



American Board of Independent Medical Examiners and American College of Disability Medicine Presents:



AMA Guides to the Evaluation of Permanent Impairment, 4th Ed With Review of AMA Guides 6th Ed. Psychiatric Impairment Rating

April 2-3, 2016 ~ Hilton Garden Inn ~ Mississauga, (Toronto) Ontario, Canada

AMA Guides 4th & 6th Ed Training Who Should Attend?

Doctors/Surgeons of all specialties,
Attorneys, Judges, Neuropsychologists,
PT/OT, Disability Evaluators & Nurses

Venue: Hilton Garden Inn
100 Traders Boulevard
Mississauga, Ontario L4Z 2H7
PH: (905) 890-9110

Tuition Fees:

❖ RVW ó AMA 4th/6th Ed - US\$895.00

A Certificate attesting to the training in
the AMA Guides 4th ed. by the American
Board suitable for wall framing would be
granted to each Attendee of the Program.

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Certification through the American Board of Independent Medical Examiners (ABIME) sets you apart as an Internationally recognized medical examiner. ABIME certification represents the pinnacle of professional competency and integrity, instilling greater client confidence in your capabilities and identifying you as an experienced physician who understands the unique issues of disability evaluation. Doctors certified by ABIME meet the demand for quality, impartial impairment and disability evaluations. Exam will be offered at this location from 1:00pm - 5:00pm on April 3, 2016, and requires a separate application. Please visit www.abime.org for details and the application process.

Invitation from Mohammed Ranavaya, MD, JD

Professor and Chief, Division of Occupational and Disability Medicine
Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, Marshall University, Huntington, WV

Please accept my invitation to attend a comprehensive AMA Guides 4th ed. training program with review of AMA Guides 6th ed. Psychiatric Impairment Rating in Toronto, Canada on April 2-3, 2016.

The faculty will be presenting practical information on how to perform high quality Independent Medical Evaluations (IME) and Impairment Rating using the AMA Guides 4th ed. Additionally, there will be a review of Psychiatric Impairment Rating using Mental & Behavioral disorders Chapter 14 of AMA Guides 6th Ed. The faculty will discuss the truly "hot issues" you may be encountering in your practices, including medico-legal issues, evaluating complex cases, and managing difficult impairment evaluation claimants. You will also learn practical tips on providing IME services and serving as an expert medical witness, and improving the quality of your medical reports.

The program is designed for a multi-disciplinary audience. Anyone involved in performing, reviewing or managing impairment ratings, need to attend this high quality educational program.

Whether you are a beginner or experienced user of the AMA Guides, you will find this training very useful in enhancing your skills to perform a high quality, valid impairment rating using the AMA Guides 4th edition.

I look forward to seeing you there.

Mohammed I. Ranavaya, MD, JD, MS, FFOM, FRCPI, CIME - President ABIME

AMA Guides 4th Edition, PROGRAM SCHEDULE

April 2, 2016 - Day 1

- 7:30 a.m. Registration and Tea
- 8:00 a.m. Welcome, Introduction and review of course objectives
- 8:10 a.m. Key Concepts and Methodology of the AMA Guides 4th Ed. Chapters 1&2
- 9:30 a.m. Questions and Answers
- 9:45 a.m. Morning Break
- 10:00 a.m. Upper Extremity Impairment Rating with Case Presentation
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch
- 1:00 p.m. Spine Impairment Rating with Case Presentation
- 2:15 p.m. Lower Extremities Impairment Rating with Case Presentation
- 3:00 p.m. Afternoon Break
- 3:15 p.m. Central Nervous System Impairment Rating with Case Presentation
- 4:15 p.m. Questions and Answers
- 4:30 p.m. Adjourn

April 3, 2016 - Day 2

- 8:00 a.m. Registration and Coffee
- 8:05 a.m. Beyond Musculoskeletal Systems-AMA 4, Chapters 5-12
- 9:45 a.m. Refreshment Break
- 10:00 a.m. Psychiatric Impairment Rating with case studies - AMA 6, Chapter 14
- 11:00 a.m. Practical Use of AMA Guides 4th Ed.—Advance Case Studies
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch & Learn with faculty
- 1:00 p.m. Adjourn
- 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. OPTIONAL ABIME CERTIFICATION EXAM ON 2ND DAY

*ABIME Thanks Dynamic Functional Solutions Inc. of Toronto, Canada
for their sponsorship of this program.*

See Page 2 for the Registration Form

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Toronto, Canada – April 2-3, 2016

- Sat-Sun, Apr 2-3 RVW 6 AMA 4th/6th Ed. 6 US\$895
- Sun, Apr 3 EXM** (1:00pm-5:00pm) 6 US\$995
- Sun, Apr 3 NON-PHY EXM** (1:00-2:30 pm) 6 US\$350

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