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### Save-the-Date! WACEP 2019 Spring Symposium

Registration will open soon for the WACEP 2019 Spring Symposium & Annual Emergency Medicine Research Forum. These events will take place Wed. April 3 & Thurs. April 4, 2019 at the Harley Davidson Museum in Milwaukee.

Wednesday afternoon sessions include:

- Opioid State Targeted Response Technical Assistance Program: MAT, Waiver-Training and the 3-Day Rule
- EM Leadership Forum: Nuts & Bolts for Medical Directors and Emerging EM leaders
- ALTO Workshop: EM Pathways and Hand-on Techniques
- Keynote presentation by ACEP President Paul Kivela, MD, MBA, FACEP

Thursday morning options include the Annual EM Research Forum, Hot Topics in EM, LLSA Article Review workshop, and an Ultrasound Workshop. Afternoon lineup includes:

- New Findings in TBI by Daniel Spaite, MD, FACEP
- Ultrasound during Cardiac Arrest
- Optimizing Antibiotic Stewardship
- Caring for Sick Patients with Minimal Resources
- Sex Trafficking: What to Look for in the ED
- Diagnosis, Management and Treatment of Agitation
- Presentations by Richard Cantor, MD on both Toxicology and Pediatrics updates

We hope to see you at the conference! Visit the [WACEP website](#) for registration information... coming soon!



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### Reaching Rural Docs: A WACEP Priority

As is the case in many states, Wisconsin ACEP struggles with trying to connect members who live and work in more urban, populous areas of the state with those who are in more rural areas. WACEP leaders understand that rural providers have unique practice concerns and need unique support, and have taken some recent steps to try and bridge the geographic gap.

Over the past two years, we've taken our Listening Tour on the road and having a Board members travel to various parts of the state to meet with emergency physicians over a meal to provide updates about chapter activities and, more importantly, obtain feedback from the emergency physicians in more rural communities.

In 2019, WACEP leaders intend to expand on our outreach efforts in rural areas of the state, making it a priority project for the year. It's crucial for the organization to form relationships and learn from the physicians, members or not, in the more rural areas of the state, and to use what is learned to develop meaningful resources. Stay tuned for more details and engagement opportunities!

### Winner of FitWell Contest Announced!

Nicole Forbord, PA-C is the winner of WACEP's summer FitWell contest. Nicole, a PA with Emergency Medicine Specialists, SC. Nicole attended UW for undergrad and then Le Moyne College in Syracuse, NY for PA school. She graduated last August and moved back to Wisconsin for her first job in emergency medicine. She lives downtown Milwaukee, and loves to run by the lake when she has a night off (weather permitting, of course)!



Nicole posted this image from one of her runs on WACEP's social media accounts during the Fitwell contest this past summer. She was selected as the winner in a random drawing from among those who participated in the wellness initiative,

and has been awarded a WACEP branded fleece and \$200 towards her gym membership. Congratulations Nicole!

### Doctor Day is May 1 - Registration is Open!

Wisconsin's Doctor Day has become one of the largest events of its kind across the country and serves as the premier advocacy event for physicians in our state. Over 500 physicians and medical students representing nearly every medical specialty participate in this annual event for an opportunity to learn the legislative process first-hand, and to make their voices heard at the State Capitol.



Wisconsin ACEP will again be a sponsor/host of Doctor Day, and we will also hold a private policy primer meeting for all psychiatrists over breakfast prior to the official opening session.

Plan to attend Doctor Day 2019. Learn more and sign up at [www.WIDoctorday.org](http://www.WIDoctorday.org).

### WMS House of Delegates Meets April 7 - Resolutions are due February 1

The Wisconsin Medical Society's House of Delegates (HOD) will convene Sunday, April 7, as part of the Society's 2019 Annual Meeting at Monona Terrace Community and Convention Center in Madison. Any Society member may submit resolutions for consideration by the HOD to help shape Society policy on important medical issues. The deadline is 4:30 p.m., Friday, Feb. 1, 2019. [Read more](#).

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