIES FOR ESTABLISHED RESEARCHERS**  
Room:  
CME/CE Credit: 1.0  
Track: Research  
*Sponsored by the National Institute on Aging in cooperation with the AGS Research Committee*  
This symposium is intended for independently funded researchers at a mid- to senior career level. It targets the needs of research leaders and established investigators by providing an update from NIA staff on research programs and initiatives. A question and answer session will follow brief introductory remarks on current funding, new opportunities including those related to Alzheimer’s Disease and Related Dementias, and future priorities and research directions of NIA. Learning Objectives: (1) describe the current and future research foci of the NIA extramural divisions; and (2) discuss the current funding environment.

**Overview of NIA Budget, and Priority Areas**  
Marie A. Bernard, MD, Deputy Director, NIA

**NIA Café**  
NIA representatives will move to designated tables, organized by division. Participants will have an opportunity to visit different tables to interact with NIA representatives in small groups or individual conversations.

Evan C. Hadley, MD, Director, Division of Geriatrics and Clinical Gerontology  
Kenneth E. Santora, PhD  
Dana Plude, PhD  
Eliezer Masliah, MD
1:30 PM – 2:30 PM
ADVANCE CARE PLANNING PAPER SESSION
Room: 
CME/CE Credit: 1.0 Track: Research
Sponsored by the Research Committee
Moderator: Elizabeth K. Vig, MD, MPH
This session will present the latest peer-reviewed geriatrics research with questions and answers to follow. Learning Objectives: (1) discuss new and original geriatrics research; (2) describe an emerging concept or new scientific focus in aging research; and (3) summarize the key findings of projects with relevance to care of older adults.

P12 - Integrated Multidisciplinary Approach to Advance Care Planning for Vulnerable Older Adult within an Accountable Care Organization
Jennifer Gabbard, MD

P13 - Effect of an Innovative Advance Care Planning Clinic for Internal Medicine Residents
Amy Reyes Arnaldy, MD

P14 - Integrating End of Life Decision Making into Primary Care: A Multisystemic Approach
Ashley H. Noriea, MD, MAPP

P15 - Exploratory Study of Community Guardianship Programs
Anthony A. Palillo, AB

1:30 PM – 2:30 PM
LEADERSHIP CURRICULUM: UPWARD OR ONWARD: BUILDING A HIGH-PERFORMING TEAM ON TOP OF A SOLID CULTURE FOUNDATION
Room: 
CME/CE Credit: 1.0 Track: Professional Development
Presenters: Sally L. Brooks, MD, CMO & Curtis M. Davies
Learning Objectives: (1) explain the importance of laying a foundation of success by evaluating and building your team; (2) establish a culture that drives performance; (3) demonstrate an understanding of learning agility and identify learning agile behaviors; (4) differentiate between "performance" and "potential"; and (5) identify appropriate development activities for your team members (e.g., feedback, coaching, and performance improvement) based on assessment results.

1:30 PM – 3:00 PM
ADGAP BUSINESS MEETING
Room:

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

2:45 PM – 3:45 PM
DO MORE, DO NOTHING, OR DO LESS: DECISION-MAKING ABOUT BLOOD PRESSURE CONTROL IN OLDER PATIENTS
Room: 
CME/CE Credit: 1.0 Track: Clinical Practice
Sponsored by the Research and the Clinical Practice and Models of Care Committees
Moderator: Mark A. Supiano, MD, AGSF
Despite the profound benefits among older participants in from the Systolic Blood Pressure Intervention Trial (SPRINT), and the new recommended treatment threshold of <130 mm Hg, this more intensive treatment target has not been universally accepted. The goal of this symposium is to discuss some of these potential explanations with a particular focus on the question of generalizability of the SPRINT results to the geriatric patient populations that many AGS members care for. Learning Objectives: (1) discuss how the characteristics of SPRINT participants pertain to the population of older adults, and how the cardiovascular and cognitive benefits in SPRINT translate to the population level; (2) define the older adults with hypertension with a “high degree burden of comorbidity and limited life expectancy” for whom “clinical judgment, patient preference, and a team-based approach to assess risk/benefit is reasonable for decisions regarding intensity of BP lowering and choice of antihypertensive drugs” (ACC/AHA 2017 Hypertension Guideline) should be applied; and (3) review how advanced age (> 80 years), frailty status, polypharmacy, and the presence of multiple chronic conditions influences SPRINT treatment outcomes.

