

Programme

Thursday, September 28, 2017

Day One

7:00 – 9:00 am

REGISTRATION

SESSION I

Publication Workshop – 2.0 CME hours

8:00 – 10:00 am

Workshop
Presentation of finished projects
Peer comments
Expert comments

10:00 am – 10:30 am

COFFEE BREAK

SESSION II

Research Agenda, Opportunities and Pearls – 2.0 CME hours

10:30 am – 12:30 pm

The University's research agenda, successes, failures, future directions

Denise Eldemire-Shearer

Surmounting barriers to health research in The Bahamas

Morton Frankson

Opportunities for collaboration: Caribbean Regional Centre of Research Excellence focussing on cancer and cardiometabolic research

Camille Ragin

The HEALinc: Creating new knowledge and advancing innovation in developing countries

Desirée Cox

Analysis of the 144 abstracts of 2007–2016 at the Research Day, School of Clinical Medicine and Research, The Bahamas

Glenn Jones

The submission process

Camille Ragin

Panel Discussions

What reviewers look for?

Chair: Morton Frankson

Panel:

Camille Ragin

Desirée Cox

Challenge of rejection and the threat of success

Chair: Robin Roberts

Panel:

Raleigh Butler

Donald Simeon

Denise Eldemire-Shearer

<i>12:30 pm – 1:00 pm</i>	LUNCH	
SESSION III	Obesity Epidemiology and Research – 1.5 CME hours	
<i>1:00 pm – 2:30 pm</i>	Welcome Remarks	Robin Roberts
	<i>Keynote Lecture: Obesity: A growing problem in the Caribbean Community</i>	Donald Simeon
	<i>Keynote Lecture: Obesity in the elderly</i>	Denise Eldemire-Shearer
	<i>Attitudes and practices of adult patients with and without chronic diseases to complementary and alternative medicine and conventional medicine in Nassau, New Providence*</i>	Sanita Belgrave
	<i>The Bahamas health research system assessment</i>	Nanika Clark Camille Nairn
<i>2:30 pm – 3:00 pm</i>	COFFEE BREAK	
SESSION IV	Obesity and Non-communicable Diseases – 2.0 CME hours	
<i>3:00 pm – 5:00 pm</i>	<i>Keynote Lecture: Lifestyle medicine and obesity medicine – Preparing for the twenty-first century</i>	Robert Kushner
	<i>The care, connect, communicate (triple C) study: Transforming hospitals and healthcare centres to health innovation spaces powered by activated providers</i>	Desirée Cox
	<i>Descriptive epidemiology of patients with acute ischaemic stroke who were thrombolysed having met the criteria at Princess Margaret Hospital, Nassau, The Bahamas*</i>	Kandis Bannister
	<i>Dedication to my medication: Factors that affect medication compliance/adherence in the adult hypertensive and Type 2 diabetic population: A Bahamian experience*</i>	Khia King-Strachan
	<i>Knowledge, attitudes and practices of primary care physicians in the management of Type 2 diabetes mellitus in New Providence, The Bahamas*</i>	Gerrad Deveaux
	<i>Keynote Lecture: What can I learn from the patient by taking a weight history?</i>	Robert Kushner
SESSION V	Public Lectures – 1.0 CME hour	
<i>5:00 pm – 6:30 pm</i>	Remarks from:	
	<i>The Director, SCMR</i>	Robin Roberts
	<i>Royal Bank of Canada Representative</i>	Nathaniel Beneby

<i>Minister of Health, The Bahamas</i>	Dr The Hon Duane Sands
<i>Keynote Lecture: University-based health research: Nourishing Bahamian medicine for over a decade</i>	Morton Frankson
<i>Keynote Lecture: The Royal Bank of Canada Lecture: Can we meet the challenges to curb obesity in the Caribbean?</i>	Fitzroy Henry

Friday, September 29, 2017
Day Two

SESSION VI

Obesity and Cancer – 2.0 CME hours

8:00 am – 10:00 am	<i>Keynote Lecture: Can cancer really be prevented by what you eat?</i>	Celine Heskey
	<i>Experience with an advocate-led community-based breast cancer screening fair in Antigua and Barbuda</i>	Glenn Jones
	<i>Hormone receptor and HER-2 status in breast cancer patients treated at the Oncology Centre of Princess Margaret Hospital, Nassau, The Bahamas*</i>	Leigh-Ann Bartholomew
	<i>Body mass index of breast cancer patients in the Princess Margaret Hospital Oncology Unit</i>	Kristine Parker-Curling
	<i>Inflammation polymorphisms and prostate cancer risk in Jamaican men: The role of obesity/body size</i>	Camille Ragin
	<i>Screening for cervical cancer in females under the age of 21 years in The Bahamas: Should this practice be abolished?*</i>	Nneka Ijeroma
	<i>A prostate cancer screening clinic in The Bahamas: A model for lower income countries</i>	Robin Roberts

10:00 am – 10:30 am

COFFEE BREAK

SESSION VII

Obesity and Paediatrics – 1.5 CME hours

10:30 am – 12:00 pm	<i>Keynote Lecture: The role of civil society in curbing childhood obesity in the Caribbean</i>	Maisha Hutton
	<i>Healthy Bahamas Coalition – United for a healthier Bahamas</i>	Phillip Swann
	<i>Epidemiology of congenital cardiac anomalies at Princess Margaret Hospital, Nassau, The Bahamas, from 2009 to 2016*</i>	Lashan McKenzie
	<i>A descriptive epidemiology of paediatric deaths (1–17 years old) at Princess Margaret Hospital, Nassau, The Bahamas: A retrospective chart review*</i>	Ianthe Cartwright-Bastian

	<i>Vasectomy concerns as a primary modality for reproductive health in New Providence, The Bahamas: A qualitative study*</i>	Deanna Delva Bain
<i>12.00 pm – 1:00 pm</i>	LUNCH	
SESSION VIII	Obesity Prevention and Treatments – 3.0 CME hours	
<i>1:00 pm – 4:00 pm</i>	<i>Keynote Lecture: The role of bariatric surgery in the management of chronic non-communicable diseases</i>	Emanuele Lo Menzo
	<i>Bariatric surgery – The Bahamas experience</i>	Locksley Munroe
	<i>Microfractured fat as a megavolume filler for buttocks augmentation</i>	Gregory Neil
	<i>The implementation and utilization of a live CME management system in The Bahamas</i>	Darron Halliday
	<i>Non-urgent patients' perception of the acuity of their presenting complaints at the Accident and Emergency Department of the Princess Margaret Hospital*</i>	Robert Roper
	<i>Helicobacter pylori detection in non-variceal upper gastrointestinal bleeding in The Bahamas*</i>	Dia Serville
	<i>Epidemiologic profile of cases of tuberculosis from 2014 to 2016 at Princess Margaret Hospital, Nassau, The Bahamas*</i>	Javardo McIntosh
	<i>Keynote Lecture: The complete approach to weight management</i>	Lawrence J Cheskin
	<i>Keynote Lecture: The contribution of plant-based dietary patterns to health and disease</i>	Celine Heskey

*** Resident's paper**