



OSMA News Now

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TAKE ACTION: Ask Gov. Henry to Reject New Pharmacy Rules

Last month, the Oklahoma State Board of Pharmacy adopted new rules related to Collaborative Medication Therapy Management (CMTM). These new rules will essentially allow pharmacists to make changes to a patient's course of treatment without the supervision of the physician. Equally troubling, the rules allow for these CMTM agreements do not have to be patient specific, can be written for "patient groups" and can be written for an entire pharmacy. In other words, a physician licensed in Oklahoma (whether practicing or not) could write one of these CMTM agreements saying that anyone who has a given condition can be treated by anybody working at the Walgreen's pharmacy.

OSMA believes that these rules are entirely too broad, put patient safety at risk and are just another example of a group wanting to practice medicine without going to medical school. We encourage you to call Governor Henry at 405-521-2342 and urge him to reject these Pharmacy Board rules.

(To see the full text of the proposed rules, go to <http://www.ok.gov/OSBP/documents/2010%20Proposed%20Permanent%20Rules.pdf> and scroll down to page 7).

Rural Physicians:

Is There a Doctor in the House?

The OSMA is in charge of the Doctor of the Day program at the state Capitol. This is a great—and easy—opportunity for you to meet and influence your state legislators. The Doctor of the Day is at the Capitol for one day to handle minor medical situations (think aspirin and Band-Aids). But more importantly, you have the opportunity to serve as the face of OSMA and talk to elected officials about the impact their votes have on the medical community.

The month of May is reserved for rural physicians, and we still have several dates available. If you are interested in serving as Doctor of the Day, please contact Wes Glinsmann at 1-800-522-9452 or Glinsmann@okmed.org.

SAVE THE DATE

2010 OSMA Annual CME Meeting Mock Trial: Medical Malpractice

Midwest City Reed Conference Center
8:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. • April 16, 2010

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Oklahoma Academy of Family Physicians Spring Choice CME Program

2:00 pm - 5:00 pm	OAFP Mental Health Update presented by Art Rousseau, MD
5:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Depression METRIC, Mastering Part IV of the Boards (a Tutorial) presented by Mike Pontious, MD

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Award to Honor Eliminating The Stigma of Mental Illness

OKLAHOMA CITY – INTEGRIS Mental Health and the National Alliance on Mental Illness have partnered with R. Murali Krishna, M.D., president and COO, INTEGRIS Mental Health and the James L. Hall Jr. Center for Mind, Body and Spirit, to eliminate the stigma about mental illness.

The Dr. R. Murali Krishna Family “Eliminate the Stigma” Award was developed as a way to honor persons or organizations that have shown an outstanding contribution to the community by eliminating the stigma about mental illness and improving the lives of those affected by mental illness. The award recipient will receive a \$1,000 cash award on behalf of Dr. Krishna and his family.

Dr. Krishna is an expert on matters of mental and emotional health, and in the emerging field of mind-body-spirit medicine. He serves as board president of the Health Alliance for the Uninsured, secretary-treasurer of the Oklahoma State Board of Health and is past president of the Oklahoma County Medical Society. He is a clinical professor of Psychiatry at the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, Distinguished Fellow of the American Psychiatric Association, and a Diplomat for the American Board of Psychiatry. He is also the past president of the Oklahoma Psychiatric Association.

In 1992, Krishna received the Exemplary Psychiatrist Award from the National Alliance for the Mentally Ill in Washington, D.C. In 1995, he was awarded the Outstanding Asian American Award for his efforts to help the victims of the Oklahoma City bombing. In 2000, he received the Outstanding Physician International Award from the Delhi Telugu Academy in New Delhi, India, in recognition of his national and international work in removing the stigma of mental illness, promoting compassionate care of the mentally ill and enhancing people’s discovery of the healing power of the mind-body-spirit connection. In 2008, Dr. Krishna received the prestigious Oklahoma State Medical Association’s Gordon Deckert, M.D. Award for Outstanding Community Service.

The award was announced by Krishna during the Coalition of Advocates Conference at the National Center for Employee Development in Norman earlier this month, where he spoke about his family’s journey and their inspiration to develop the award.

Nominations for the Dr. R. Murali Krishna Family “Eliminate the Stigma” Award can be submitted to NAMI Oklahoma, 1920 N. Drexel Blvd., Oklahoma City, OK 73107-3925, (405) 230-1900; fax (405) 230-1903 or e-mail to jdyson@nami.org. The deadline for nominations is Monday, April 19. Nominees should be individuals, programs or agencies who have been leaders in advocating on behalf of Oklahomans who have mental illnesses or addictive disorders and who, through these advocacy efforts, have improved the lives of people with these illnesses of the brain resulting in a decrease in the discrimination that they experience and the stigma that they feel.

2010 Annual Meeting Oklahoma State Medical Association

along with the Oklahoma Academy of Family Physicians

Reed Conference Center - Midwest City
April 16th - 17th, 2010

REGISTRATION FORM



Date _____

Schedule (please complete the 2nd page) _____

Please put the number attending in the box provided even if there is no charge. List all names on page 2.

**Friday
April 16th**

- 7:30am Legislative Breakfast - No Charge
- 8:30am-12:30pm OSMA CME Mock Trial: Medical Malpractice \$75 members/\$125 non-members
- 12:45pm-1:45pm Luncheon - No Charge
- 1:30pm-1:55pm OAFP Registration
- 2:00pm OSMA Board of Trustees
- 2:00pm-5:00pm OAFP Mental Health Update presented by Art Rousseau, MD
- 5:00pm-6:00pm Depression METRIC, Mastering Part IV of the Boards (a Tutorial) presented by Mike Pontious, MD
- 5:30pm -7:00pm OSMA Inaugural Reception
- 7:00pm - 11:00pm OSMA/OSMAA Inaugural - \$75

For information or to register for OSMA Alliance events, please contact Nancy Bennett at (405) 601-9571 or bennett@okmed.org

**Saturday
April 17th**

- 7:30am Caucus Breakfast Buffet - No charge
- 8:00am-9:00am Oklahoma/Tulsa/Rural Caucus Meetings
- 9:00am-12:00pm OSMA House of Delegates
- 10:30am-11:00am Voting
- 12:15pm - 1:15pm Awards Luncheon \$35
- 1:30pm-2:00pm AMA Delegation Meeting
- 2:00pm-5:00pm OSMA Health Board Meeting

Name(s) of attendees: _____

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PLEASE CALL THE OSMA WITH ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS:

405-601-9571 or 800.522.9452 FAX: 405.601.9575, osma@okmed.org

CANCELLATION POLICY: Attendance cancellation must be made six business days in advance to receive refund.

HOTEL INFORMATION - DEADLINE EXTENDED

Hotel reservations must be made directly with the Sheraton Midwest City Hotel. Please mention the Oklahoma State Medical Association by **March 30th** to receive the special group rate of \$124.

**Sheraton Midwest City Hotel at the Reed Conference Center
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Phone: (405) 455-1800 (800) 325-3535**