**Generalizability, Population Health Impact, and Cost-Effectiveness of the SPRINT Results to the US Adult Population**
Adam P. Bress, PharmD, MS

**Challenges in Translating SPRINT Efficacy into Effectiveness**
Ronald I. Shorr, MD, MS

**Decision-Making About Blood Pressure Control in Older Patients with Mild to Moderate Functional Decline**
Nicholas M. Pajewski, PhD

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**2:45 PM – 3:45 PM**
**GENITOURINARY HEALTH FOR OLDER WOMEN**
Room:
CME/CE Credit: 1.0  Track: Clinical Practice
Moderator: Christine K. Bradway, PhD, CRNP, FAAN, AGSF
Benign urologic conditions (BUCs)—including urinary tract infections, urologic chronic pelvic pain syndrome, conditions associated with lower urinary tract symptoms (e.g., urinary incontinence, frequency, urgency, nocturia), and urinary stone disease (USD)—are common. Learning Objectives: (1) discuss the role that BUCs may play in development of obesity, diabetes, depression, and hypertension; and (2) explore the relationship between toileting behaviors and UI in women with implications for bladder health across the.

**Increased Risk of Comorbid Conditions: Uncovering the Hidden Burden of Genitourinary Conditions**
Camille P. Vaughan, MD, MS

**Toileting Behaviors-Women's Elimination Behaviors in Older Women**
Mary H. Palmer, PhD, RN, FAAN, AGSF

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**2:45 PM – 3:45 PM**
**HOME-BASED ACUTE CARE: THE NEW ACUTE CARE ALTERNATIVE FOR THE GERIATRIC PATIENT**
Room:
CME/CE Credit: 1.0  Track: Models of Care
Moderator: Albert Siu, MD
Not infrequently, as healthcare professionals, we find ourselves asking the question “did this person really need to be admitted.” Often, we are finding the answer to be “no”. To explore other options when caring for patients, especially our older, more frail adults, we present an alternative model of care: home-based acute care. Learning Objectives: (1) identify components of value-based care models and understand
how these models lead to improved quality of care and better concordance with goals of care for older adults; (2) describe home-based acute care models, where they are applicable and how they may benefit older adults’ healthcare needs; and (3) describe practical approaches to implementation of home-based acute care models.

**Evolution of Home-Based Acute Care: A Value-Based Model**
Albert Siu, MD

**Hospital at Home: A Home-Based Acute Care Model**
Ana Tuya Fulton, MD, AGSF, FACP & Lidia A. Vognar, MD, MHS, CMD

**Roundtable Discussion: Introduction to our West Health Institute and Institute for Healthcare Improvement Experts**
Amy R. Stuck, PhD, RN

2:45 PM – 3:45 PM
IMPLEMENTATION SCIENCE: MOVING MODELS OF CARE FOR OLDER PATIENTS FROM RESEARCH EVIDENCE TO REAL
Room:
CME/CE Credit: 1.0 Track: Research
Developed by the Research Committee
Moderator: John A. Batsis, MD, AGSF
Implementation of evidence-based interventions takes an average of 17 years to convert 14% of research findings into routine daily practice. Implementation science is the scientific study of methods to promote the systematic uptake of research findings and other evidence-based practices into routine practice and, hence, to improve the quality and effectiveness of health services. Learning Objectives: (1) describe implementation science and its relevance in the context of current health policies and agenda as it pertains to older adults; (2) describe research designs that are unique to the field of implementation science; (3) review the key characteristics of designing and evaluating a hybrid type 1 effectiveness-implementation study in the acute care setting; and (4) discuss the key characteristics of designing and evaluating a hybrid type 3 effectiveness-implementation study in the community care setting.

