



Don't miss this conference! Why? Learn more inside!



This conference is being held by the Pennsylvania Medical Society and the Pennsylvania Bar Association





## Who should attend?

Pennsylvania physicians, their legal counsel, administrative partners, medical students, residents, fellows, and law students.

We have a lot of great sessions planned!

# **Sessions at a Glance**

## **Keynote Speakers**



Secretary of Health Dr. Rachel Levine: Dr. Levine is the Secretary of Health for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and professor of Pediatrics and Psychiatry at the



**Rep. Bryan Cutler:** Serving his seventh term in Pennsylvania General Assembly, Rep. Cutler represents the 100th Legislative District in Lancaster County. In November 2018, Rep. Cutler was

elected by his colleagues to serve as Majority Leader for the 2019-20 legislative session, a position he assumed on Dec. 1, 2018.

## **Conference Sessions**

Friday, Sept. 13, 1 PM – 5:45 PM\* • Saturday, Sept. 14, 7:30 AM – 1:30 PM

\* Social after sessions end until 7 PM

## The ABCs of the PDMP: Understanding Pennsylvania's **Prescription Drug Monitoring Laws**

This session will:

- Provide an overview of Pennsylvania's prescription drug monitoring laws.
- Give physicians and attorneys a better understanding of issues like querying requirements and exceptions, the difference between registering and querying, continuing education requirements, mandatory vs. permissive querying, delegates, recordkeeping, and disciplinary sanctions.

### Amazon, Telemedicine, and Digital Health Disruption

This session will:

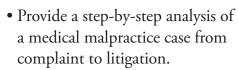
• Prepare physicians to be in the driver's seat as medicine accelerates into the future.



- Discuss how tech giants like Amazon, Apple, and Google plan to transform health care.
- Address the role physicians and their attorneys will play in leading medical innovation.

#### The Anatomy of a Malpractice Case

This session will:





- Explain how a medical malpractice case works through the court system.
- Advise physicians on coping with litigation stress.

#### **Demystifying the State Board of Medicine: Tips for Preserving Your Licensure Status**

This session will:

• Describe the State Board of Medicine's Complaint and Investigation Process, including tips on how to respond if an investigator shows up at your door.



- Describe the workings and benefits of the Impaired Professional Program.
- Address physician obligations when working with physician extenders, including physician assistants and nurse practitioners.

#### Fraud, Waste, and Abuse: From Basics to Cutting Edge

This session will:

 Introduce and illustrate the operation of the three major fraud, waste, and abuse laws that impact physician practic

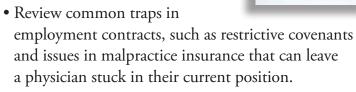


that impact physician practice — the False Claims Act, the Stark Law, and the Anti-Kickback Statute.

• Explore cutting-edge issues related to coding and reimbursement.

### How to Avoid Mistakes in Physician Employment Contracts

This session will:



• Offer guidance on negotiating favorable contract terms.

### **Note-taking Remediation**

This session will:

- Provide information on proper progress note taking — when investigating whether a physician departed from the standard of care, they'll want to know what you did and why.
- Offer protection strategies against future medical license claims.

## **Patient Right to Medical Self Determination**

This session will:

- Review the state's doctrine of informed consent.
- Review federal and state right-to-try laws and their intersection with existing FDA laws.



### A Review of the Different Aspects of End-of-Life Treatment Plans

This session will:

• Help participants understand the variations in end-of-life treatment care plans.



 Compare Advanced Directives and Pennsylvania Orders for Life-Sustaining Treatment (POLST) in end-of-life care decisions.

#### **The National Practitioner Data Bank Explained**

This session will:

- Review who can report and be reported, what is reportable, and who can access reports.
- Provide tips on the process of disputing a report.

And so much more ....

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Attorney with CLE credits: \$324



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This program has been approved by the Pennsylvania Continuing Legal Education Board for 8 hours of CLE credit in substantive law and 1 hour in ethics.

# **Questions?**

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# **Overnight Accommodations**

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#### **PAMED Negotiated Rate:**

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