



SNMA REGION IV MEDICAL EDUCATION CONFERENCE

Change: Transforming America's Healthcare in a New Era

October 16-18th, 2009

Durham, North Carolina

Participant Registration Form

Contact Information *(please print clearly)*

Name	
Street Address	
City ST ZIP Code	
Telephone	
E-Mail Address	
Name School/Office	

Registration Level *(please check one)*

	<u>Early (deadline 8/15)</u>	<u>Regular (deadline 9/14)</u>
Student Members:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Active medical student	\$75	\$95
<input type="checkbox"/> Active pre-medical student	\$60	\$75
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-SNMA/MAPS student	\$85	\$100
Non-student members:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Physician/Patron, undergraduate advisor, other	\$85	\$100

Payment

TOTAL DUE: \$ _____

Payment by check # _____ is enclosed. *(Payable to Student National Medical Association)*

Special considerations

Check here if you are a vegetarian (for conference catering purposes)

Return Instructions

For questions contact region4conference@yahoo.com. Please mail your registration form to the following address with payment:

ATTN: **SNMA 2008 Region IV MEC**

Duke University School of Medicine

DUMC Box 3635

Med Ctr

Durham, NC 27707

Must be postmarked by the 9/14 to qualify for the regular conference fee and avoid the \$25 late fee!

Agreement and Signature

I acknowledge that I have read and agree to the Terms and Conditions and other provisions specified in the Participant Registration information below for the 2008 SNMA Region IV Medical Education Conference in Jacksonville, Florida. *(If submitting registration via email, your typed name will serve as your signature)*

Name (printed)	
Signature	
Date	

PARTICIPANT REGISTRATION INFORMATION

I. CONFERENCE SCHEDULE:

The 2009 Region IV Medical Education Conference theme is *Change*. Our goal is to provide our SNMA members with information that is not learned in the classroom. We want to educate members on healthcare topics that will become a part of our professional lives as physicians, especially in the changing face of medicine under the Obama administration. There are medical student workshops with topics ranging from healthcare economics to life outside medicine. Our premedical workshops will provide premedical students with the tools to be competitive applicants to medical school. In addition, the conference will have interactive workshops such as a suture clinic, surgery simulation lab, and interactive discussions on topics such as spirituality in medicine and healthcare politics. This year's luncheon will educate us and our banquet keynote speaker will inspire us. Your registration fee will give you access to all these workshops along with a catered luncheon and banquet. Please join us for a memorable conference!

II. CONFERENCE DRESS CODE:

The dress code for the conference is business. Gentlemen please wear a suit or a sports coat and slacks. Ladies please wear a suit, a blouse and pants, or an appropriate dress.

III. HOTEL LOCATION/INFORMATION:

The 2009 Region IV Medical Education Conference will be hosted at the Marriott RTP. The hotel is located the heart of Research Triangle Park near Lenovo, Glaxo Smith Kline, Cisco, Fidelity, Wyeth, and Telacris. In addition to Research Triangle Park, our hotel is close to the Raleigh Durham Airport (RDU) and minutes away from several universities: Duke, UNC, NC State and NCCU. The hotel has offered our conference the low daily rate of \$89 plus taxes. This rate is based on availability and a block of rooms is not being held. Please make your reservations ASAP, the room rate is only valid until 9/14/2009. Parking is complimentary. Please go to the following website for more information about the hotel and reservations at our group rate: [Marriott at Research Triangle Park >>](#). You can make reservations by calling (919) 941-6200. In order to obtain the group rate, you must indicate that you are affiliated with SNMA.

Address 4700 Guardian Drive
Durham, North Carolina 27703
Phone: 919-941-6200

IV. CANCELLATIONS/REFUNDS:

All cancellation and refund requests must be received by 9/25/2009 in order to receive a full refund. Please email the conference co-chairs at: region4conference@yahoo.com. Please submit requests as soon as possible. There will be no substitutions allowed for this conference.

V. ON-SITE REGISTRATION:

Registration on-site will be offered. There will be an additional fee for any registration after September 14, 2009. You also run the risk of not being able to eat at the catered events. The conference chairs have to submit a final number of participants in advance. The chairs will quote the caterer a number higher than those registered in anticipation of on-site registration, but it is not guaranteed that there will be enough for every person who registers on-site. It is best to register early to guarantee your spot.

VI. QUESTIONS, COMMENTS, OR CONCERNS?

Please contact us at region4conference@yahoo.com