Relevance and Key Components of Implementation Science in Ageing Research
Leah L. Zullig, PhD, MPH

Implementation of Geriatric Co-Management in Cardiac Patients
Mieke Deschodt, RN, PhD, FEANS

Implementing the Collaborative Dementia Care Model in the Real World
Malaz A. Boustani, MD, MPH

Panel Discussion and Q&A

2:45 PM – 3:45 PM
FRAILTY TO RESILIENCE PAPER SESSION
Room:
CME/CE Credit: 1.0 Track: Research
Developed by the Research Committee
Moderator: George E. Taffet, MD
This session will present the latest peer-reviewed geriatrics research with questions and answers to follow. Learning Objectives: (1) discuss new and original research in geriatrics; (2) describe an emerging concept or new scientific focus in aging research; and (3) summarize the key findings of projects with relevance to care of older adults.
P16 – A Potential Urinary Biomarker To Determine Frailty Status Among Older Adults
Shan Jiang, MD

P17 – Orthostatic Cerebrovascular Response is Altered in Frailty: Findings from The Irish Longitudinal Study on Ageing
Fiachra Maguire, MB BCh, BAO, MSc

P18 – Biomarkers of Metabolic Dysregulation, Inflammation, and Cellular Senescence are Associated with Impaired Physical Resilience After Hip Fracture
Daniel C. Parker, MD

P19 - Sepsis and Chronic Critical Illness are Associated with New or Worsening Frailty: “Induced Frailty”
Michael C. Cox, MD

2:45 PM – 3:45 PM
JOINT INJECTION WORKSHOP: KNEE, SHOULDER AND HIP
Room:
CME/CE Credit: 1.0 Track: Clinical Practice
Ticketed session. No additional fee.
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2:45 PM – 3:45 PM
CPT CODING: BASIC PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICE
Room:
CME/CE Credit: 1.0 Track: Clinical Practice
Speaker: Peter A. Hollmann, MD
This session will help the attendee become aware of coding that is especially relevant to geriatrics health care professionals. Specific topics that will be addressed include: E/M (office and facility visit codes and Medicare Preventive Medicine codes) and overview to coding and billing for the geriatrics professional. Learning Objectives: (1) describe basic coding principles; (2) discuss key Medicare payment rules; and (3) interpret how to relate these to practice management.

2:45 PM – 3:45 PM
JUNIOR FACULTY RESEARCH CAREER DEVELOPMENT SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP BUSINESS MEETING
Room:
Chair: Brienne Miner, MD, MHS
The Junior Faculty Research Career Development Special Interest Group is for junior faculty members and research fellows pursuing a career in aging-related research. At this meeting, we will elect our leadership for the coming year and discuss ideas for a symposium submission. This SIG is a great way to network with other early career researchers and become involved with AGS.

4:00 PM – 5:00 PM
HENDERSON STATE-OF-THE-ART LECTURE: LEVERAGING THE POTENTIAL OF INTERPROFESSIONAL TEAMS IN PRIMARY CARE PRACTICE
Room:
CME/CE Credit: 1.0 Track: Clinical Practice
Speaker: Ellen Flaherty, PhD, APRN, AGSF
Learning Objectives: (1) identify the key components to successful implementation in primary care; and (2) describe a successful approach to achieve leadership buy-in.

5:00 PM – 6:00 PM
PRESIDENTIAL POSTER SESSION & RECEPTION
Room: Exhibit Hall
Track: Research
The Presidential Poster Session and Reception features posters that received the highest rankings from abstract reviewers. Posters will be judged and one poster in each category will be chosen to receive a “Best Poster” award. Light refreshments will be served.

