

USF HEALTH

ANNUAL REPORT CPE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

July 1, 2006 – June 30, 2007

The full CPE Advisory Committee met two (2) times during this period. The Subcommittee, that reviews new applications, program budgets and evaluations from completed activities, also met two (2) times during the same period.

The priorities for the year included implementing the new ACCME Commercial Support Standards; implementing the new ACCME Educational Outcomes Measurements (EOMs); encouraging the faculty/staff to transition CPD activities to “hands-on” skill courses or those using simulation-based learning; seeking out new program opportunities and continuing to work with the developer on the Center for Advanced Medical Learning and Simulation (CAMLs).

Accomplishments Related to Continuing Medical Education:

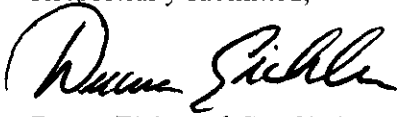
1. Implementation of a new system that allows for automatic payment online for CPD activities.
2. Sponsorship of 380 CME activities and 41 grand rounds that reached 25,327 physicians and 16,960 non physicians. Relationships with the affiliate hospitals continue to strengthen with an unprecedented program partnership between the USF OCPD and TGH.
3. USF OCPD offered a series of live courses for the Grand Rounds Coordinators to review current ACCME standards related to Regularly Scheduled Conferences (RSCs).
4. The activity evaluation forms were redesigned into a more succinct, user friendly format. The new evaluation is a database to store information such as needs assessment, outcomes data, speaker evaluations, etc. that can now be used for future program planning/evaluation.
5. The OCPD purchased SimMan and is working closely with the Center for Advanced Clinical Learning to incorporate the use of simulation in CPD activities. Several courses have already been offered: 1) ACLS; 2) BLS; 3) PALS; 4) TNCC; and a planning committee has been formed with the department of Cardiology to develop the content for a cardiac stenting program that will validate competency using simulation. The OCPD has applied to the AHA to become a training center for ACLS, BLS and PALS.

Accomplishments Related to Center for Advanced Medical Learning and Simulation (CAMLs):

1. Transitioned from MSSC to Health Professions Conferencing Corporation (HPCC). Final separation is anticipated mid-August, 2007.
2. Created a new financial database for HPCC based on accrual accounting methods.
3. Developed strategic partnerships with several companies with respect to in CAMLS (simulation/surgical training), i.e. Stryker, Covidian (US Surgical), General Electric.

4. Continued refining the design for CAMLS and working with the developer and main campus to finalize contracts and financing.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Duane Eicher". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "D" and "E".

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CPE Advisory Committee