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**PA/NJ IARP**



**12<sup>th</sup> Annual**

**Pennsylvania & New Jersey  
IARP Conference**

**Tropicana Casino & Resort**  
Atlantic City, New Jersey



Pennsylvania & New Jersey Chapters of IARP  
Proudly Present

## The Winning Combination: The 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference

We invite you to attend the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, The Winning Combination. This year's conference is shaping up to be more exciting than ever before. Our committee has assembled a diverse roster of presentations to enhance your professional practice. There will be something for everyone throughout the entire program.

For many rehabilitation professionals, the IARP conference continues to be their annual educational event to attend. We have selected the program to address the issues and ideas that you have let us know you were interested in. An exciting addition this year, the committee will be applying for Nursing Contact hours. This will be in addition to the CCM, CDMS and CRC credits we have traditionally offered.

Our grand exhibition hall will be filled to the brim with products and services to enhance your professional activities. This access to one-on-one discussion enhances your opportunity to learn how they can benefit your individual practice. Education combined with opportunities to network is "The Winning Combination."

Remember to take advantage of early registration for significant discounts to this year's conference. We are looking forward to welcoming you back to Atlantic City.

Please feel free to contact Louise Kaplan at [Louise.kaplan2@gmail.com](mailto:Louise.kaplan2@gmail.com) or Doug Cerminaro at [minaro@comcast.net](mailto:minaro@comcast.net) with any questions or for assistance.

See you at the Shore....

*Your 2011 Conference Committee*

**Doug Cerminaro • Louise Kaplan • Sharon Murphy Potts • Joseph Sabatini**

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### Wednesday June 8, 2011

- 11:00-4:00pm Exhibitor Check-in
- 3:30- 7:30 pm Participant Check in & Registration
- 4:30-6:00 pm **Who Signs Your Paycheck?**  
Mary A. Carbone, RN, BA, SDAD  
*Medical Case Manager*
- 6:00- 7:30 pm President's Reception and Cocktail Party

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### Thursday June 9, 2011

- 7:30-8:15 am Registration & Complimentary Continental Breakfast - Exhibits
- 8:15- 8:30 am Welcome Announcements
- 8:30-10:00 am **KEYNOTE ADDRESS**  
**Symptom Magnification & Worker's Compensation**  
Gordon Manin, MD, MPH  
*WorkNet Occupational Medicine*
- 10:00-10:30 am Break - Exhibits
- 10:30- 12 noon **Upper Extremity Injuries: A to Z**  
Mark S. Rekant, MD  
*Philadelphia & South Jersey Hand Centers*
- Noon-1:30 pm Conference Lunch Provided (Salon 1 & 2)



## Thursday June 9, 2011 (continued)

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- 1:30- 3:00 pm **Creating Health for the Health Care Worker:  
Understanding the Connection Between Fitness, Food & Stress**  
Jill Garaffa, OTR/L  
*Seeds of Change Health & Wellness Coaching*
- 3:00- 3:30 pm Break - Exhibits
- 3:30- 5:00 pm **A Winning Combo: Medical & Surgical Options for the Injured Spine**  
Joan O'Shea, MD  
*Spine Institute of Southern NJ, PC*
- OR**
- Vocational Interview: Asset or Liability**  
John Czarick, M.Ed., CDMS, ABVE, CRP  
*Private Practice*
- 5:00- 5:30 pm Relax and Refresh
- 5:30- 7:00 pm Cocktail Reception (Havana Rooftop)

## Friday June 10, 2011

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- 7:45-8:30 am **Complimentary Continental Breakfast -Exhibits**
- 8:30-10:00 am **Meniscal Tears in a Worker with Preexisting Arthritis**  
Christopher Spagnuolo, MD, FAAOS  
*Seaview Orthopaedics*
- OR**
- Why Gamble: Know the CRCC Code of Ethics**  
Debbie Johnson, MS, CRC, CCM  
*Broadspire, a Crawford Company*
- 10:00- 10:30 am Break -Exhibits
- 10:30- noon **Cognitive Rehabilitation: The Odds Are In Your Favor**  
David Krych, MS, CCC-SLP  
*ReMed*
- OR**
- Expanding Your Horizons:  
Vocational Enterprise in Private Practice**  
Terry Leslie, M.Ed., CRC, D/ABVE, LPC  
*Leslie Vocational Consulting*
- Noon- 1:30 pm **Conference Lunch & Door Prizes (Salon 1 & 2)**
- 1:30- 3:00 pm **Rehabilitation Nerve Surgery**  
Andrew Elkwood, MD, FACS  
Matthew R. Kaufman, MD, FACS  
*Institute for Advanced Reconstruction*
- OR**
- Judicial Perspective of Vocational Expert Testimony in Social Security Disability Hearings**  
The Honorable Jonathan Wesner  
*Administrative Law Judge*
- 3:00- 3:30 pm **CEU Distribution**