5:30 PM - 6:00 PM
GUIDED SCIENCE & INNOVATION POSTER WALKING TOUR
Room: Exhibit Hall
Sponsored by the Research Committee
The honored Henderson Award recipient will lead an interactive walking tour of exciting posters, featuring new discoveries, novel models of care, or other innovations in geriatrics. Each stop on the tour will involve a brief discussion with the poster presenter about the main findings and clinical implications of the work. The walking tour will launch from the AGS Marketplace Booth in the Exhibit Hall at 5:30 PM. If you arrive late, you can catch up with the tour by picking up a handout at the Marketplace.

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
BOOK CLUB
Room: Exhibit Hall
Track: Networking
AGS Book Club Pick: Elderhood by Louise Aronson
As revelatory as Atul Gawande’s Being Mortal, physician and award-winning author Louise Aronson’s Elderhood is an essential, empathetic look at a vital but often disparaged stage of life. For more than 5,000 years, “old” has been defined as beginning between the ages of 60 and 70. That means most people alive today will spend more years in elderhood than in childhood, and many will be elders for 40 years or more. Yet at the very moment that humans are living longer than ever before, we’ve made old age into a disease, a condition to be dreaded, denigrated, neglected, and denied. Reminiscent of Oliver Sacks, noted Harvard-trained geriatrician Louise Aronson uses stories from her quarter century of caring for patients, and draws from history, science, literature, popular culture, and her own life to weave a vision of old age that’s neither nightmare nor utopian fantasy—a vision full of joy, wonder, frustration, outrage, and hope about aging, medicine, and humanity itself. Elderhood is for anyone who is, in the author’s own words, “an aging, i.e., still-breathing human being.”

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
ACHIEVING HEALTH EQUITY AMONG DIVERSE OLDER ADULTS (AHEAD)
Room: Exhibit Hall
Track: Networking
Co-Chairs: Jane Jih, MD, MPH, MAS & Benjamin Han, MD, MPH
The Achieving Health Equity Among Diverse Older Adults (AHEAD) Special Interest Group which will meet for the first time at the 2020 AGS Annual Meeting. The mission of this new SIG is to bring together AGS members with an interest in promoting health equity and reducing health and healthcare disparities among diverse older adults in order to 1) promote health equity initiatives at AGS; 2) develop
programming and educational materials for AGS members; 3) create interdisciplinary relationships and mentorship with colleagues with an interest in health equity initiatives; and 4) cultivate collaborations in health equity-focused research and quality improvement initiatives among older adults.

6:00 – 7:00 PM
AGING AND ORAL HEALTH
Room: Networking
Co-Chairs: Christie M. Hogue, DDS & Adina Jucan, DDS
The purpose of this SIG is to provide an Inter-Professional forum where issues that impact the Oral Health of our aging patients can presented to discuss a team approach to efficiently coordinate needed treatment. The SIG is intended to be a resource for a diverse group of health professionals with a passion for aging patients to find and expand access to care and reduce barriers to care when it comes to Oral Health and Aging.

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
CANCER AND AGING
Room: Networking
Co-Chairs: Melisa L. Wong, MD, MAS; Kah Poh (Melissa) Loh, MBBCh,ca BAO; Carolyn Presley, MD, MHS
This interdisciplinary assemblage of geriatric, gerontologic, and oncologic professionals (1) promotes multidisciplinary-centered cancer prevention, assessment, and management of older adults; (2) promotes education and training in geriatric oncology concepts; (3) promotes research in geriatric oncology; (4) facilitates linkages among those organizations and institutions that serve or focus upon geriatric and/or oncologic causes; and (5) champions and advocates for older adults and their families who are impacted by cancer.

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
GEROSCIENCE
Room: Networking
Chair: George A. Kuchel, MD
The Geroscience SIG brings together AGS members from varied backgrounds who all share a common interest in efforts to leverage our understanding of basic aging processes towards the discovery, validation and implementation of intervention strategies designed to promote health, function and independence in late life.

