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October 2018: NPA Conference Edition

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2018 National PACE Association (NPA) Annual Conference



The [NPA Annual Conference](#) in Portland, OR on October 21-24 is just around the corner, and we look forward to seeing you there. The following is a listing of events we will be involved in at the conference. Come connect with us!

What is CareVention HealthCare?



CareVention HealthCare™

Learn more about CareVention HealthCare, CareKinesis, Peak Health Plan Management, Capstone Performance Systems, Mediture, and eClusive during special presentations at NPA.

Details are forthcoming. If interested in attending a presentation, please contact nquemuel@carekinesis.com for information.

Portland Uncorked PACE Education and Appreciation Dinner

CareVention HealthCare invites you to Portland Uncorked! - a wine, beer, and cider tasting reception and PACE Appreciation Dinner on **Sunday, October 21** in the Atrium Foyer and Ballroom at the Portland Hilton Downtown.

Please join us as we introduce CareVention HealthCare, recognize Richard Schamp, MD, CEO Emeritus of Capstone Performance Systems, and present an award in his name.

The event will begin at 7:00 p.m. with a networking reception that will include the wine, beer, and cider tasting. Dinner will start at 7:30 p.m., and dessert and presentations will begin at 8:30 p.m.

[Learn more about the event and RSVP using the online form](#) or [register via email](#) by **October 12**. Space is limited.



Attendees will be able to obtain a "PACEport" that will allow participants to enter into a drawing to win a prize.

We hope to see you there!

Educational Sessions



CareKinesis team members will present during the following educational sessions:

Monday, October 22

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.

Pharmacy Topics, Clinical Topics

Presenters: Neda Leonard, PharmD, CGP, BCPS, CareKinesis and Michael Crismali, MD, MBA, ArchCare PACE Senior Life

8:00 - 9:30 a.m.

Using Novel Risk Stratification and a System for Medication Risk

Scoring of PACE Participants to Reduce Preventable Adverse Drug Events

Presenters: Calvin H. Knowlton, PhD, PharmD, MDiv, CareKinesis and David Wensel, DO, HMDC, FAAHPM, Midland Care

Tuesday, October 23

3:30 - 5:00 p.m.

The CMS 1/3 Financial Audits Are Changing - Are Your Adapting?

Presenters: Terry Combs, Total Life Health Care; Thelma Pittman, MBA, Cherokee Elder Care; Deborah Quillen, BA, AS, CareKinesis; and Matthew Zimmerman, BA, Capstone Performance Systems

Network with CareKinesis in the Exhibit Area

Stop by to network with the CareKinesis team at booths 201 and 300, and learn more about CareVention HealthCare at booths 207 and 209.

Exhibit hours are:

Monday, October 22

- 6:30 - 8:00 a.m.
- 9:30 - 10:00 a.m.
- 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Tuesday, October 23

- 6:30 - 8:00 a.m.

- 9:30 - 10:00 a.m.
- 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.

And don't forget to get your "PACEport" stamped!



Leadership and Awards Luncheon Sponsored by CareVention HealthCare



Join us as we sponsor the Leadership and Awards Luncheon on **Tuesday, October 23 at 11:30 a.m.** The luncheon will recognize recipients of the Marie-Louise Ansak Award, the Judy Baskins Volunteer Leadership Award, and others who have made significant contributions to PACE over the years. Richard Schamp, MD, CEO Emeritus, Capstone Performance Systems, will also be recognized.

Stay Connected with the NPA Annual Conference Mobile App

Our sister company, Capstone Performance Systems, is once again sponsoring the NPA Conference Mobile App hosted by Whova. The app is supported on both iOS and Android phones and tablets, and allows attendees to stay connected before, during, and after the conference.

Download the app to view the conference agenda, view/download speaker handouts, access maps and event information, receive updates from event organizers, and connect with presenters, vendors, and other attendees.

Registered attendees will receive an email invitation to join the mobile app directly from the NPA.



PACE Case: Glycemic Control



A PACE program nurse practitioner approaches a CareKinesis clinical pharmacist for help with a participant's anti-diabetic medication regimen. The participant is an 89-year-old female with a past medical history of chronic kidney disease stage 4, hyperlipidemia, type 2 diabetes, hypertension, GERD, and iron-deficiency anemia.

Read more about this case at CareKinesis.com.

Quote of the Month

"I cannot think of any (CareKinesis Pharmacy) recommendation that wasn't important or didn't make sense."

Upcoming Events & Reminders

October

8	Current Rheumatologic Therapies & Associated Cost-Effectiveness, 8:00 a.m. EDT
11	EireneRx 101 Training, 11:00 a.m. EDT
21 - 24	NPA Annual Conference, Portland, OR
23	Musculoskeletal Disorders: Gout, 8:00 a.m. EDT

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