

# GENERAL INFORMATION

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## **Registration/Information/General Assistance**

### **Registration Desk (The Conference Reception Area)**

Thursday, September 28, 2017  
8:00 am – 6:30 pm

Friday, September 29, 2017  
8:00 am – 4:00 pm

### **Main Sessions**

#### **Sessions: I–VIII**

University of The Bahamas Auditorium  
Grosvenor Close Campus  
Nassau, The Bahamas

### **Audience**

The information presented is directed mainly at the members of the healthcare team but is also designed to facilitate understanding among the general public.

### **Conference Learning Objectives**

- Highlight the epidemic of obesity in the The Bahamas and the Caribbean
- Discuss strategies to prevent obesity
- Discuss strategies to manage obesity from a nutritional, medical and surgical point of view
- Describe the impact of obesity on cancer
- Discuss factors influencing patient compliance
- Empower researchers to prepare their manuscripts for publication
- Highlight barriers to research
- Describe The University's Research Agenda
- Discuss opportunities for collaboration

### **Continuing Medical Education Credits**

The Bahamas Medical Council has approved this programme for **CME** credits.