

Texas Psychiatrist



2018 Legislative Update

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Texas recently held its primaries for a wide range of elective offices, and there are varied activities affecting mental health programs ongoing at the state level. Here is a summary of issues your legislative team is working on:

Election Report: All of the major statewide elected officials on the ballot won their Republican Primary races without a run-off – U.S. Senator Ted Cruz, Governor Greg Abbott, Lt. Governor Dan Patrick, Agriculture Commissioner Sid Miller, Land Commissioner George P. Bush, and Railroad Commissioner Christi Craddick. Attorney General Ken Paxton and Comptroller Glenn Hegar ran unopposed.

On the Democratic side, Beto O'Rourke of El Paso won the Democratic Primary for U.S. Senate and will challenge Cruz in the November General Election. In the Governor's race, there will be a run-off between former Dallas County Sheriff Lupe Valdez and Andrew White, son of former Governor Mark White. Michael Collier, a CPA from Humble will challenge Lt. Governor Dan Patrick. Joi L. Chevalier, a product manager for Dell Computer is the Democratic nominee for Comptroller and will challenge Hegar in November. Austin attorney Miguel Suazo is the Democratic nominee for the General Land Office and will challenge Bush.

In the Texas Senate, fifteen of thirty-one seats were up for election this cycle. Seven incumbent senators faced challengers in the primaries, and all but one prevailed. Highlights include Sen. Bob Hall retaining his Senate District 2 seat against formidable challenger Rep. Cindy Burkett. Angela Paxton, wife of Ken Paxton, won the big-name showdown for SD 8 against Phillip Huffines, brother of incumbent Sen. Don Huffines, and Sen. Kel Seliger defended SD 31 against two primary challengers, defeating former Midland Mayor Mike Canon and local restaurateur Victor Leal. In SD 30, incumbent Sen. Craig Estes lost his seat to challenger Rep. Pat Fallon.

All 150 Texas House seats are up for re-election. Forty-two incumbents had primary election challengers and all but six won their races. Gov. Greg Abbott invested significant time and money campaigning against Representatives Sarah Davis (HD 134), Lyle

Larson (HD 122) and Wayne Faircloth (HD 23). Davis and Larson won their primaries, but Faircloth did not. There is likely to be significant tension between the Governor and some factions of the House, if Davis and Larson go on to win in the general election.

The six incumbents defeated in the primary were Faircloth (HD 23), Dawnna Dukes (HD 46), Roberto Alonzo (HD 104), Jason Villalba (HD 114), Diana Arevalo (HD 116) and Tomas Uresti (HD 118). Fourteen seats have a runoff, which is scheduled for May 22.

November Outlook: Texas has been a Republican state for decades, and while much has been made of Democratic gains in this cycle to date, it remains to be seen that this will translate into victories in November. The top of the ticket looked pretty strong – Sen. Cruz won 85% of the vote (although O'Rourke continues his strong fundraising), and Gov. Abbott topped 90% in his primary against two underfunded opponents.

Down ballot, however, the picture is murkier. Roughly 25% of GOP voters picked unknown Scott Milder in the Lt. Governor race against incumbent Dan Patrick, who garnered 225,000 fewer votes than Abbott. Moreover, tally up the GOP voters who pulled the lever for Milder and the Democratic votes for nominee Mike Collier and also-ran Michael Cooper, and you've got 1.3 million Texans who voted for someone other than Patrick, who received only 1.1 million votes in total.

In the Legislature, incumbent Senators Konnie Burton and Don Huffines have swing districts – Hillary Clinton polled a statistical tie with Donald Trump in Burton's Tarrant County district in 2016, and she defeated Trump in the boundaries of Huffines' Dallas seat. In this year's primary, Burton received 2,000 fewer votes than her Democratic challenger, and Huffines was bested by his Democratic opponent by more than 6,000 votes. Meanwhile, six GOP-held House seats saw the Democrat get more votes than the Republican in their respective primaries, and several others were separated by a few hundred votes.

Other seats will see special elections that won't change the partisan balance but will change the faces in the room. Sen. Sylvia

Garcia, D-Houston, won the Democratic nomination for a congressional seat with Reps. Ana Hernandez and Carol Alvarado already vying to replace her.

Furthermore, Sen. Carlos Uresti, D-San Antonio, was convicted on federal charges and is facing millions in fines and years in prison. Rep. Roland Gutierrez is lining up to pursue the seat, whenever Uresti steps down.

None of this is enough to flip the majority in either chamber – the House would need 21 Democrats to take over, and it would take five in the Senate. However, strong Democratic gains in November could affect the selection of the next House Speaker (Joe Straus is not seeking another term) and an erosion of GOP votes in the Senate (or a new presiding officer, should Patrick be defeated) would certainly alter the Senate's legislative priorities and/or the votes to enact them.

Mental Health Activities: Meanwhile, mental health-related goings-on continued at full steam. The Statewide Behavioral Health Coordinating Council is busy preparing a coordinated funding proposal, covering the \$9 billion in behavioral health funding across all agencies. There is also a behavioral health services inventory analysis underway, and a requirement to submit a progress report for the Statewide Behavioral Health Strategic Plan, which was released in December of 2017.

Last session, Rep. Four Price's H.B. 13 established the Community Mental Health Grant Program and provided \$30 million in state funds over the 2018-19 biennium, to be matched by grantees with local and private funds. Under the first phase, up to \$15 million in grant funds will go to 23 local mental health authorities and two local behavioral health authorities located across the state.

The resources will fund community programs to expand treatment, promote recovery, and improve quality of life for individuals with mental illness. Examples of expanded treatment and services include adding licensed chemical dependency counselors and peers to mobile crisis outreach teams and establishing drop-in centers for individuals experiencing crisis as an alternative to the emergency room or hospitalization.

