The American Congress of Obstetricians and Gynecologists
Colorado Section invites you to our...

A weekend in the mountains

June 10-11, 2016

ACOG
Annual Summer Educational Symposium
VAIL Colorado
June 10-11 2016

interactive sessions, case based reviews, open forums, and panels

Keynote Speaker:
Bob Palmer, MD
Chair, District VIII ACOG

- Sonnenalp Hotel in Vail Village
- pre-conference golf outing
- reception Friday night
- spa on-site, childcare on-site
- exhibit hall
- 10 physician presentations
- 2 panel discussions
- CME credits available

registration: www.acogvail2016.eventbrite.com
THE DETAILS
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SUMMER EDUCATIONAL SYMPOSIUM
A weekend in the mountains

The conference will run from Friday, June 10 at 9:30 a.m. and conclude on Saturday, June 11 at 1:15 p.m. All meetings will be held at The Sonnenalp Hotel in Vail, Colorado.

The conference will include interactive sessions, case based reviews, open forums and panels.

Topics include:
- Bariatric Surgery
- Care of LGBT Patients
- Laparoscopy tips
- Legal cases
- Mental Health in Pregnancy
- Direct-Entry Midwifery
- Oncology & Obesity
- Oncofertility
- SMART (Stress Management & Resilience Training)
- Ultrasound
- Vulvar Dermatology Cases

Registration includes: meeting attendance, digital access to materials, lunch on Friday, reception on Friday with drink tickets, breakfast on Saturday, and beverages/coffee/breaks.

THE VENUE
Bring your spouse, friend, significant other, or family and come enjoy the weekend at the luxurious Sonnenalp Hotel located right in Vail Village!

Hotel reservations can be made now! Call 866-284-4411 for reservations, ask for "ACOG" group rate of $150 per night. Book now, rooms are limited.

The first speaker on Friday isn’t until 10:30 a.m., so you can drive up Friday morning if you want.

The Sonnenalp has a spa with a 25% discount for attendees, swimming pool (indoor & outdoor), fitness center, yoga classes, restaurants, and more. The hotel is located in the Vail Village, with a short walk to many dining & shopping options, walks, ski lift, entertainment. Nearby you can also find rafting, fishing, tennis, biking, hiking.

REGISTRATION FEES
- Regular Rate $200
  Attendees (until May 10th)
- Late registration $225
  If space available (after May 10th)
- Student Rate $25
- Resident Rate $75
  (Student & Resident Rate good through May 10th)
- Guest for Reception $40
  Friday 5:30-6:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION LINK
Registrations and payment accepted online at: www.acogvail2016.eventbrite.com

ACOG COLORADO SECTION EVENT UPDATES: www.acog.org/colorado

There will be a golf outing on Thursday, June 9 at 10:30 a.m. Register at www.acoggolf.eventbrite.com.

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AGENDA

FRIDAY, JUNE 10

9:30am  Registration Starts / Coffee & Bagels with Exhibitors
10:30am Welcome and Introductions – Margie Maeder, MD
10:45am Keynote Address, ACOG Update, Bob Palmer, MD
11:25am Obesity as it relates to Gynecologic Oncology – Glenn E. Bigsby IV, DO
12:05pm  Lunch with Exhibitors

12:55pm  Care of the LGBT Patient – Gretchen Frey, MD
1:35pm  Obesity and OB/GYN—issues for patients and providers – Matthew A. Metz, MD, FACS
2:15pm  SMART (Stress Management & Resilience Training) – Julie C. Gelman, MD
2:55pm  Break with Exhibitors

3:25pm  Laparoscopic Surgery – Pearls and Practical Tips – Robert K. Zurawin, MD
4:05pm  Hot Medical-Legal Topics in OB – Mark Fogg, COPIC General Counsel
4:55pm  OPEN FORUM / PANEL:
      Dr. Glenn E. Bigsby IV  Dr. Gretchen Frey
      Dr. Bob Palmer        Dr. Robert K. Zurawin

5:30pm  Kenneth Gottesfeld Memorial Reception / ACOG Business Meeting
       (Your guests are invited to attend for $40)
6:45pm  Dinner Groups (optional, coordinated that day)

