

# ASSOCIATION OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS IN OBSTETRICS AND GYNECOLOGY

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#### **APAOG Events at AAPA**

Wednesday, May 17, 2017, 9-10am SPARK Student Session - PAs in OBGYN

Sessions will give you advice and knowledge for every phrase of your PA student career – and beyond! This year, hear from practicing PAs and subject matter experts on surviving clinical rotations, preparing for PANCE, choosing a specialty and acing your interview and contract negotiation. Prepare yourself for life after graduation with sessions on financial advice, volunteering opportunities, global PA developments and professional advocacy.

Thursday, May 18, 2017, 5-6 pm
APAOG Meet and Greet ~ no RSVP required

Come meet the board and members of the Association of PAs in OBGYN (APAOG) to find out all about what APAOG has to offer! APAOG is a constituent organization of AAPA and focuses on PAs practicing in women's health in a variety of specialties including family medicine, internal medicine, GYN, OB, MFM, REI, pediatrics, geriatrics, GYN oncology, and many more! All are welcome!

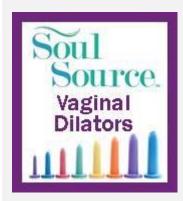
Thursday, May 18 2017 6-8 pm <u>APAOG Banquet and Annual Meeting</u> - RSVP today!

Join APAOG in Las Vegas! APAOG is hosting a free event for APAOG members and non members to meet at AAPA in Las Vegas. Light horderves and drinks will be served.

The event will feature award winners and provide an update to the group from the APAOG board.

AAPA Conference Sessions Related to Women's Health







- Female Pelvic and Vulvar Pain (Aleece Fosnight, APAOG President)
- Basic Obstetrics Review (Melinda Blazar, APAOG Director at Large)
- Preconception Counseling (Heather Adams, APAOG Publications Committee Chair)
- Genital Ulcer STIs
- Female Urology Update
- Zika and Pregnancy
- Women's Health Issues
- Breast Cancer Patient Options
- HPV Vaccination
- Contraception Update
- Menopause Management
- Drug and Alcohol and Sexual Assault

# **APAOG Awards Now Open - Nominations Due March 15, 2017**

The awards process is the single most important means that APAOG has for recognizing PAs who have made significant contributions in women's health. Awards can be nominated at any time throughout the course of the year, but will be presented at the APAOG Reception at the <u>APAOG Banquet</u> at the AAPA Conference.

View the 2017 Awards Grid for full award details.

- Preceptor Award
- Outstanding PA in Women's Health Award
- Student Award

**Nomination Form - Click here** 

#### 2017 APAOG Webinars

# Opiate Use Disorder and Womens Health



February 21, 2017 - Register today! 5PM PT/7PM CT/8PM ET

Speaker: Cresta Jones, MD

Learning Objectives:

- Understand the significance of the opiate use disorder crisis in the United States as it applies to women's health.
- Identify the pregnancy complications associated with opiate use disorder and chronic opiate use.
- Describe the treatment options for opiate use disorder in pregnancy.

 Understand the basic symptoms and treatment of neonatal opiate withdrawal syndrome.

# Menopause: Where are we now?

June 20, 2017 - Register today! 5PM PT/7PM CT/8PM ET

Speaker: Elyse Watkins, DHSc, PA-C

- Describe the Women's Health Initiative study and its subsequent effect on exogenous hormone utilization during menopause.
- Discuss the current evidence-based guidelines on hormone therapy for menopausal women.
- Differentiate the various treatment options currently available for vasomotor symptoms and vulvovaginal atrophy due to menopause.
- Describe the risks and benefits of hormone therapy during menopause.

Menopause: Where are we now? webinar is sponsored by:



# **Clinical Updates**

It is now reported that abortion rates in the US in 2014 were recorded at an all-time low. This is largely credited to improved access and use of contraception, including long acting, reversible contraceptive devices. Read the full article published by Guttmacher Institute <a href="here">here</a>.

## **APAOG's Newest Members**

Welcome to the APAOG's newest members in January: Fellow

#### **Associate**

- Cindy Atkins
- April Fitzloff
- Kimberly Rattigan
- Breanna Ries
- Tammy Webb
- Diana Case

- Summer Abubaker
- Angela Correale
- Kayla Witcik

- Silvia Salas
- Joy Wells

#### Student

- Hannah Cody
- Trisha Hinke
- Jaclyn Honeycutt
- Michelle Leslie
- Morgan Pellegrini
- Hanna Roberge
- Megan Tracy
- Catherine Wilson

# **Job Openings**



PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT - OB/GYN Physician Affiliate Group, New York

BC/BE Advanced Practice Provider Rochester Regional Health, New York

#### Are You Interested in Posting a Job?

Click here to submit your job posting today! Job postings run for 45 days and are free for members.

#### **Events**

**APAOG Webinar:** 

Opiate Use Disorder and Women's Health

February 21, 2017

Learn more

**ISSWSH Annual Meeting 2017** 

February 23-26, 2017

Learn more

GYN Office Review: Vulvar Disease and Abnormal Early

**Pregnancy** March 3, 2017

Learn more

**AAPA Leadership and Advocacy Summit** 

March 4-5, 2017

Learn more

2017 National Family Planning and Reproductive Health **Association National Conference** 

March 5-7, 2017

Learn more

## **AIUM Annual Convention and Pre-Convention Program**

March 25-29, 2017

Learn more

#### **ACOG 2017 Annual Clinical and Scientific Meeting**

May 6-9, 2017 Learn more

## 2017 AAPA Conference

May 15-19, 2017

Learn more

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Email APAOG to promote an event in your area today!

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