Last session, \$300 million was appropriated for expansion and renovation of state psychiatric hospitals. The state has already approved expansion of capacity at Kerrville and San Antonio, and 200 new beds will be added to Rusk State Hospital (partly for maximum security). There is also money for pre-planning at Austin State Hospital and San Antonio State Hospital, looking not just at rebuilding buildings, but at how the facilities will work within the system. HHSC is also looking at hospitals that have closed down, including Texas Youth Commission facilities, but in some cases, like Waco, the cost for conversion has been prohibitive.

There has been a large increase in opioid related deaths in Texas as well as nationally. The state received \$27.4 million in federal funding to help address the crisis. Part of the effort includes reviewing data to determine the percentage of mental health patients using opioids. One of the initiatives is combined suicide prevention/opioid prevention. Finding enough providers remains a challenge.

Previously, Texas has relied on narcotic treatment clinics, which have additional regulations and restrictions. Presumably, with office-based opioid treatment, there will be less difficulty with regulation and easier means for establishing treatment facilities. Presently, of the admissions to services, only 14% of patients received evidence-based treatment. Modifying interventions and increasing the use of medications for treatment can cut mortality by half.

The 85th Legislature also passed S.B. 292, which created a grant program for local collaborations with the goals of reducing recidivism, incarceration, and the frequency of arrests among persons with mental illness.

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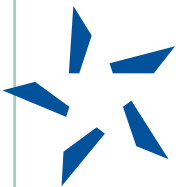
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TSP/P/TAP Spring Meeting and CME Program “The Interface Between Psychiatry and Other Medical Specialties”

Hotel Reservations:

Westin Austin at the Domain Hotel
<https://www.starwoodmeeting.com/Book/TSPPTAPSpringmeeting2018>





Reflections and Thank You

Terry McMahon, MD, President, Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians

As winter wanes along with my term as the Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians President, at times I pause and reflect up on the year in review. In doing so, I certainly agree with others that we live in “interesting times”, which seem to be getting progressively more interesting by the day. That being said, I am reminded of how good it is to know that issues related to psychiatry and mental illness are now quite the topic of discussion in many of our communities and I can only hope that the ongoing conversation continues to lead to further improvement in our systems of care in the future. I am also reminded of how good it feels to have friends and colleagues in the Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians who share this vision and continue to work toward better means of practice for ourselves and our patients.

It has truly been my pleasure to serve in this capacity and I would like to take this opportunity to encourage our membership to register for and attend our upcoming meeting in April in Austin as our membership carries on its commitment to

our profession and those we serve.

APRIL 14 MEETING HIGHLIGHTS:

Job Fair and Exhibits All Day Saturday – Job opportunities available throughout the State of Texas and Exhibits on Medical Malpractice / Professional Liability Insurance, Electronic Health Records and Practice Management Software for Psychiatry; New Product Information; Products Covered by Insurance and Texas Medicaid and first FDA approved treatment for Adults with TD; and a special Kendry Scott Jewelry Trunk Show to benefit the Texas Foundation for Psychiatric Education and Research.

State Committee Meetings – Saturday Morning / Afternoon – Complimentary and Open to All Members

Lunch Program – *State and Federal Legislative Update on Psychiatry and What Lies Ahead in the Next Legislative Session* - Guest Speaker, Saul Levin, MD, APA CEO and Medical Director – Saturday

CME Program and Dinner – Saturday, 2:30-9:00 pm – The Interface Between Psychiatry and Other Medical Specialties –

Differential Diagnosis of Neurocognitive Disorders; Integrated Care Model; Psychiatry and Cardiology; Traumatic Brain Injury and Pituitary Dysfunction; EMR and Pay for Performance; The Opioid Epidemic – Treatment and Prevention.

Installation of Officers for 2018-19 – Joseph Penn, MD (President); Melissa Eshelman, MD (President-Elect); Timothy Wolff, MD (Secretary-Treasurer) – Sunday



Terry McMahon, MD



CONGRATULATIONS TO TSPP MEMBER
Debra Atkisson, MD, DFAPA
Recipient 2018 APA Assembly Resident-Fellow Member Mentor Award
for Outstanding Work as a Mentor and Advocate for RFMs

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Up to \$12.5 million was authorized for the first year and \$25 million for FY2019. The first year targets urban areas and the second year expands to rural areas.

These local collaborations must include the county, the local mental health authority serving that county, and the hospital district located in the county (if present). Grants are awarded to the twenty most populous counties according to formula funding based on cases of serious mental illness in the county. State funds would be distributed on the condition that each local collaborative provides matching funds in a total amount at least equal to the awarded grant amount.


Hearings: The House and Senate are holding a series of meetings on mental health issues throughout the spring. Five different committees are holding eight separate hearings that touch on a range of behavioral health concerns. Among them: the Senate Finance Committee will meet to monitor the state's progress in coordinating behavioral health services and expenditures across state government; House Appropriations will examine HHSC's efforts to expand Texas's inpatient psychiatric infrastructure; the House Criminal Justice Committee will assess developments in medical science and legal standards related to the imposition of the death penalty on defendants with serious mental illness; and the House Select Committee on Opioids and Substance Abuse will study the prevalence and impact of substance use and substance use disorders in Texas, including co-occurring mental illness.

Your advocacy team is hard at work on these issues and many others that impact the practice of psychiatry. Please feel free to reach out with any comments or questions. As always, thank you for allowing us to represent your interests at the state Capitol.



Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians and Texas Academy of Psychiatry

Spring Meeting & CME Program – April 14-15, 2017, Austin, Texas



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REGISTRATION FEE

	BEFORE MARCH 22	AFTER MARCH 22
<input type="checkbox"/> FRIDAY, MEDICAL STUDENT/RESIDENT MIXER	No Charge	No Charge
<input type="checkbox"/> SATURDAY LUNCH Guest Speaker Saul Levin, MD, MPA, FRCP-E, CEO and Medical Director, APA	\$20.00	\$25.00
<input type="checkbox"/> CME PROGRAM, AND DINNER		
TSPP / ACADEMY / TSCAP Member	\$125.00	\$155.00
MS OR RESIDENT-FELLOW IN TRAINING / TSPP / ACADEMY / TSCAP MEMBER	\$15.00**	\$25.00**
NON-MEMBER PHYSICIAN	\$155.00	\$185.00
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ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONAL	\$100.00	\$125.00
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SPOUSE / GUEST (no CME credit)	\$65.00	\$85.00
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** NO CHARGE, if your Program Training Director registers for the CME Program. Enter Program Director's name here: _____		

MEETING SYLLABUS ORDER

<input type="checkbox"/> Meeting Syllabus in Color	\$125.00	\$155.00
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<input type="checkbox"/> Online Meeting Syllabus	No Charge	No Charge
<input type="checkbox"/> Vegetarian Plate Requested. No additional fee if requested prior to March 22 otherwise there will be an additional fee of \$15.00		

 If you require any special assistance to fully participate in this conference, please contact TSPP at (512) 478-0605.

Total Registration Fees

METHOD OF PAYMENT:

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Please Charge \$ _____ To My: ☐ VISA ☐ MasterCard ☐ American Express
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CANCELLATION POLICY: In the event of cancellation, a full refund will be made if written notice is received in the TSPP office by March 22, 2018, less a 25% processing charge. NO REFUNDS will be given after March 22, 2018

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APRIL/MAY 2018



Spring Committee Meetings and Continuing Medical Education Program: “The Interface Between Psychiatry and Other Medical Specialties”

April 14, 2018 • Westin Austin at the Domain Hotel, Austin, Texas

Register early and plan to attend the 2018 committee meetings and Joint Provider Spring CME Program of the Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians and the Texas Academy of Psychiatry on April 14, 2018 at the Westin Austin at the Domain Hotel, 11301 Domain Drive, Austin, TX. Other organization meetings will be held April 13 and the TSPP Executive Council Meeting, April 15.



MEETING LOCATION / INFORMATION

Located in the heart of The Domain, within one of Austin's premier destinations, the AAA 4-Diamond Award Winning Westin Austin at the Domain Hotel is centrally located among 1.3 million square feet of high-end shopping and local music, fine dining, an upscale movie theater featuring independent and major films, and jogging paths offering a taste of the calming greenery found nearby.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

TSPP has negotiated a small block of rooms with a discounted room rate of \$179 for reservations placed BEFORE MARCH 22. To take advantage of this rate, visit the Federation of Texas Psychiatry's website at www.txpsych.org and click on the URL link included in the announcement/information for the TSPP/TAP meeting:

<https://www.starwoodmeeting.com/Book/TSPP/TAP/Springmeeting2018>

* Booking a room within the TSPP room block is an important way to support TSPP and TAP and helps to keep the overall meeting registration fee and costs as low as possible. Booking outside of the TSPP block, or at another hotel could expose TSPP to monetary charges for attrition. Plus, staying in the hotel keeps you connected with all the activities and networking opportunities during the event. Please help us help you by booking your room at the hotel hosting the meeting and within the TSPP room block.

FRIDAY – NETWORKING / SOCIAL MIXER FOR TSPP/TSCAP/TAP MEDICAL STUDENTS AND RESIDENT-FELLOW MEMBERS IN TRAINING: The TSPP Resident-Fellow Members Section has arranged a special networking event for all TSPP, TSCAP and TAP medical students, residents and fellows in training on Friday, 8:00-9:00 pm in the Wine Room, located lobby level past the bar area. We hope you will make plans to register for this fun, informal get together!

KENDRA SCOTT JEWELRY TRUNK SHOW TO BENEFIT THE TEXAS FOUNDATION FOR PSYCHIATRIC EDUCATION & RESEARCH, Saturday, 10:30 am – 12:40 pm, Primrose Foyer, at the Foundation Exhibit Booth. As part of Kendra Scott's Give Back Program, 20% of all sales will be donated to the Texas Foundation for Psychiatric Education and Research, so shop early and shop often – graduations and Mother's Day are just around the corner!

MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

- Special Guest Speaker, Saturday Lunch, Saul Levin, MD, MPA, FRCP-E, CEO and Medical Director, American Psychiatric Association
- TSPP & TAP Joint Provider Spring CME Program (6 Hours of Category I CME Credit) with 1 of the Hours Designated for Medical Ethics
- TSPP Committee Meetings – Open to all Members, including Residents and

- Fellows in Training
- Networking with Colleagues from Around the State of Texas
- Exhibits that offer Business Practice Tools, Malpractice Insurance and Employment Opportunities
- TSPP Government Affairs Committee & Luncheon Program
- Complimentary Refreshments & Reception
- TSPP Executive Council Meeting and Installation of Officers for 2018-19

EXHIBITS

Complimentary refreshments and snacks will be provided in Primrose Foyer of the Westin Austin at the Domain Hotel for registered attendees. Exhibits will be open throughout the day Saturday to provide you with information designed to enhance your practice and improve the optimal delivery of medical care to your patients. In addition there will be 'job fair' exhibitors who have employment opportunities for Psychiatrists in the State of Texas.

