

APP and AH Chapter Meeting
3/13/24

*Attendees: Amy Peacock, Joe Cicensia,
Becky Cloyes, Rebecca Price, Elana Sporn, Tania Riech, Michele, Kerstyn O'Brien, Janet Cady,
Gina Mautz, Tina Brown (+ ??)*

1. Introduction (Becky)
2. Dr. Joe Cicensia: announcement: AABIP membership \$75 for RT and RN!
 - a. Spread the news—this makes AABIP membership more accessible
 - b. Engage RTs—May 4th virtual CME event, Elana and Dr. Bobbi M is working on getting RT AARC
 - c. Elana, Gina, Rebecca – other organizations interested in this RT area
 - d. CME event (one mailer has gone out); plan for another mailer w/ topics (Rebecca send to Joe);
3. Updates about RT & RN membership (Becky)
4. Discuss leadership changes coming this year (we'll vote at the conference)
 - a. Job duties/ descriptions via email (Rebecca)
5. Welcome to AABIP for new members page (Molly)
 - a. Members spoke up, like the idea, website can be difficult to navigate when you're new.
 - b. Letter or something to new members — how to operationalize it with Amy / Brittany – send when sign up or perhaps PDF on our webpage; how do we update it? TBD
6. AABIP conference 2024 (Becky/Rebecca/Molly/all) – networking included this year
APP topics already in the program:
 - a. The trouble with drains
 - b. Pleural infections
 - c. Foundations of IP series (basics)
 - d. Navigating the pulmonary nodule
 - e. Non-infectious pleural effusions
 - f. Delivering bad news
 - g. Ask the expert: tracheostomies
 - h. How to develop a successful screening program
 - i. * networking – APP/AH meeting – voting etc.
 - Request to Include video option in meeting at conference (voting etc) for those who can't attend conference

Elana – to pursue RT credits for AABIP conference—thank you!

7. Education committee updates (Rebecca)
 - a. Half day virtual conference MAY 4TH
SPREAD THE WORD!
Elana waiting to hear back about RT credits
Rebecca has QR code to share

- b. AABIP has a Fellow mentorship (MD only) –can we model something for APP/AH from this format?
 - about 2 years, for IP fellows
 - discussing using this as a model for APP/AH
 - * opportunities to connect within chapter
 - * brainstorm what this program would look like
 - c. APP curriculum
 - Making progress!
 - d. Other updates
 - Advertising CME event with APAPP (pulmonary APPs), conference June 20-22 – support IP PAs & NPs
8. -DEIU Committee: Sponsorship initiative (Molly) – reach out if interested in DEIU
9. -Ideas for other events/projects for this chapter
10. -Next common ground event topic suggestions & date (Molly)
- a. May 29 pulmonary nodule cases
11. -Next meeting date (Becky)
- a. At the conference (Aug 2024)

Get involved! Lots of opportunity!

AABIP Committees (2 years of service):

- b. ADVOCACY COMMITTEE
- c. CERTIFICATION COMMITTEE
- d. COMMUNICATIONS AND SOCIAL MEDIA COMMITTEE
- e. DIVERSITY, INCLUSION AND UNITY COMMITTEE
- f. MEDIA SUB-COMMITTEE
- g. MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE
- h. EDUCATION COMMITTEE
- i. RESEARCH COMMITTEE
- j. JOBIP COMMITTEE

END MEETING.