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Presenting our final speaker for September 30th!



Garin Ohannessian is a Public Health Nursing Supervisor in the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health for Service Planning Area 2 Glendale District. She has received her Masters of Science in Nursing from the University of Phoenix with specialization in Education and Nursing Informatics. She has also received her Bachelors of Science in Nursing from the University of Southern California. She has worked for the Los Angeles County Department of Public for over 17 years. She is in charge of control of communicable diseases to prevent outbreaks of diseases. Garin is also a member of the Speakers' Bureau. In this duty, she speaks to the community and local agencies on any

Public Health Emergency and various topics to educate the public. Garin believes in the LA County Department of Public Health mission to protect health, prevent disease, and promote health and well-being. She has also been

a committee member of Glendale Health Festival for 7 years. Garin is also a member of the Armenian American Medical Society and Armenian American Nurses Association. She will be speaking on "Addressing Rising Rates of Syphilis in Los Angeles County".

September 30, 2017 9 AM - 6 PM

Paris Las Vegas Hotel - Champagne Ballroom

8:45 AM Breakfast

9:00 AM Introduction

Raffi Tachdjian, MD, MPH, FAAAAI, President, AAMS

Armond Kotikian, DDS, MD, FACS, Vice President, AAMS

9:15 AM Contemporary Approaches to the Management of Chronic Heart Failure: An Overview

**Harry Balian, MD, FACC, FSCAI*

9:50 AM Acute Stroke Treatment in 2017: From Apoplexy to Thrombectomy

**Mikayel Grigoryan, MD*

10:25 AM Exocrine Pancreatic Insufficiency

**Frederick Boghossian, MD*

11:00 AM Networking Break

11:15 AM Immunotherapy as a Treatment in Various Solid Tumors

**Ani Balmanoukian, MD*

11:50 AM "I Can Go All Night" Is Not Something To Brag About: The role of non-GABA targeting sleep aids in the treatment of insomnia

**Rami G. Apelian, MD, MPH*

12:25 PM Networking Lunch

2:00 PM TMJ, Chronic Pain & Neurologic Disorders

**Gary Demerjian, DDS*

**Andre Barkhordarian, PhD*

2:35 PM Orthopedics for the Primary Care Physician

**Osep E. Armagan, MD*

3:10 PM Addressing Rising Rates of Syphilis in Los Angeles County

**Garin Ohannessian, RN, MSN, PHNS*

3:45 PM Networking Break

4:00 PM Recognizing, Assessing, and Responding to Patients in Crisis (Suicide and/or Homicide)

**Zara Ashikyan, PhD*

4:35 PM Breaking Bad News: A Better Way to Deliver Bad News

**Alen Voskanian, MD, MBA*

5:10 PM Panel Question and Answer Session

Moderator: Raffi Tachdjian, MD, MPH, FAAAAI

6:00 PM Cocktail Reception - Champagne Ballroom

Oral Health Breakout Session - Burgundy Ballroom

2:00 PM TMJ, Chronic Pain & Neurologic Disorders (Champagne Ballroom)

* *Gary Demerjian, DDS*

* *Andre Barkhordarian, PhD*

2:35 PM Expectations, Deviations, and Interventions in the Development of Occlusion

**Greg Asatrian, DDS*

3:10 PM Recognize Warning Signs of Pulpal Insult

**Joelle Tavitian, DDS*

3:45 PM Networking Break

4:00 PM Implant Placement with Grafting Using PRP and CGF

**Grigor Bardakjian, DDS*

4:35 PM Panel Question and Answer Session

Moderator: Armond Kotikian, DDS, MD, FACS

6:00 PM Cocktail Reception - Champagne Ballroom

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Activities:

September 29, 2017 - Arrivals

Get together at the poolside - 4 PM to 6 PM optional

September 30, 2017 - Meeting 9 AM - 6:00 PM

Lunch - 12:30 PM - Free for AAMS members, \$50 for spouses/guests
Cocktail reception - 6:00 PM at Champagne Ballroom

October 1, 2017 - Departure

AAMS members - no registration fee required

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