

Hello NAPCRG'ers!

It's hard to believe that we will all be gathering together in a little over 60 days for the Annual Meeting! We have lots of activities happening around NAPCRG, including planning for our 2017 Annual Meeting (which is looking to be the biggest and best yet!), membership renewals for 2017-2018, and planning for the new AHRQ-sponsored International Conference on Practice Facilitation!

Also, if you haven't registered for a preconference yet, be sure to check them all out. We have some fantastic workshops planned!

There are so many exciting things happening at NAPCRG right now, so be sure to continue reading for more details on all of these important events and projects.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

October 12, 2017

Annual Meeting Early-Bird Registration Ends

October 16, 2017

Annual Meeting Hotel Block Cutoff Deadline

November 17-21, 2017

45th Annual Meeting Montreal, Quebec

November 29-30, 2017

ICPF Conference Louisville, Kentucky



Annual Meeting Registration

Registration is open for the 2017 NAPCRG Annual Meeting and the early bird deadline is less than a month away!

<u>View the registration brochure</u> to learn more about the Annual Meeting, preconference workshops, and special events. This is one Annual Meeting you won't want to miss! Early bird registration ends **October 12!**

Don't forget to make your hotel reservations too, the deadline for reservations is October 16, 2017.



Preconference Workshops

Six fantastic preconference programs are in the works this year. Several of the programs are space-limited so be sure to register today to guarantee your spot!

- PR1: Setting the PaCE: NAPCRG's Patient and Clinician Engagement Initiative
- PR2: CASFM 2017 Course on Methods to Advance Primary Care Research
- PR3: Place Matters: Mapping Tools and Data Resources for Doing Population Health (Introductory Topic in GIS)
- PR4: Doing Population Health: A Hands-On, Geospatial Approach for Creating Service Area Maps and Identifying Priority Areas of Need
- PR5: Scaling up Community Based Primary Health Care Innovations
- PR6: Trainee Preconference

Learn more about the preconferences in the registration brochure or on the **NAPCRG website**.





MENTORS NEEDED for the Trainee Pre-Conference

We are looking for experienced researchers to interact with Students, Residents, Fellows and Post-Docs during the half-day Trainee Preconference on Friday, November 17th from 11:30 am-5 pm.

We are in need for mentors to facilitate a 25-minute round-table discussion for a small group. Topics of interest include personal experiences in career development, specific research interests (whether topic oriented or methods oriented), pursuing funding, or anything you wish someone had told you in your training.

Mentors are also needed for the speed mentoring session, in which you will host one-on-one meetings with trainees at all levels from diverse research background to talk about research ideas/projects, career development, brief CV review or discussion.

Mentors can participate in either or both activities. Presence at the entire Pre-Con is not required, but is appreciated!

For questions or more information contact the trainee committee at naperg@naperg.org.





It is membership renewal time, and as we look forward to another successful year at NAPCRG, we hope you will join us by renewing your membership today. Your current membership expires September 30, 2017.

For your convenience, you can renew your membership online.

As always, your NAPCRG membership gives you access to essential year-round benefits, View the **Membership Benefits Guide** to learn more about your membership benefits.

Thank you for your continued support and involvement in the North American Primary Care Research Group (NAPCRG). Your commitment to NAPCRG makes it possible for us to continue to provide a forum for primary care research, as well as opportunities for collaborations across North America and around the world.





International Conference on Practice Facilitation November 29-30, 2017

A collaborative of PBRN P30 Centers of Excellence and NAPCRG are very excited to announce that the first International Conference on Practice Facilitation (ICPF) will be held in conjunction with this year's STFM Conference on Practice Improvement in Louisville, KY.

This AHRQ-supported conference was specially designed for current and future practice facilitators, their mentors and leaders, and those who implement practice facilitation programs.

The 1.5 day long conference will feature world–renowned PBRN researchers and practice facilitation pioneers, including Dr. William Hogg from the University of Ottawa and Dr. Michael Parchman from the MacColl Center in Seattle. These keynote speakers will help jump-start many interactive, hands-on sessions.

Learn more about the conference on the NAPCRG website.



Space is limited to 120 participants!

For more information on the conference, please contact Dr. Nagykaldi at znagykal@ouhsc.edu

Boot Camp Translation Training Opportunity

Demand is growing for tools that effectively engage community members in health research. Boot Camp Translation (BCT) is one tool for truly effective patient-centered outcomes research. BCT Training will be held October 17 – 19, 2017 in Denver, Colorado.

- Researchers and community members interested in or already doing community engaged, participatory research are encouraged to receive training.
- Training includes two days of interactive and didactic learning and a third day on unique aspects of BCT facilitation.
- Curious? Watch our video!





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October 17 - 19, 2017 Denver, Colorado

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<u>Linda Zittleman</u> for more information.



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