### **About Continuing Education**

PA/NJ IARP has applied to the Commission on Rehabilitation Counselor Certification (CRC), The Certification of Disability Management Specialists Commission (CDMS), and the Commission for Case Manager Certification (CRC) for up to 12 contact hours of CE credit for this conference. An application for contact hours has been submitted to the PA State Nurses Association. Please call Louise Kaplan@215 813-2901 for more information about contact hours. All speakers at continuing education activities for this conference are required to disclose to the audience (1) any significant financial relationship with the manufacturer(s) of any commercial products, goods or services and (2) unlabeled/unapproved uses of drugs discussed in their presentations. Such disclosures will be offered in writing or verbally at the time of the conference. Nurses should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity. You can earn up to 1 nursing contact hour for every 60 minutes of educational time. You must complete an evaluation for each session that you attend to receive contact hours.

### **About The International Association of Rehabilitation Professionals**

The International Association of Rehabilitation Professionals provides a community for rehabilitation professionals in their quest for education and professional growth, thereby promoting effective, interdisciplinary services for persons with disabilities. IARP serves a diverse membership practicing in the fields of long-term disability and disability management consulting, case management and managed care, forensics and expert testimony, life care planning, and Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) consulting. IARP strives to shape public policy favorable to private-sector rehabilitation by working closely with other professional associations, government and industry.

Membership information is available at [www.rehabpro.org](http://www.rehabpro.org).

### **About Sponsorships and Exhibitor Opportunities**

Your organization can increase its exposure to rehabilitation professionals by participating in our Exhibit Hall. In addition to exhibiting, premiere sponsorship opportunities are available for the Presidential Receptions and lunches. For a full exhibitor prospectus, contact Doug Cerminaro at (908) 405-4552 or at [minaro@comcast.net](mailto:minaro@comcast.net).

### **About The Tropicana**

The complex is located at Brighton Avenue and The Boardwalk in Atlantic City, NJ. The conference facility is located on the 4th floor of the South Tower. This is directly accessible from the Hotel's Main Lobby and Valet Parking Check-in. There will be a dedicated check-in reception line for IARP guests on Wednesday from 1-6 PM. Please be sure to mention the PA/NJ IARP Conference when making your hotel reservation by calling (800) 247-8767.

### **Here's what people said about past PA/NJ IARP conferences**

*"Thoroughly enjoyed the conference"*

*"IARPs gets better every year!"*

*"A perfect blend of education, networking and fun."*

*"My third year, I honestly look forward to this more than any other!"*

***Don't Miss Out This Year!***

**Pennsylvania & New Jersey Chapters of IARP Registration Form**  
**The Winning Combination: The 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference**  
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**Registrant Information:** As you wish your badge to appear

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Guest (if applicable and day of attendance): \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email for Registration Confirmation: \_\_\_\_\_

**Conference Fees:**

	<i>Before 5/1/11</i>	<i>After 5/2/11</i>
IARP Member	\$170.00	\$195.00
Non IARP Member	\$195.00	\$225.00
Reception Guest - Must be accompanied by an attendee. Specify Wednesday or Thursday evening	\$75.00	\$75.00

**Payment Information:** Total Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

- Check or Money Order enclosed (made payable to PA/NJ IARP)
- Charge my Visa or MasterCard (Circle One)
- Name of cardholder: \_\_\_\_\_
- Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_
- Expiration Month/Year \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ 3 Digit Security Code on back: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Please send this page with payment to:

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Or By Secure Fax to (609)919-0681

Email registrations accepted by credit card only sent to [minaro@comcast.net](mailto:minaro@comcast.net)

*There is a special room rate of \$79.00 per night, plus taxes. Please be sure to mention the PA/NJ IARP Conference  
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**Cancellation Policy:**

Cancellations must be received in writing prior to 5/15/11 to receive a full refund, less a \$50.00 processing fee.  
 Substitutions will be accepted in writing until 5/21/11. Any questions can be directed to Doug Cerminaro at (609)  
 919-0895.