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- Texas Foundation for Psychiatric Education and Research / Kendra Scott Trunk Show
- The Doctors Company
- The Menninger Clinic
- UTMB Correctional Managed Care
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PROGRAM SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, APRIL 13

4:00 pm - 10:00 pm	Temporary Registration Desk	Bluebonnet Foyer
6:00 pm - 7:15 pm	Chapter Leadership Forum	Bluebonnet
6:00 pm - 7:30 pm	TSCAP Executive Committee Meeting	Wine Room
7:30 pm - 9:00 pm	Federation Delegate Assembly Meeting	Bluebonnet
8:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Resident-Fellow and Medical Student Social Mixer	Wine Room

SATURDAY, APRIL 14

7:00 am - 9:00 pm	Registration	Primrose Foyer
7:30 am - 8:45 am	Foundation Board of Directors Breakfast Meeting	Verbena B
9:00 am - 9:50 am	Continental Breakfast	Primrose Foyer
9:00 am - 10:30 am	Council on Leadership Meetings:	
	Ethics	Camellia A
	Distinguished Fellowship	Camellia B
	Finance	Plumeria A
	Council on Education Meetings:	
	Continuing Medical Education	Verbena A
	Professional Practice Management	Plumeria B
7:00 am - 9:00 am	Exhibits Set-Up	Primrose Foyer
9:00 am - 5:00 pm	Exhibits	Primrose Foyer
10:30 am - 10:50 am	Refreshment Break / Visit with Exhibitors and Door Prize Drawings	Primrose Foyer
10:30 am - 12:40 pm	Kendra Scott Jewelry Trunk Show to Benefit the Texas Foundation for Psychiatric Education and Research 20% of all sales will be donated to the Texas Foundation for Psychiatric Education and Research	Primrose Foyer
10:50 am - 12:20 pm	Council on Service Meetings:	
	Academic Psychiatry	Camellia A
	Child and Adolescent Psychiatry	Camellia B
	Forensic Psychiatry	Plumeria A
	Public Mental Health Services	Plumeria B
12:20 pm - 12:40 pm	Refreshment Break / Visit with Exhibitors and Door Prize Drawings	Primrose Foyer
12:40 pm - 1:40 pm	Lunch Program (and Council on Advocacy Meeting) Special Guest Speaker: Saul Levin, MD, MPA, CEO and Medical Director, American Psychiatric Association (APA) Update on APA's Activities, New Location and Federal Update	Lantana
1:40 pm - 2:30 pm	Texas Academy of Psychiatry Board of Directors Meeting	Bluebonnet
1:40 pm - 2:30 pm	Resident Fellow Member in Training Section	Verbena
1:50 pm - 2:20 pm	Break / Visit with Exhibitors	Primrose Foyer
2:30 pm - 9:00 pm	CME Scientific Program: “The Interface Between Psychiatry and Other Medical Specialties”	Primrose C
2:30 pm - 3:30 pm	Differential Diagnosis of Neurocognitive Disorders – Kevin Gray, MD	
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Integrated Care Model – Derek W. Neal, MD	
4:30 pm - 4:50 pm	Refreshment Break / Visit with Exhibitors and Door Prize Drawings	Primrose Foyer
4:50 pm - 5:50 pm	Psychiatry and Cardiology – Dustin DeMoss, DO, MS, FAPA	
5:50 pm - 6:50 pm	Traumatic Brain Injury and Pituitary Dysfunction: A Chronic Disease Presenting with Fatigue and Cognitive Dysfunction – Randall J. Urban, MD	
6:50 pm - 7:00 pm	Refreshment Break	Primrose Foyer
7:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Dinner and Continuation of CME Program	
7:00 pm - 8:00 pm	EMR and Pay for Performance – Clifford Moy, MD	
8:00 pm - 9:00 pm	The Opioid Epidemic, The Story of Opioids, Prometheus Unbound – Anand Mehendale, MD	

SUNDAY, APRIL 15

9:00 am - 11:00 am	Executive Council Meeting	Lantana
	Continental Breakfast and Installation of Officers for 2018-19	

Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians and Texas Academy of Psychiatry
Joint Provider Scientific Program

Saturday, April 14, 2018 (6 Hours Category 1 Credit)

“The Interface Between Psychiatry and Other Medical Specialties”

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

2:30 pm - 3:30 pm Differential Diagnosis of Neurocognitive Disorders – Kevin Gray, MD

Objectives: The learning objectives for this activity have been designed to address clinician competence. Upon conclusion of the activity, participants should be able to:

- Discuss the overlapping symptoms and presentations of neurocognitive and other psychiatric disorders.
- Discuss treatment options for these conditions.

3:30 pm - 4:30 pm Integrated Care Model – Derek W. Neal, MD

Objectives: The learning objectives for this activity have been designed to address clinician competence. Upon conclusion of the activity, participants should be able to:

- Define and describe the integrated care model.
- List some of the advantages of the integrated care model.
- Describe some of the barriers to implementing the integrated care model.

4:30 pm - 4:50 pm Refreshment Break / Visit with Exhibitors and Door Prize DrawingsPrimrose Foyer

4:50 pm - 5:50 pm Psychiatry and Cardiology – Dustin DeMoss, DO, MS, FAPA

Objectives: The learning objectives for this activity have been designed to address clinician competence. Upon conclusion of the activity, participants should be able to:

- Describe the overlapping symptoms of patients with cardiac and/or psychiatric disorders.
- Discuss risk factors for cardiac disease among psychiatric patients.
- Identify potential cardiac side effects of psychotropic medications.

5:50 pm - 6:50 pm Traumatic Brain Injury and Pituitary Dysfunction: A Chronic Disease Presenting with Fatigue and Cognitive Dysfunction – Randall J. Urban, MD

Objectives: The learning objectives for this activity have been designed to address clinician competence. Upon conclusion of the activity, participants should be able to:

- Describe the link between traumatic brain injury and pituitary dysfunction.
- List the overlap between symptoms of pituitary dysfunction and psychiatric conditions.

6:50 pm - 7:00 pm Refreshment BreakPrimrose Foyer

7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner and Continuation of CME Program: EMR and Pay for Performance – Clifford Moy, MD, FAPA

Objectives: The learning objectives for this activity have been designed to address clinician competence. Upon conclusion of the activity, participants should be able to:

- Describe initiatives for increasing the use of electronic medical records and pay for performance.
- Discuss some of the ethical concerns providers have about these initiatives.