SATURDAY, JUNE 11

7:30am  Breakfast with Exhibitors
8:00am  Welcome and Introductions – Margie Maeder, MD
8:15am  E. Stewart Taylor Lectureship
        Vulvar Dermatology Cases – Misha Miller, MD
8:55am  Management of Mental Health in the Perinatal Setting—Tools for the Obstetrician’s Toolbox –
        Camille Hoffman, MD, MSCS
9:35am  Break with Exhibitors

10:05am What’s That?! Obstetric Ultrasound Pearls and Pitfalls – Christy Pearce, MD
10:45am OPEN FORUM / PANEL:
      Dr. Camille Hoffman  Dr. Bob Palmer  Dr. Christy Pearce
11:25am Break

11:45am Oncofertility – Parenthood Options for Life after Cancer – Laxmi A. Kondapalli, MD MSCE
12:25pm Direct-Entry Midwifery in Washington State and the Smooth Transitions program – Bob Palmer, MD
1:05pm Wrap Up – Margie Maeder, MD
1:15pm Adjournment

Conference questions:  colo.acog@gmail.com
Register today:  www.acogvail2016.eventbrite.com
SPEAKER BIOS

**Bob Palmer, MD - Keynote Speaker ACOG Section VIII Chair**
Born & raised in Los Angeles, BS in Biological Sciences 1975 UC Irvine, MD 1983 Universidad Autonoma de Guadalajara, Fifth Pathway rotating internship 1984 UC Irvine, Residency in Gynecology & Obstetrics 1988 Emory University, Practiced Ob/Gyn with 3 CNMs and an ARNP in Port Angeles, WA for 17 years, practiced Gyn in Port Townsend for 8 years, OB Hospitalist with the Obstetrix Medical Group since June 2012, primarily at Swedish Medical Center in Seattle, and currently (since July 2016) at Deaconess in Spokane. Lives in a 770-square foot 1920s floating home on Lake Union, just north of downtown Seattle. Two grown kids, one an attorney for the City & Borough of Juneau (with a 32-month old granddaughter!), the other a Port Captain for Foss Maritime (ocean-going tug boats) living in Ballard (Seattle, you bet’cha). Hobbies include travel, wine and enjoying the arts. In his spare time he serves as the Chair of ACOG District VIII.

**Margie Maeder, MD – Course Director**
Dr. Maeder earned her undergraduate degree at Denison University in Ohio. She graduated from medical school in Cincinnati and moved to Denver. This is her third year as Course Director and she has been active in ACOG since 2008. Her passions in OB/GYN are family planning, birth control, basic infertility, and prenatal care.

**Glenn E. Bigsby IV, DO – Obesity as it Relates to Gynecologic Oncology**
Dr. Bigsby is board certified in Obstetrics and Gynecology and Gynecologic Oncology. A graduate of the Des Moines University School of Osteopathic Medicine in Iowa, Dr. Bigsby completed his residency at Michigan State University before joining the Florida Hospital Cancer Institute to complete his Fellowship. After nine years at the Gynecologic Oncology Division of Florida Hospital Cancer Institute, Dr. Bigsby opened a practice in his home state – The Colorado Center for Gynecologic Oncology.

**Gretchen Frey, MD – Care of the LGBT Patient**
Dr. Frey earned her undergraduate degree at CSU and her medical degree at UCHSC, where she also did her residency in OB/GYN. She has practiced in Denver since 1989. Her current practice comprises office gynecology with an integrative approach. Her areas of special interest and expertise include menopause and hormone replacement, pelvic pain and vulvodynia, sexual dysfunction, and care of the LGBT patient population.

**Mark Fogg, COPIC General Counsel – Hot Medical-Legal Topics in OB**
Mr. Fogg has practiced in Colorado for thirty-six years. He is currently General Counsel at COPIC, a company providing medical liability insurance and patient safety/risk management education. His practice was previously comprised of defense of healthcare-related claims including medical malpractice, medical board matters, anti-competitive claims, hospital related matters and risk management consulting while at Kennedy Childs & Fogg, P.C. from 1985-2011. He has lectured extensively in these areas. He was President of the Colorado Bar Association from 2012-2013. He was the President of the Denver Bar Association from 2008-2009 and received the Denver Bar Association Award of Merit in 2010 for extraordinary service to the legal profession and the administration of justice. He received the 2013 Best Corporate Counsel Award sponsored by the Denver Business Journal and the Association of Corporate Counsel. He received the 2011 CU Law Distinguished Alumni Award in private practice. He was lead counsel in over 200 civil and criminal jury trials.

