



The Spokane County Medical Society offers Category I CME programs to physicians and physician extenders in Spokane and the surrounding area. The results are listed as follows, and will aid in determining the curriculum for 2010:

**1. Category I CME programs must discover and meet the educational gaps (needs) of physicians both locally and nationally. In what areas of medicine do you think local physicians could use updates to improve overall clinical performance? Or, what areas of medicine would you like SCMS to provide CME programs? (Choose all that apply.) In 2011, we will focus one of the educational hours solely on chronic care management.**

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| 19% Cardiology                      | <b>24% Medical Home Model</b>    | 9% Oncology         |
| 18% Dermatology                     | 15% Mental Health                | 18% Orthopedics     |
| 7% Emergency Medicine               | 6% Moderate (Conscious) Sedation | 19% Pain Management |
| <b>25% Endocrinology / Diabetes</b> | 15% Nephrology                   | 3% Pathology        |
| 13% Gastroenterology                | <b>24% Neurology</b>             | 18% Pediatrics      |
| <b>22% Geriatrics</b>               | <b>25% New Drug Therapies</b>    | 15% Rheumatology    |
| 21% Infectious Disease              | 9% OB/GYN                        | 15% Sleep Disorders |

Other: Spine, Surgery, Urology, ACO, Anti-aging, Psychiatry

**2. My preferred day to attend a 3-hour CME program is (pick one):**

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| 18% Monday PM | 18% Tuesday PM | <b>35% Wednesday PM</b> | 30% Thursday PM | 20% Saturday AM |
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**3. My preferred learning style is:**

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| <b>47% Lecture</b> | 32% Case presentation | 4% Group discussion | 9% On-line |
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**4. What is the most important consideration when choosing to attend a CME program?**

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|------------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|---------|
| <b>81% Topic</b> | 15% Speaker | 4% Location | 7% Day of week | 7% Time of Day | 7% Cost |
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**5. How do you prefer to get CME communication?**

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| 25% Mailed CME Brochure | <b>62% Emailed Flyer</b> | 12% Faxed Flyer | 0% Poster at Hospital | 1% SCMS Website |
| 3% Medicor Notices      | 4% SCMS Newsletter       |                 |                       |                 |

**6. In 2010, SCMS started using a paperless syllabus. All program participants received the syllabus on CD at the program. SCMS made the presentations available online on the SCMS website for participants to download and print prior to the meeting as they desired. Do you prefer the syllabus on CD to save on paper?**

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| <b>81% Yes</b> | 15% No |
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**8. Any additional comments regarding SCMS CME programs:**

Would like AAFP credit, programs are too expensive, many computers do not have a CD drive in them anymore – need to change CD syllabi to something else.