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Quarterly Newsletter



NEW BEGINNINGS

by Morgan James, 2023 Governor

"Celebrate endings – for they precede new beginnings." - Jonathan Lockwood Hule

Three...two...one...Happy New Year! Let's consider 2023 our fresh start! I am so excited for the 2023 South Carolina Medical Group Management Association year. Your state board and chapter Presidents have been hard at work to prepare an exciting year full of opportunity for each of our members. Please stay tuned for all the exciting events coming up and mark your calendars.

What is our New Year's resolution? SC MGMA wants this to be the year of our members. We know what health care has been like over the past few years and each of you have shown your resilience in the face of these challenges. We are working on different ways to reach our members so that we better serve you with resources to battle these challenges. Your feedback is always welcomed and appreciated.

Here's to 2023!

"And now we welcome the new year. Full of things that have never been." -Rainer Maria Rilke.

SOUTH CAROLINA MEDICAL GROUP MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION

Mission Statement

To provide successful communication in healthcare through management and academics.

Promoting
excellence in
healthcare
management

Join today!

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Objectives

- To enhance the quality of medical care in South Carolina through the professional administration of healthcare practices.
- To encourage the effective and efficient management of healthcare delivery systems through professional development and the exchange of ideas within its membership.
- To promote excellence in healthcare management by its commitment to training, continuing education, and the recognition of achievement and leadership of healthcare managers.

MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

Education:

- State and Chapter Sponsored Events
- Spring Symposium and Annual Conference
- Leadership and Professional Development Opportunities
- Educational Preparation to Become Certified (ACMPE)
- Networking and Relationship Building
- Exposure to key Industry Partners

Certification:

The American College of Medical Practice Executives (ACMPE) is the certifying body of MGMA which provides board certification, self-assessment and leadership development opportunities for medical practice executives. Certification is becoming increasingly desirable to current employers. The highest distinction for a certified medical manager is Fellowship status, which can also be obtained through the ACMPE.

Alliances:

The SCMGMA is affiliated with the Medical Group Management Association (MGMA), which is the most comprehensive national organization representing professional medical managers throughout the country. This support includes a presence in Washington lobbying for the legislative interests of medicine and the management/administration thereof.

SCMGMA SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS!

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SCMGMA UPCOMING EVENTS!

Spring Symposium April 27 & 28

SCMGMA will be holding an educational event during the SCMA Annual Meeting at the Marriott Myrtle Beach Resort & Spa at Grande Dunes on April 27 & 28. We will also be an exhibitor and encourage you to drop in and see us!

If you're interested in being an exhibitor for this event, please contact SCMA for additional details.



Marriott Myrtle Beach Resort & Spa at Grande Dunes
8400 Coasta Verde Drive, Myrtle Beach, SC 29572

Annual Conference Aug 30 - Sept 1

SCMGMA will be holding our Annual Conference at Harrah's Cherokee Casino and Resort August 30 - September 1. This will be our regular in-person conference with full array of attendees, speakers, social events, and exhibitors. Companies who join as corporate sponsors will receive free exhibit space and booth selection will be based on first come first serve basis. Exhibit space will be offered beginning December 2022. Hope you can join us!



Harrah's Cherokee Casino & Resort
777 Casino Drive, Cherokee, NC 28719

State Board Retreat Sept 1 - 2

The SCMGMA State Board Retreat will be held at Harrah's Cherokee Conference immediately following the annual conference. We will be including an exhibitor panel for open discussion about how we can better partner with our Affiliate Members and Corporate Sponsors.

The conference special hotel rate will remain in place for the board retreat.

DATE:

MONDAY

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GOALS

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SCMGMA UPCOMING EVENTS

JANUARY:

- 1: New Year's Day and National Blood Donor Month
- 16: Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- 21: Greenville Chapter Board Retreat

FEBRUARY:

- 1: Black History Month
- 4: Word Cancer Day
- 10: Regional Joint Chapter Meeting & State Board Meeting to Follow
- 14: Greenville Chapter Meeting
- 14: Valentine's Day

MARCH:

- 1: Women's History, Red Cross and Disability Awareness Month

Regional Joint Chapter Meeting:

Hosted by Florence and Midlands

SAVE THE DATES!

April 27 & 28, 2023
SCMGMA Spring Symposium
Marriott Spa & Resort
Myrtle Beach, SC

August 30 - September 1, 2023
SCMGMA Annual Conference
Harrah's Cherokee
Casino & Resort
Cherokee, NC



WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

We're listening ...

- What topics would you like to have at the Spring Symposium and Annual Conference?
- Do you have any Community Service initiatives underway that you would like to promote?
- Do you have membership drive ideas - what are you currently doing to increase membership?
- Do you have any ideas for association fundraisers?

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Thank you for your continued support!

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