8:00 pm - 9:00 pm The Opioid Epidemic, The Story of Opioids, Prometheus Unbound – Anand Mehendale, MD

Objectives: The learning objectives for this activity have been designed to address clinician competence. Upon conclusion of the activity, participants should be able to:

- Describe the current epidemiology of the opioid epidemic in the United States.
- Discuss treatment and prevention of opioid use disorder.
- Identify current barriers to care.

CME PROGRAM GOAL/TARGET AUDIENCE: This live activity has been designed in a lecture format with case examples and panel format followed by an interactive audience question and answer period to provide its' primary target audience of Psychiatrists, as well as other specialties of medicine, with the most up-to-date, evidence-based data that can be translated into clinical practice.

The information and data presented will address the professional practice gaps of the learners and advance the physician's competence and improve their knowledge about the interface between psychiatry and other medical specialties along with ethical concerns regarding pay for performance so that they may develop strategies to apply the knowledge, skills and judgement of the information presented in the educational activity into their practice.

IDENTIFIED PRACTICE GAPS / NEEDS ASSESSMENT:

TSPP identified professional practice gaps in medical literature and incorporated this into the CME activity to address the relevant educational needs concerning competence that underlie the professional practice gaps of the participants.

The program will explore the interface between psychiatry and other medical specialties. The differential diagnosis of psychiatric conditions in the geriatric patient can be challenging and overlap with other medical and mental health conditions (J Clin Psychiatry. 2016 Oct;77(10):1391-1395. doi: 10.4088/JCP.15m09844). The presentation will address the overlap, differential diagnosis and treatment of neurocognitive and other disorders. Integrated care models are proving to be beneficial in bringing psychiatric services to primary care clinics, but questions remain about the best models for providing care (BMC Health Serv Res. 2017 Dec 13;17(1):821. doi: 10.1186/s12913-017-2774-2). The presentation will address the models of care and their advantages and disadvantages. Psychiatric conditions and treatments have cardiac implications (Int J Cardiol. 2016 Sep 15;219:367-72. doi: 10.1016/j.ijcard.2016.06.057; J Affect Disord. 2016 Apr;194:38-49. doi: 10.1016/j.jad.2016.01.003). The presentation will address the differential diagnosis of cardiac symptoms and cardiac risk for psychiatric patients. Traumatic brain injury (TBI) may result in dysregulation of the hypothalamic-pituitary axis (Pituitary. 2008;11(3):255-61. doi: 10.1007/s11102-008-0102-x). The presentation will discuss TBI and pituitary dysfunction with resulting psychiatric symptoms. The current opioid epidemic is a pressing public health concern requiring integrated treatment efforts among psychiatrists and other professionals (Ann Intern Med. 2017 May 16;166(10):733-736. doi: 10.7326/M16-2953). The presentation will address the history of the opioid epidemic and treatment options. Increased accountability in monitoring treatment outcomes has led to pay for performance initiatives, but clinicians have many unanswered questions (Ann Intern Med. 2017 Mar 7;166(5):341-353. doi: 10.7326/M16-1881). The presentation will describe the rationale for pay for performance and some of the clinician concerns.

OBJECTIVES: The learning objectives for this activity have been designed to address clinician competence and are listed under each presentation.

ACCREDITATION STATEMENT: This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Texas Medical Association (TMA) through the joint providership of the Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians and the Texas Academy of Psychiatry. The Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians is accredited by TMA to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

CREDIT STATEMENT: The Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians designates this Live Activity for a maximum of six (6) *AMA PRA Category I Credits™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

ETHICS DESIGNATION STATEMENT: The presentation “EMR and Pay for Performance” been designated by the Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians for one (1) credit of education in medical ethics and/or professional responsibility.

FACULTY AND PLANNERS DISCLOSURE POLICY: In compliance with the ACCME/TMA Standards for Commercial Support of CME, to assure balance, independence, objectivity and scientific rigor in all of its CME activities, prior to the education activity being delivered to the learners, the Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians implemented a mechanism to identify and resolve personal conflicts of interest from everyone who was in a position to control the content of the education activity. TSPP will disclose to learners the existence (or non-existence) of all relevant financial relationship(s) that the faculty and planners did (or did not) have with any commercial interest concerned with the content of the educational presentation.

Disclosure will occur prior to the presentation through written communication in the syllabus / handout materials.

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Committee Preferences 2018-2019

THANK YOU for your continued membership and strengthening the voice of Psychiatry in Texas! TSPP's mission is to develop the highest quality of comprehensive psychiatric care for patients, families, and communities and your individual membership helps collectively accomplish that goal by enabling TSPP to continue to provide quality CME programs and a strong legislative voice for Psychiatry.

Your personal involvement in TSPP's activities also helps to shape the future of Psychiatry. With this in mind, TSPP invites you to serve on committees this year by selecting from the list below the committees you have an interest in (Please try to limit your selection to 1 Committee per Council listing to avoid potential meeting conflicts). Participation in committees also provides an opportunity to informally network with your colleagues from around the State and share issues and concerns about your practice, patient care, legislative matters and medical education.

To make your selection and submit your committee preferences, complete Name/ Address/Email and place an "X" in the appropriate committee column and fax your completed form to TSPP (512/478-5223), or mail it to TSPP, 401 West 15th St., Ste 675, Austin, Texas 78701. Your selections must be received by TSPP by July 31. Your preferences will be considered by TSPP President Joseph Penn, MD when he begins making appointments. Appointments are generally for 3 years. Confirmation of committee appointments will be mailed in August. Information about each of the committee's charges is listed below the committee preference form.

Committees will meet twice in FY 2018-19 in November 2018 and April 2019. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact our office via email tsppofc@aol.com or telephone 512-478-0605.

Debbie Giarratano
Executive Director

COMMITTEE CHARGES 2018-19

COUNCIL ON ADVOCACY
GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS: To monitor present and proposed legislation and regulation at all government levels that could affect services to psychiatric patients; to attempt to ensure such legislation is in conformity with the principles of scientific care; to propose needed legislation or regulation, in liaison with other interested groups when appropriate, that would benefit psychiatric patients and the psychiatric profession in its efforts to treat patients effectively; and, to monitor court developments affecting patients and members.

