Program Agenda

7:15 a.m.  Registration, Breakfast, Exhibits
8 a.m. Welcome

8:10 a.m.  Keynote Speaker
Sarah M. Varekojis, PhD, RRT
President of The Ohio Society for Respiratory Care
Assistant Professor and Director of Clinical Education
Respiratory Therapy OSU - College of Medicine
School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences

8:20 a.m.  Reducing COPD Readmissions
James Allen, MD
Professor and Medical Director of Ohio State University Hospital East

9:15 a.m.  Sleep Disordered Breathing: Beyond CPAP
Aneessa M. Das, MD
Assistant Director OSU Sleep Program

10:10 a.m. Break/Exhibits

10:40 a.m.  Ebola Viral Disease: A Review and Update
Daniel Bachmann, MD, FACEP
Assistant Clinical Professor
Co-Chair, OSUWMC Emergency Preparedness Committee

11:30 a.m. Lunch/Exhibits re-open at 12 p.m.

12:50 p.m.  Spontaneous Breathing Trials: Question the Dogma
Christian Jones, MD
Assistant Professor-Clinical Associate
Medical Director of Trauma Services
Division of Trauma, Critical Care and Burn Department of Surgery
The Ohio State University College of Medicine

1:45 p.m. Transition to Breakout Sessions

1:55 p.m. Breakout Sessions
SESSION A
Post Cardiac Arrest Care: Hypothermia and Beyond
Ruchika D. Husa, MD, MS
Assistant Professor of Medicine in the Division of Cardiology
Director of Code Blue and ERT at OSU East
The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center
SESSION B
Respiratory Management and Outcomes in the Extremely Preterm Infant
Julie R. Gooding, MD
Assistant Professor of Pediatrics,
The Ohio State University Attending Neonatologist, Nationwide Children’s Hospital

SESSION C
Successful Leadership – Skills for Current and Emerging Leaders
Jeff Hunter, RRT, RCP, MS, MHA, FACHE
Assistant Director, Respiratory Therapy
The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center

2:45 p.m.  Break/snack

3:05 p.m.  The ABC’s of Ethics
Sarah M. Varekojis, PhD, RRT

3:55 p.m.  Course Evaluation and Adjournment

All speakers are proudly affiliated with The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center.

Conference Objectives

• Discuss the risk factors for readmission to the hospital within 30 days of admission for COPD and learn strategies that can be used to reduce 30-day readmissions.
• Discuss alternatives to continuous positive airway pressure in sleep disordered breathing.
• Review the epidemiology and pathophysiology of Ebola Viral Disease (EVD) and understand the current status of the 2014-15 EVD outbreak.
• Recognize different methods to assess extubation readiness for ventilated patients.
• Discuss the Intra-arrest evidence based approach, TTM, and Post arrest PCI Bundled care approach.
• Learn how to manage the extremely preterm infant during different phases of pulmonary disease.
• Develop critical skills for successful leadership.
• Understand the basic principles of medical ethics, current issues in medical ethics, and the implications of medical ethics on clinical respiratory care.
Conference Guidelines

Conference faculty may be substituted, or sessions canceled, due to unforeseen circumstances.

Conference faculty are required to disclose significant relationships with commercial companies whose products are discussed during their presentations.

This conference is approved for six Continuing Education Units (CEUs) for respiratory therapists. CEUs will be provided by the Respiratory Therapy Division at The Ohio State University, a provider recognized by the Ohio Respiratory Care Board.

Attendance at full conference, including a breakout session, is necessary to receive credit. No credit will be given to participants arriving late or leaving early.

We will make every attempt to make the room environment as comfortable as possible; however, please dress in layers for your own comfort.

Attendees whose registration has been processed and accepted will receive a confirmation email.

No children are allowed at the conference.

Seating is limited to 800.

Parking is available in the adjacent parking lot, free of charge.

Phone numbers, email addresses, and home addresses will be kept confidential and will not be shared or used for any other purposes outside of the conference.

For information about the conference or to register online, please visit our website at go.osu.edu/ccrc.

If you need to cancel, please contact Andrea Yagodich at 614-293-3663 by March 5. A $10 cancellation fee will be charged. Registration fee is nonrefundable after March 5.

The committee would like to recognize the Center for Critical Care for their support of this conference.
Committee Members

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The Current Concepts in Respiratory Care conference will be held March 26, 2015 at the Xenos
1340 Community Park Dr.
Columbus, OH 43229
Parking is free and conveniently located on-site.

Hotel Reservations

The following hotels are located near Xenos

Ramada Columbus North/Polaris
6767 Schrock Hill Court
Columbus, OH 43229
(614) 890-8111

Embassy Suites Columbus
2700 Corporate Exchange Drive
Columbus, OH 43231
(614) 890-8600

Fairfield Inn & Suites Columbus Polaris
9000 Worthington Road
Westerville, OH 43082
(614) 568-0770
Directions to Xenos
1340 Community Park Drive
Columbus, OH 43229

The Main Campus/Café facility is very easy to find.

• From I-71 and I-270, drive east on 270 to the first exit (Cleveland Avenue).
• Go south on Cleveland to the first light (beside the Home Depot).
• Turn right on Community Park Drive.
• The entrance is about ¼ mile down Community Park, on the right.
• Main Campus is just up the hill. Follow Café signs to the rear entrance of the Main Campus Building.
Current Concepts in Respiratory Care

March 26, 2015

The cost of the conference is $55, $25 for Respiratory Therapy students (includes breakfast and lunch).

Register online via credit card at go.osu.edu/ccrc.

To register via mail, please print and complete this registration form and submit with a check or money order payable to OSUMC. Cash will not be accepted.

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Registration deadline is March 5.

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City ______________ State _____ Zip ________ Phone Number (_____) ___________
Email _______________________________________________________________

Breakout Session:
(please indicate preference)

☐ Session A  ☐ Session B  ☐ Session C

A buffet lunch offering beef, chicken, and vegetarian options will be offered with rolls, potato, vegetable, water, coffee and iced tea and assorted desserts.