**Julie C. Gelman, MD – SMART Stress**
Dr. Gelman is a Board Certified OB/GYN currently practicing gynecology, preventative women’s health and pelvic surgery. Practicing in Colorado for 20 years. Currently her office, Alpenglow Gynecology and Medical Spa, is in Littleton Colorado. Her undergraduate degree in nutritional biochemistry was from The University of Vermont. Medical school and Residency at George Washington University. Her focus on nutrition, exercise, stress reduction, and healthy living is woven into her work, family life and personal lifelong practice. Her personal experience with a near death medical condition eight years ago caused by stress, motivates her to continually learn methods of managing life’s stressful challenges. Today she will be sharing the SMART program, started by Dr. Amit Sood from The Mayo Clinic. She is very grateful for this opportunity and hopes you take home some wisdom.

**Camille Hoffman, MD, MSCS – Management of Mental Health in the Perinatal Setting – Tools for the Obstetrician’s Toolbox**
Dr. Hoffman an Assistant Professor of Maternal Fetal Medicine in the University of Colorado Departments of Obstetrics & Gynecology and Psychiatry. Dr. Hoffman completed medical school at the Medical University of South Carolina, obstetrics & gynecology residency at University of Miami, and her maternal fetal medicine fellowship at University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus. She runs a clinical and translational perinatal mental health research program at Denver Health that she established to investigate maternal-child mental health and to promote maternal-child wellness. Dr. Hoffman was awarded a Society for Maternal Fetal Medicine (SMFM) Pregnancy Foundation “Garite Mini-Sabbatical in Perinatal Mental Health” in 2014. She runs the SMFM Perinatal Mental Health online provider community forum, is the Social Media director for the International Marcé society for Perinatal Mental Health, and serves as Principal Investigator or co-investigator on several funded maternal-child mental health research grants. Dr. Hoffman lives in the Rocky Mountain front-range with her husband, two preschool aged children, many bicycles, and a herd of alpacas.
Laxmi Kondapalli, MD, MSCE – Oncofertility – Parenthood Options for Life after Cancer
Dr. Laxmi Kondapalli joined the Colorado Center for Reproductive Medicine in 2014. She completed her undergraduate degree at the University of Michigan and received her medical degree from the University of Vermont College of Medicine. She completed her Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility fellowship and received a Master of Science degree in Clinical Epidemiology at the University of Pennsylvania in 2011. Her research interests center on fertility preservation, ovarian response to medical therapies, and assisted reproduction outcomes. Dr. Kondapalli is board certified in Obstetrics and Gynecology and the subspecialty Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility. She is also a Clinical Assistant Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology at the University of Colorado.

Matthew A. Metz, MD, FACS – Obesity and OB/GYN – Issues for patients and providers
Dr. Metz is a Board-Certified, Fellowship Trained, Bariatric Surgeon. He is certified as a Bariatric Surgery Center of Excellence Surgeon by the American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgeons and also named a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons. He led Parker Adventist Hospital to achieve the designation as a Bariatric Surgery Center of Excellence (BSCOE). Dr. Metz was recruited to Denver from the Cleveland Clinic, one of the most well-known Minimally Invasive and Bariatric Surgery Fellowships in the country. Dr. Metz specializes in Advanced Laparoscopic and Endoscopic Procedures and Laparoscopic Roux-en-Y gastric bypass, adjustable gastric banding, sleeve gastrectomy, single incision laparoscopic procedures (SILS™), revisions, and advanced endoscopic cases. He is the first bariatric surgeon in the region to offer the laparoscopic loop duodenal switch, and continues to have one of the lowest complication rates in the region, despite being a surgeon who specializes in high-risk, complex cases.

