Travis County Medical Society

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MEMBER spotlight

Dr. James Todd Walker
Orthopedic Surgeon

Being a surgeon is the ideal career for Dr. James Walker as he loves to fix things with his hands. “I absolutely love my job! As an orthopedic surgeon, I get the chance to genuinely know my patients and help fix a musculoskeletal problem that is seriously affecting their lives,” Walker explains. “I get to see quick results and my patients are extremely happy.”

To Walker, TCMS membership is a responsible part of being a citizen of this community—both the medical community and the Austin community. “I grew up in Austin and sincerely care about the medical care provided to this community. My family still lives here, my wife is a doctor here, and my brother works here,” Walker emphasizes. “This community means everything to me and my family.” **Read more.**

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Member Applicants

View information and photos of [new TCMS members.]





Annual TCMS Trunk-n-Treat
Bring Your Goblins
OR Hand Out Treats!

Date: Sunday, Oct. 27
Time: 3 pm to 5 pm
Place: Riverbend Church Children's Center (indoors), 4214 N Capital of Texas Hwy, Austin, 78746

There are two ways to join the fun!

1. Bring your costumed goblins to this "spirited" family Halloween event. Your family will walk to decorated tables to gather treats, play games and enjoy a bounce house.
2. Decorate a table and hand out treats to the physicians and their families.

Sign Up!

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Travis and Williamson County Medical Societies Host Joint Social

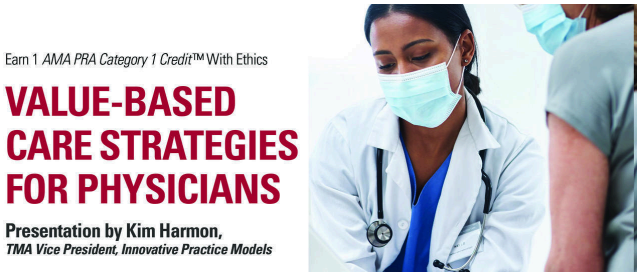
This is a unique opportunity to meet colleagues from Williamson County Medical Society. We believe that by coming together, we can strengthen our medical community.

Expand your professional network and build lasting relationships, while enjoying refreshments at a fun venue.

Please RSVP by Monday, October 7 to ensure we have ample provisions for everyone.

Date: Thursday, October 17
Time: 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM
Location: Spare Birdie Cedar Park, *1400 Discovery Blvd, Cedar Park, TX 78613*

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TCMS Virtual Business of Medicine Presentation: Value-Based Care Strategies for Physicians

Thursday, October 31 | 12:00 - 1:00 PM: Virtual - Zoom

Speaker: Kim Harmon,
TMA Vice President, Innovative Practice Models

Course Objectives:
1. Recognize local opportunities for collaboration to manage population health; and
2. Contract for value-based care payment models.

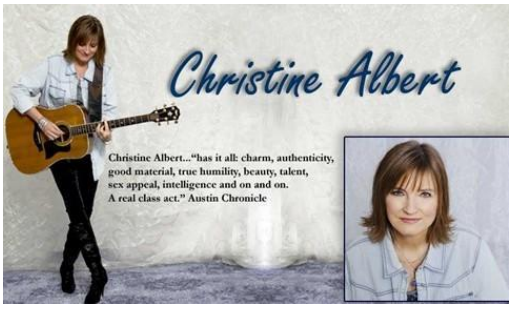
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CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION:
The Texas Medical Association is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

TMA designates this live activity for a maximum of 1 AMA PRA Category 1 CreditTM. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

The Texas Medical Association designates this activity for up to 1 hour in the area of ethics and/or professional responsibility education.



Retired Physician's Organization (RPO) October Luncheon

Date: Tuesday, October 15, 2024
Time: 11:30 am
Place: Tarrytown Methodist Church
Cost: $25 per person (non-refundable)

Please join us as we welcome Christine Albert, singer, songwriter, and co-founder of Swan Songs, a non-profit program that fulfills musical wishes at the end of life by organizing private concerts for individuals with a terminal illness.

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Dates:
Nov. 7: 8 am to 4:45 pm,
(followed by reception)
Nov. 8: 8 am to 11 am
Meals provided

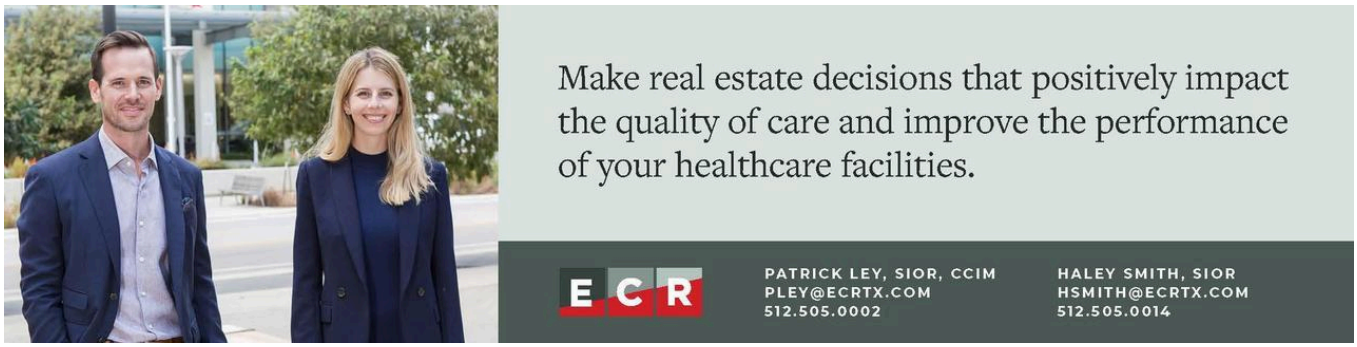
This event presents an opportunity for healthcare professionals to stay up to date on the latest advances in the treatment and management of clinical topics relevant to both inpatient and outpatient practice. The one and a half day conference is led by Dell Medical School's Department of Internal Medicine faculty members, and filled with valuable information that will help to improve your practice and provide optimal care to your patients.

Sessions offered in large group and breakout formats. Participants will receive up to 8.25 CME credits, including a .75 medical ethics credit and a .75 pain management and opioids credit.

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