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
HEALTHCARE FOR LOW-INCOME SENIORS
Room: Networking
Chair: Steven R. Counsell, MD, AGSF
The mission of the Health Care for Low-Income Seniors AGS Special Interest Group is to improve the quality and outcomes of health care and maximize independence among low-income seniors by bringing together geriatrics professionals dedicated to the care of the poor, disseminating practical solutions and innovative geriatrics team care models, and advocating for public policy change to better address the needs of this population. The Healthcare for Low-Income Seniors SIG is open to all AGS meeting participants.

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM
HEALTHY AGING
Room: Networking
Co-Chairs: Kathryn M. Daniel, PhD, RN, ANP-BC, GNP-BC, GS-C, AGSF & Paul L. Mulhausen, MD, MHS, AGSF, FACP
The Healthy Aging SIG offers an opportunity for networking between and among geriatric clinicians focused on Healthy Aging. During this meeting, we will discuss and explore projects, research, and new developments around this topic as well as implementation/intervention strategies with other like-minded clinicians.

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
THE HOSPITAL ELDER LIFE PROGRAM (HELP) / DELIRIUM PREVENTION
Room: Networking
Co-Chairs: Sarah L. Gartaganis, LCSW, MPH
The mission of our Hospital Elder Life Program (HELP) / Delirium Prevention is to allow all current and potentially interested HELP sites to come together to hear the latest updates about HELP and delirium prevention, as well as network and discuss successes and challenges anywhere in the planning or implementation process. The Hospital Elder Life Program (HELP) is an innovative model of hospital care designed to prevent delirium and functional decline and to improve overall quality of hospital care for older persons. The program has been demonstrated to be both effective and cost-effective, with the potential for large cost savings.

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITIES
Room: Networking
Co-Chairs: Ariba Khan, MD, MPH & Niharika Suchak, MBBS, MHS, FACP
This SIG promotes awareness of global trends in aging and healthcare issues in older adults that span continents and cross international borders. It focuses on developing proposals for AGS annual meetings regarding global challenges and successful strategies in health care delivery for older adults and models of care (including adaptation for local use), and design and implementation of geriatrics training programs in multiple health professions.

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
INTERPROFESSIONAL EDUCATION AND PRACTICE IN GERIATRICS
Room: Networking
Co-Chairs: Josette A. Rivera, MD & Todd C. James, MD
The Interprofessional Education and Practice (IPE/P) Special Interest Group welcomes all AGS members to explore how broad health professional interest in collaboration is changing health education and practice. Interprofessional education refers to when “two or more professionals learn about, from and with each other to enable effective collaboration and improve health outcomes” (WHO, 2010). Please join us to explore opportunities to advance geriatric care and collaborative practice with new educational initiatives, curricula, and models of care.

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
OLDER ADULTS FACING CHRONIC KIDNEY DISEASE AND/OR KIDNEY FAILURE
Room: Networking
Co-Chairs: Leah Taffel, MD; Christine Liu, MD
This SIG will discuss the ways interdisciplinary collaboration can help older adults and their family members feel supported in the dialysis vs conservative management decision making process; to collaborate on how to create co-management geriatrics and renal subspecialty clinics; and to foster research on outcomes that affect the quality of life of older adults with kidney disease, such as falls, re-hospitalization rates, and end of life care.

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
PALLIATIVE CARE
Room: Networking
Co-Chairs: Mona Gupta, MD; Kimberly A. Curseen, MD
This SIG promotes awareness of palliative care issues in the geriatrics community, and hopes to identify and build on synergies that exist between geriatrics and palliative care.

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
VETERANS HEALTH ADMINISTRATION
Room:
Track: Networking
Chair: Marianne Shaughnessy, PhD, CRNP
This session is intended for employees of the US Department of Veterans Affairs who are attending the conference. Representatives from the VA Offices of Geriatrics and Extended Care Policy and Services will be present to provide updates on VA activities and plans; and to engage in discussion with VA staff present regarding matters of shared concern. Interested non-VA persons are welcome to attend but are asked to refrain from participating in open discussion.

8:00 PM – 10:00 PM
DANCE PARTY / RECEPTION
Room:
Join us as we toast #AGS20 at a dance party with colleagues from across the country and around the world.