Misha Miller, MD – Vulvar Dermatology Cases
Dr. Miller earned her medical degree at Mayo Medical School. She then completed training in Obstetrics and Gynecology at UT Southwestern Medical Center. After practicing as a general OB/GYN for five years, Dr. Miller re-entered residency in Dermatology at the University of Colorado. Upon completion of her Dermatology residency, Dr. Miller completed a fellowship in Mohs Micrographic Surgery. She now works at the University of Colorado with a focus on vulvar dermatology in the vaginitis/vulvitis clinic as well as in the department of Dermatology, section of Mohs Micrographic and Dermatologic Surgery.

Christy Pearce, MD – What’s That?! Obstetric Ultrasound Pearls and Pitfalls
Dr. Christy Pearce is board certified in both Ob/Gyn and Maternal Fetal Medicine. She practices Maternal Fetal Medicine in Colorado Springs. She was born and raised in Alabama, and attended Samford University in Birmingham, AL. She graduated from University of Alabama at Birmingham Medical School and moved to Chattanooga, TN to complete Ob/Gyn residency at University of Tennessee. She completed her fellowship in Maternal Fetal Medicine at the University of Kentucky in 2012. She enjoys spending time with her husband and three children. They are outside as much as they can be: hiking, skiing, and just playing at the park.

Robert K. Zurawin, MD – Laparoscopic Surgery – Pearls and Practical Tips
Dr. Robert K. Zurawin is an Associate Professor in the division of Gynecology at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, Texas. He received his medical degree with honors from Baylor College of Medicine in 1977 and completed his residency at Baylor in 1982. Dr. Zurawin served as Chief of Minimally Invasive Gynecologic at Baylor College of Medicine. He created the fellowship in Minimally Invasive Surgery and the fellowship in Pediatric and Adolescent Gynecology at Baylor. Dr. Zurawin specializes in minimally invasive surgery with particular interest in uterine fibroids, endometriosis and alternative procedures to hysterectomy as well as urinary incontinence, pelvic organ prolapse and is a recognized expert in robotic surgery.
Earn up to 10.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™

Upon conclusion of this activity, participants should be able to:

1. Diagnose, apply treatments, decide appropriate referrals, and manage clinical presentations of gynecologic cancers, vulvar disorders, fertility care for the complex medical patient, and health concerns in the LGBT patient.

2. Explore and troubleshoot difficult laparoscopic and hysteroscopic procedures and develop improved documentation and care after reviewing legal issues in OB and GYN.

3. Identify and counsel patients on the effects of mental illness and bariatric surgery before, during and after pregnancy.

4. Train with the techniques in SMART for stress reduction in our own lives.

5. Develop collaborative practices with DEMs using Washington State as an example.

CME Credit

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of the Colorado Medical Society and ACOG Colorado Section. The Colorado Medical Society is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The Colorado Medical Society designates this live activity for a maximum of 10.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™.

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ACOG Golf Outing

Thursday, June 9
10:30 a.m.

Join your ACOG colleagues at the Eagle Vail Golf Club for this year’s ACOG Golf Outing. Guests are also welcome to participate in this golf outing! The cost for the 18-hole course is $79 per player, which includes a cart. Payment can be made directly at the course that day, but we ask that you register so we can make the appropriate number of tee-times. Please go to: www.acoggolf.eventbrite.com

We will meet at the Sonnenalp at 10 a.m. OR directly at the course at 10:30 a.m. If you need to rent clubs, they are available on-site for an additional $45. Lunch is also available at the half-way house and can be ordered after hole #9.

If you have questions, feel free to email: colo.acog@gmail.com.

Register at:
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Going on in Vail that weekend …

Bring the family, they’ll have plenty to do!

