

63rd

Annual PPS Convention



**PEDIATRIC
SYNERGY**

Collaborative Approaches to
Modern Healthcare Challenges

Pre-Convention Symposia

CROSSROADS IN PEDIATRIC CARE: NAVIGATING WHERE TO GO

SYMPOSIUM 1

Abdominal Pain in Children: Beyond Functional

Moderator: **RANDY P. URTULA, MD**

8:00AM - 9:00 AM
Registration

9:00 AM - 9:15 AM
Opening Ceremonies

9:15 AM - 9:45 AM
Lecture 1: **Gastroenterology:
IBD in Pediatrics: Clues in Recurrent
Abdominal Pain**
KAREN SOPHIA CALIXTO-MERCADO, MD

9:45 AM - 10:15 AM
Lecture 2: **Nephrology:
Infections and Obstructions as Pain
Presenters**
RACHELLE C. DELA CRUZ, MD

10:15 AM - 10:30 AM
Nutritional Break

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM
Lecture 3: **Radiology:
Imaging Studies for RAP: Interpretation
for the General Pediatrician**
MICHAEL SALVADOR D. CABATO, MD

11:00 AM - 11:30 AM
Lecture 4: **Pediatric Surgery: When to
Intervene Urgently**
WILLIE T. HAO, MD

11:30 AM - 11:45 AM
Last Chance with the Experts

11:45 AM - 12:00 PM
**Awarding of Certificates/ Closing
Ceremonies**

SYMPOSIUM 2

The Febrile Child with Cytopenias

Moderator: **LEA G. GALIA, MD**

8:00AM - 9:00 AM
Registration

9:00 AM - 9:15 AM
Opening Ceremonies

9:15 AM - 9:45 AM
Lecture 1: **Hematology/Oncology:
Pancytopenia in the Febrile Child: how Far
Should We Go?**
MICHELLE F. RODRIGUEZ, MD

9:45 AM - 10:15 AM
Lecture 2: **Infectious Disease: Fever and
Cytopenias: Not Always Viral**
JAY RON O. PADUA, MD

10:15 AM - 10:30 AM
Nutritional Break

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM
Lecture 3: **Rheumatology: Macrophage
Activation Syndrome: The Great
Masquerader**
SHERBETH MAE M. REY, MD

11:00 AM - 11:30 AM
Lecture 4: **Critical Care:
Effective Hemostasis in the Child with
Cytopenias: (Antifibrinolytics, Tranexamic
Acid and Epsilon-aminocaproic Acid)**
MELLINOR ASPURIA-ANG, MD

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SYMPOSIUM 3

The Adolescent with Puberty and Growth Concerns

Moderator: **MYLENE J. ELEUTERIO, MD**

8:00AM - 9:00 AM

Registration

9:00 AM - 9:15 AM

Opening Ceremonies

9:15 AM - 9:45 AM

Lecture 1: **Adolescent Medicine:
Identifying and Managing Risk-Taking
Behavior**

DEBORAH A. RED, MD

9:45 AM - 10:15 AM

Lecture 2: **Adolescent Gynecology:
Irregular Menstruation and PCOS**

MA. SOCORRO C. BERNARDINO, MD

10:15 AM - 10:30 AM

Nutritional Break

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM

Lecture 3: **Endocrinology:
Short Stature: When to Worry and Refer**

EVE G. FERNANDEZ, MD

11:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Lecture 4: **Gastroenterology: Obesity
and the Metabolic Syndrome (Fatty Liver
and Dyslipidemia)**

JOY KIMBERLY N. MILITANTE, MD

11:30 AM - 11:45 AM

Last Chance with the Experts

11:45 AM - 12:00 PM

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SYMPOSIUM 4

Cyanosis and Hypoxemia in Infants and Children

Moderator: **MARIA CONCHITINA T. BANDONG, MD**

8:00AM - 9:00 AM

Registration

9:00 AM - 9:15 AM

Opening Ceremonies

9:15 AM - 9:45 AM

Lecture 1: **Cardiology:
Heart Disease: Cyanosis that Oxygen
Won't Fix**

JULIET J. BALDERAS, MD

9:45 AM - 10:15 AM

Lecture 2: **Critical Care:
Pediatric ABG's in Hypoxemia States**

Interpretation and Management

MEADINA G. CRUZ, MD

10:15 AM - 10:30 AM

Nutritional Break

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM

Lecture 3: **Neonatology:
Non-invasive Ventilatory Support in
Infants: Optimizing Oxygenation**

MARIA CONCHITINA T. BANDONG, MD

11:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Lecture 4: **Pulmonology: Pulmonary
Complications of Critical Congenital
Cardiac Diseases**

MARIA LEA C. RIVERA, MD

11:30 AM - 11:45 AM

Last Chance with the Experts

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