COUNCIL ON EDUCATION
CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION: To develop the Scientific Program for the Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians' Annual Meeting in accordance with the Essentials as outlined in the Texas Medical Association's CME Guidelines, after receiving approval both from the Executive Council and the Finance Committee for particular plans; and, to assist the President-Elect in the development of the Scientific Program for the Texas Medical Association Section on Psychiatry.

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE MANAGEMENT: To review clinical practice issues affecting members in any practice setting (eg regulations, reimbursement, technology, office procedure, etc) and propose educational programs and policies to improve the delivery of care to patients and to enhance the practice of psychiatry. As needed, review and update existing practice guidelines and develop new guidelines for the practice of psychiatry.

RESIDENT-FELLOW MEMBER SECTION: To review the needs and concerns of members-in-training as seen by the residents to facilitate more resident involvement with appropriate TSPP Committees; and, to provide a forum for members-in-training for collegial sharing of mutual concerns and ideas.

COUNCIL ON SERVICE
ACADEMIC PSYCHIATRY: To provide a forum for psychiatrists employed by academic centers to network and to share information of mutual interest and concern about their academic settings.

CHILDREN & ADOLESCENTS: To monitor developments in the field of child and adolescent psychiatry, in both the private and public sectors, and to inform the membership of issues and policies affecting the care and treatment of children and adolescents.

PUBLIC MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES: To review the effectiveness of the organiza-

tion of clinical services, and the funding for public mental health services administered and/or provided by State and local public agencies; and, to assess the authority, roles, and functions of psychiatrists in public mental health services.

FORENSIC PSYCHIATRY: To review the legal aspects of civil, criminal, correctional and legislative issues that affect patients and the practice of psychiatry.

COUNCIL ON FELLOWSHIP
CHAPTER LEADERSHIP FORUM: To provide a forum for Chapter leaders to meet and discuss issues of mutual interest regarding Chapter operations.

COUNCIL ON LEADERSHIP
CONSTITUTION & BYLAWS: To prepare, as necessary, changes in the Constitution and Bylaws as mandated, either by vote within the Society or changes in APA structure which affect the District Branch structure as well; to review the Constitution and Bylaws and submit recommendations for possible improvement of the current document.

ETHICS: To undertake the confidential investigation of complaints of unethical behavior or practices against Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians' members in accordance with APA procedures approved by the Assembly and the Board of Trustees.

DISTINGUISHED FELLOWSHIP: To coordinate all nominations for advancement of Distinguished Fellowship in the American Psychiatric Association and make recommendations to the Executive Council regarding Fellowship recommendations.

FINANCE: To prepare an annual operating budget, taking into account previous years' income and expenses, and requests from individual committees and other components; to review requests from members regarding dues adjustments and recommend appropriate actions to the Executive Council; to oversee and advise on investment strategies for reserve funds; to present financial statements; to make recommendations to the Executive Council and the membership as to the financial needs of the Society; and to develop strategies to recruit and retain members.

NOMINATING: To recommend a slate of officers to the membership at the annual meeting as per Chapter VI, Section VI of the TSPP Bylaws; to screen nominations for the Distinguished Service Award, the Special Service Award, and the Psychiatric Excellence Award and other awards approved by the Executive Council, and to make recommendations in regard to these matters to the Executive Council.

Committee Preferences 2018-19				
NAME _____				
ADDRESS _____		CITY _____	STATE _____	ZIP _____
EMAIL _____				
COUNCILS & COMMITTEES 2018-19	Current Member	Request Reappointment	Wish to Resign	Request New Appointment
COUNCIL ON ADVOCACY				
Government Affairs				
COUNCIL ON EDUCATION				
Continuing Medical Education				
Resident-Fellow Member Section				
Professional Practice Management				
COUNCIL ON SERVICE				
Academic Psychiatry				
Children & Adolescents				
Forensic Psychiatry				
Public Mental Health Services				
COUNCIL ON FELLOWSHIP				
Chapter Leadership Forum (1)				
COUNCIL ON LEADERSHIP				
Constitution & Bylaws (2)				
Ethics (2)				
Distinguished Fellowship (2)				
Finance				
Nominating (3)				
(1) Chapter Officers and Representatives (2) Appointed by Chapter (3) Past Presidents				



9TH ANNUAL INTEGRATIVE MEDICINE FOR MENTAL HEALTH CONFERENCE

IMMH2018

★ SEPTEMBER 6-9
★ DALLAS TX
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Conference Overview

The Integrative Medicine for Mental Health Conference (IMMH) will give practitioners a holistic approach to successfully diagnose and treat underlying issues contributing to the manifestations of neurological, behavioral, and psychiatric disorders. Research has revealed that many disorders such as depression, bipolar disorder, anxiety, OCD, eating disorders, and autism spectrum disorders often have biomedical causes that contribute to symptoms, from nutritional deficiencies to chronic infections. Patients have better outcomes when these causes are addressed and treated through a combination of specialized testing and nutritional therapies, even in combination with traditional approaches. This year's conference will have more new speakers and new topics than ever before! **CME available!**

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Featured Speakers



James Greenblatt, MD
★ Integrative and Orthomolecular Therapies for Eating Disorders



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Arwen Podesta, MD
★ Hooked: Integrative Treatment Strategies for Addiction

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TSCAP Annual Convention & Scientific Program

“Update in Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Care: Challenges and Innovations in Practice”

JULY 27-29, 2018 • Moody Gardens Hotel, Galveston, Texas

GENERAL INFORMATION

MEETING LOCATION

TSCAP’s Annual Convention and Scientific Program will be held at the Moody Gardens Hotel and Spa, Seven Hope Blvd., in Galveston. Surrounded by 242 acres of lush tropical garden landscaping and majestic pyramids, Moody Gardens Hotel, Spa and Convention Center is Galveston Island’s premier meeting destination. Moody Gardens features:

