



Physician Invitation to Attend

About SAM

Florida Podiatric Medical Association invites you to attend the annual Science & Management Symposium (SAM) taking place February 1 - 5, 2023 at Disney's Coronado Springs Resort in Lake Buena Vista, Florida.

FPMA's educational mission is to promote continuing education in podiatric medicine, podiatric surgery, and practice management through workshops and seminars. Our commitment is to increase knowledge by offering every registrant the educational assistance needed to improve care for their patients and be successful in practice by promoting the benefits of scientific advancement in the treatment, prevention, and alleviation of podiatric ailments.

The intended audience of the SAM 2023 conference is Doctors of Podiatric Medicine and Podiatric Residents.

SAM Physician Registration includes access to all lectures and the Exhibit Hall, as well as lunch for designated days throughout the conference. Physicians must be registered for the entire program to attend any portion of the program.

Hotel Information

Disney's Coronado Springs Resort

1000 W. Buena Vista Drive, Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830

February 1 - 5, 2023

The SAM 2023 hotel room rate is \$269.00 for Gran Destino Tower and \$210.00 for Casitas (single/double).

To make your hotel reservation, call Disney's Coronado Springs Resort Reservations Team at (407) 939-4686 and mention "FPMA SAM Conference" OR go to <https://mydisneygroup.com/fpma2023>

The last day to register for the conference is January 6, 2023. After this date, attendees will be required to register on-site.

Cancellation Policy

Cancellation requests must be made in writing and received by **January 6, 2023**. No refunds are available for no-shows or cancellations received after **January 6, 2023**. Refunds will be processed after the event.

Lecture Highlights

The SAM 2023 schedule will feature new and specific lecture tracks including:

Wound Care | Peripheral Neuropathy | Vascular | General Medicine | Biomechanics | Sports Medicine | Surgical | Laws & Rules (required) | Risk Management (required)

The full conference schedule will be made available at fpmasamconference.com.

CECH Information

FPMA is approved by the Council on Podiatric Medical Education (CPME) as a provider of continuing education in podiatric medicine. Total possible Continuing Education Contact Hours (CECH) will be posted on the SAM conference website at fpmasamconference.com/physician-information once the SAM 2023 schedule is finalized and approved.

The current biennium runs from April 1, 2022 - March 31, 2024. As such, current Florida podiatric licenses will expire at midnight, Eastern Time, on March 31, 2024.

CECH will be calculated hour-per-hour based on courses where attendance has been verified. Once the conference has concluded and all CECH are verified, CECH will be submitted to CE Broker on behalf of attendees who are currently licensed in the state of Florida. Attendees not licensed in Florida will receive a Certificate of Attendance, which will provide a listing of CECH earned.

Additional Programs:

Help your staff help you.

(go to fpmasamconference.com/assistant-information to access the SAM Assistant Information page)

Podiatric X-Ray Assistants

FPMA will be offering a Podiatric X-Ray Assistant program on Saturday, February 4, 2023 during SAM 2023. The eight-hour course (which will include a two-hour mandatory Medical Errors course) is for Initial Licensure and Recertification of Podiatric X-Ray Assistants. The examination for the Initial Licensure of Podiatric X-Ray Assistants will be offered on Sunday, February 5, the final day of SAM 2023.

Podiatric Medical Assistants (Front/Back)

This program will cover all of the skills and tools necessary to help your office staff run an efficient practice.

Physician Attendee Fees

	By 12/6/22	After 12/6/22
FPMA Member	\$0	\$100
FPMA Life Member	\$135	\$235
APMA Member	\$475	\$575
APMA Life Member	\$250	\$350
Non-APMA Member	\$975	\$1,075
Student	\$25	\$25
FPMA/APMA Resident	\$50	\$75
Non-FPMA/APMA Resident	\$150	\$175
Friend of FPMA/Federal Services	\$100	\$200

	1st Assistant By 12/06/22	2nd Assistant By 12/06/22	3rd Assistant By 12/06/22	Any Assistant After 12/06/22
Initial course for certification by Florida Board of Podiatric Medicine.	\$175	\$160	\$140	\$190
Recertification: Florida Board of Podiatric Medicine	\$175	\$160	\$140	\$190

	1st Assistant By 12/06/22	2nd Assistant By 12/06/22	3rd Assistant By 12/06/22	Any Assistant After 12/06/22
Front Office Assistant	\$175	\$160	\$140	\$190
Back Office Assistant	\$175	\$160	\$140	\$190