About the GoPro Mountain Games
The country’s largest celebration of adventure sports, music, and the mountain lifestyle returns once again when The GoPro Mountain Games returns to Vail, June 9-12, 2016. Professional and amateur outdoor adventure athletes from the Vail Valley and around the world will converge upon the mountains and rivers of Vail to compete in nine sports and 25 disciplines including: x-country and road cycling, freestyle, 8-Ball, sprint and extreme kayaking, raft cross, World Cup Bouldering, stand up paddle sprint and surf cross, as well as trail, mud and road running, dog comps and the Ultimate Mountain Challenge. In addition to the athletic events, the GoPro Mountain Games will include mountain photography competitions, film festival, interactive exhibits, live music, and mountain parties. FREE CONCERTS EVERY NIGHT THURS. TO SAT. 5 MINUTE WALK FROM THE SONNENALP HOTEL. Check out www.mountaingames.com for more info!
Kenneth Gottesfeld Memorial Reception

Ken Gottesfeld was born in 1938 in Denver, Colorado, the son of Dr. M. Ray and Ida Gottesfeld. He attended East High School and then matriculated to Amherst College and received his BA in 1958. Ken was admitted to the University of Colorado School of Medicine and graduated in 1962. He had a rotating internship at New York’s Mount Sinai Hospital and then returned to Denver for a 4 year residency in Ob/GYN at the University of Colorado, under Dr. E. Stewart Taylor. It was during this time that Ken was assigned to work on a new modality, ultrasound, in the basement of the old University Hospital.

Following a stint as a major in the Army Medical Corps in Beaumont, Texas, he returned to Denver and had an appointment in both the Departments of Ob/GYN and Radiology. After several years, he joined his older brother Stuart in private practice in Denver. Ken continued to work at the University of Colorado giving daily conferences and training to the Ob/GYN and Radiology residents.

During his lifetime, Ken was recognized internationally as a pioneer in obstetrical ultrasound. He was the first in the world to use ultrasound to discover multiple fetuses and fetal demise. Ken wrote numerous articles and traveled the country teaching ultrasound courses alongside other pioneers, John Hobbins and Larry Platt.

The American Institute of Ultrasound selected Ken in 1984 as its third honoree to be included in its Memorial Hall of Fame, a tribute made to a creative and devoted physician, research scientist, who has contributed to the field of ultrasound in medicine.

Ken died in a skiing accident on February 1, 1984. In recognition of his work, an antenatal testing center at Rose Medical Center, a lectureship, and an academic prize were established in his name. Ken had a son David, who preceded him in death. Ken’s daughters, Dana and Lisa, continue to live in Denver, as does his widow, Joan Zapiler.

E. Stewart Taylor Lectureship

E. STEWART TAYLOR, MD BIOGRAPHY

Dr. Edward Stewart Taylor (Aug. 20, 1911 — Feb. 5, 2014) was chairman of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology at the University of Colorado from 1947 to 1976. He volunteered at first as a faculty member of the University of Colorado School of Medicine and later became full-time head of the obstetrics and gynecology department.

During his 29-year career as chairman, Taylor trained approximately one-third of the obstetrics and gynecology clinicians in the Denver area. Many of his residents entered sub-specialty training programs and became leaders in departments of obstetrics and gynecology throughout the United States.

When he began his career in academic medicine in the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology at the University of Colorado, Taylor recognized that infant mortality was caused primarily by premature birth and low birth weight and that the condition was linked to pregnancy complications and adverse socioeconomic factors. Working with Dr. Harry Gordon, the first full-time professor of pediatrics at the University of Colorado, Dr. Taylor encouraged the close collaboration of obstetricians and pediatricians in the care of mothers and infants. They especially encouraged care of mothers with pregnancy complications.

Dr. Taylor also worked with Dr. Joseph Holmes, professor of medicine, to establish the University of Colorado as one of the premier centers for research and clinical use of ultrasound. Dr. Taylor and his colleagues published several of the first reports on the use of diagnostic ultrasound in obstetrical and gynecological patients in the United States.

Dr. Taylor and his colleague, Dr. Paul Bruns, recruited to the CU medical campus a team to study fetal physiology and fetal growth and their potential relationship to fetal and infant mortality. Through Dr. Taylor’s leadership, the department was on the forefront of prenatal diagnosis of fetal abnormalities using amniotic fluid analysis and ultrasound examination.

In 1943, he was appointed a surgeon in the 107th Evacuation Hospital in General George Smith Patton’s U.S. Third Army throughout the European Theater of World War II. Dr. Taylor was awarded five battle stars: Normandy, France, Ardien, Rhine and Germany. After the war ended, Dr. Taylor moved to Denver with his family.