- Full Service Spa and Fitness Center
- Aquarium Pyramid
- Rainforest Pyramid
- Discovery Museum
- 3D and 4D Theaters
- Colonel Paddlewheel Boat
- Rope Course and Zip Line
- Palm Beach Waterpark

In addition, Galveston Island offers:

- Schlitterbahn Waterpark
- Galveston Island Historic Pleasure Pier

OPENING WELCOME RECEPTION WITH EXHIBITORS

Make plans to attend the complimentary Welcome Reception with Exhibitors on Friday evening, 6:30 pm-8:30 pm, in the Moody 1 Ballroom, Moody Gardens Hotel. Visit throughout the evening with your friends, colleagues and exhibitors in a fun-filled, relaxing atmosphere and complete your entry for the special door prize drawings to be awarded on Saturday!

ASK THE EXPERT BOOTH

Dr. Christopher Thomas will be available during the refreshment breaks on Saturday at the ‘Ask the Expert Booth’ in the Exhibit Hall to answer questions you may have about Maintenance of Certification.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS / PARKING

Special TSCAP discounted room rates of \$199 are available to program registrants **BEFORE JULY 4 or upon sell-out, whichever occurs first.** Make your hotel reservation today by calling 1-888-388-8484 or visit www.txpsych.org and click on the link in the TSCAP Program information, or paste the following link in your browser:
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REGISTRATION

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TELEPHONE NUMBER	FAX NUMBER	E-MAIL	

Name(s) of Guest(s) Attending _____

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM REGISTRATION

(Includes Scientific Program, Saturday Lunch During Resident Case Presentation, Saturday & Sunday Refreshment Breaks).

	Before July 4	After July 4	
TSCAP Member Physician	\$195	\$215	_____
Non-Member Physician	\$250	\$270	_____
Spouse / Guest Claiming CME Credit	\$195	\$215	_____
Allied Health Professional / Spouse / Guest	\$180	\$200	_____
TSCAP Member Trainee	\$15	\$30	_____
Non-Member Trainee	\$25	\$50	_____
Medical Student	\$0	\$15	_____

SOCIAL EVENTS

☐ Friday Welcome Reception

Name(s) Attending Reception: _____

☐ Sunday Membership Business Breakfast

TSCAP Member	\$15	\$20	_____
Non-Members/Guests/Spouse/Child	\$20	\$25	_____

Name(s) Attending Breakfast: _____

MEETING SYLLABUS ORDER

<input type="checkbox"/> Online Meeting Syllabus	Free	Free	
<input type="checkbox"/> Color Printed Copy	\$75	\$100	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Black & White Copy	\$50	\$75	

☐ Vegetarian Plate Requested. No additional fee if requested prior to July 4, otherwise there will be an additional fee of \$15.00.

If you require any special assistance to fully participate in this conference, please contact TSCAP via e-mail tscapofc@aol.com or 512/478-0605.

TOTAL REGISTRATION

PAYMENT INFORMATION

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CANCELLATIONS – Deadline for cancellation is July 4, 2018. In the event of cancellation, a full refund will be made if written notice is received in the TSCAP office by July 4, 2018, less a 25% handling charge. NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN AFTER JULY 4, 2018.

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PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

Friday, July 27

12:00 pm - 8:30 pm	Registration	Moody Gardens Ballroom Foyer
2:00 pm - 5:30 pm	Exhibit Set-Up .....	.Moody I
4:00 pm - 5:30 pm	TSCAP Executive Committee Meeting	Boardroom
6:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Welcome Reception with Exhibitors .....	.Moody I

Saturday, July 28

7:00 am - 4:30 pm	Registration	Moody Gardens Ballroom Foyer
7:30 am - 8:30 am	Continental Breakfast with Exhibitors .....	.Moody I
8:00 am - 3:45 pm	Scientific Program .....	.Moody II
Note: For Saturday's Program, to reduce expenses, refreshments will be set in one location, in the Exhibit Hall, Moody I		
10:30 am - 10:50 am	Refreshment Break and Door Prize Drawings .....	.Moody I
Visit with Dr. Christopher Thomas, 'Ask the Expert' Booth', about MOC Questions		
11:50 am - 12:10 pm	Refreshment Break and Door Prize Drawings .....	.Moody I
Visit with Dr. Christopher Thomas, 'Ask the Expert' Booth', about MOC Questions		
1:10 pm - 1:30 pm	Refreshment Break and Door Prize Drawings .....	.Moody I
Visit with Dr. Christopher Thomas, 'Ask the Expert' Booth', about MOC Questions		
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Exhibits Teardown / Depart .....	.Moody I

Sunday, July 29

7:00 am - 1:00 pm	Registration	Moody Gardens Ballroom Foyer
7:45 am - 8:45 am	TSCAP Annual Business Meeting and Breakfast Open to All Attendees (see registration form) .....	.Vine Room
8:45 am - 12:30 pm	Scientific Program .....	.Moody II
10:15 am - 10:30 am	Refreshment Break .....	.South Ballroom Foyer

EXHIBITS

TSCAP's Welcome Reception, Continental Breakfasts and Refreshment Breaks, will be held in the Moody I Ballroom of the Moody Gardens Hotel. Exhibits will be open throughout the evening, Friday, and all day Saturday and provide you with information designed to enhance your practice and help improve the optimal delivery of medical care to your patients. In addition, there will be 'job fair' exhibitors who have employment opportunities for Psychiatrists in the State of Texas.

Welcome Reception – Friday, 6:30-8:30 pm

Continental Breakfast – Saturday, 7:30 am-8:30 am

Refreshment Break and Door Prize Drawings
Saturday, 10:30 am-10:50 am

Refreshment Break and Door Prize Drawings
Saturday, 11:50 am-12:10 pm

Refreshment Break with Exhibitors and Door Prize Drawings
Saturday, 1:10 pm-1:30 pm

Exhibitors Tear Down and Depart
Saturday, 3:00 pm-4:00 pm

ANNUAL MEETING BREAKFAST

The Annual TSCAP Business Meeting and Breakfast will be held Sunday, 7:45 am - 8:45 am in the Vine Room of the Moody Gardens Hotel.

“Update in Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Care: Challenges and Innovations in Practice”

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Saturday, July 28 (5 Hours Category I CME Credit Hours)

8:00 - 8:30 am	Welcome & Opening Remarks
8:30 - 9:30 am	Challenges and Advocacy for Children of Military Services Sharette Kirsten Gray, MD, FAPA
Objective: The learning objective for this activity has been designed to address clinician competence. Upon conclusion of the activity participants should be able to:	
• Identify and discuss the unique challenges of children in military families.	
9:30 - 10:30 am	Current Management of Eating Disorders Urszula B. Kelley, MD, CEDS-S
Objective: The learning objective for this activity has been designed to address clinician competence. Upon conclusion of the activity participants should be able to:	
• Understand how to treat patients with eating disorders in an out-patient setting, where there are not in-patient facilities nearby.	
10:30 - 10:50 am	Refreshment Break
10:50 - 11:50 am	Transitioning of Youth with Autism to Adulthood Jane A. Ripperger-Suhler, MD
Objective: The learning objective for this activity has been designed to address clinician competence. Upon conclusion of the activity participants should be able to:	
• Identify the unique challenges involved in treating patients, transitioning to adulthood.	
11:50 - 12:10 pm	Refreshment Break
12:10 - 1:10 pm	Resident Case Presentation and Faculty Discussant Resident and Faculty Discussant TBD
Objective: The learning objective for this activity has been designed to address clinician competence. Upon conclusion of the activity participants should be able to:	
• TO BE IDENTIFIED	
1:10 - 1:30 pm	Refreshment Break
1:30 - 2:30 pm	Risks and Benefits of Commonly Used Complementary and Alternative Treatments with Patients Steven R. Pliszka, MD
Objective: The learning objective for this activity has been designed to address clinician competence. Upon conclusion of the activity participants should be able to:	
• Identify and discuss the risks and benefits of commonly used complementary and alternative treatments with patients.	
2:30 - 2:45 pm	Closing Remarks

Sunday, July 29 (3 Hours Category I CME Credit Hours)

8:45 - 9:15 am	Welcome & Opening Remarks
9:15- 10:15 am	Technology Applications Christopher R. Thomas, MD
Objective: The learning objective for this activity has been designed to address clinician competence. Upon conclusion of the activity participants should be able to:	
• Identify and discuss apps and other electronic media resources with patients that may help them with mood-tracking, menstrual cycle tracking and relaxation techniques, among other resources.	
10:15 - 10:30 am	Refreshment Break
10:30 - 11:30 am	ETHICS: Legal Issues When Supervising Advanced Nurse Practitioners and Their Role in the Practice of Child Psychiatry Moira Wertheimer, Esq., RN, CPHRM, FASHRM
Objective: The learning objective for this activity has been designed to address clinician competence. Upon conclusion of the activity participants should be able to:	
• Understand legal and record-keeping implications involved with supervising physician extenders.	
11:30 am - 12:30 pm	ETHICS: Use of Genetic Testing in the Practice of Child Psychiatry Graham J. Emslie, MD
Objective: The learning objective for this activity has been designed to address clinician competence. Upon conclusion of the activity participants should be able to:	
• Discuss whether or not genetic testing offers benefit to treating their patients.	

ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Texas Medical Association (TMA) through the joint providership of the Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians and Texas Society of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry. The Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians is accredited by TMA to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

CREDIT STATEMENT

The Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians designates this Live Activity for a maximum of eight (8) AMA PRA Category I Credits™ Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

ETHICS DESIGNATION STATEMENT

The ethics presentations “Legal Issues When Supervising Advanced Nurse Practitioners and Their Role in the Practice of Child Psychiatry” and “Use of Genetic Testing in the Practice of Child Psychiatry” have been designated by the Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians for a total of two (2) credits of education in medical ethics and/or professional responsibility.

TARGET AUDIENCE/PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

This live activity has been designed with didactic lectures supplemented with clinical vignettes, audiovisual presentations, direct discussion and case presentation and discussion in multiple educational sessions.

The program is designed to provide its' target audience of Child and Adolescent Psychiatrists, Adult Psychiatrists, Pediatricians and Primary Care Physicians with clinically relevant information to advance the physicians' competence and provide them with effective use of targeted skills so that they may develop strategies to apply the knowledge, skills and judgement of the information presented in the educational activity into their practice.

NEEDS ASSESSMENT

TSCAP has incorporated into this CME activity the relevant educational needs concerning competence that underlie the professional practice gaps of the participants.

FACULTY AND PLANNERS DISCLOSURE POLICY

In compliance with the ACCME/TMA Standards for Commercial Support of CME, to assure balance, independence, objectivity and scientific rigor in all of its CME activities, prior to the education activity being delivered to the learners, the Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians implemented a mechanism to identify and resolve personal conflicts of interest from everyone who was in a position to control the content of the education activity.

TSPP will disclose to learners the existence (or non-existence) of all relevant financial relationship(s) that the faculty and planners did (or did not) have with any commercial interest concerned with the content of the educational presentation.

Disclosure will occur prior to the presentation through written communication in the syllabus / handout materials.

ABOUT THE SPEAKERS

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CALENDAR OF MEETINGS

TSPP/TAP Spring Meeting and CME Program "The Interface Between Psychiatry and Other Medical Specialties"

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APRIL

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For additional information: www.texmed.org

JULY

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