



2024 ACADEMY FALL CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

September 20-22, 2024
Emory University, Atlanta, GA

Friday, Sept 20	
5:00-6:00 PM	Registration Open Emory School of Medicine (SOM) Lobby
6:00-7:30 PM	Keynote Address: A Heart to Heart Talk: Blazing a Trail In Cardiopulmonary Physical Therapy for the Next Generations Emory SOM 110 <i>Ellen Hillegass, PT, EdD, CCS, FAPTA</i>
7:30-10:00 PM	Networking Event: <i>Dinner Buffet and Limited Bar Provided (Wine, Beer, Cider)</i> <i>Guest Registration Available for \$40/person</i> Emory SOM Lobby/Terrace
Saturday, Sept 21	
7:00-7:30 AM	Breakfast/Registration Emory SOM Lobby
7:30-9:00 AM	Exercise and Chronic Lung Disease: A Partnership for an Active Life! Emory SOM 110 <i>Anne Swisher, PT, PhD, FAPTA; Kari DiVito PT, DPT, CCS</i>
9:00-9:15 AM	Break
9:15-10:45 AM	<div>The Brain and Heart Connection: Understanding Neurologic Injuries and Cardiac Arrhythmias in Patient Care Emory SOM 110 <i>Caitlyn Anderson, PT, DPT, NCS, GCS; Connie Kittleson, PT, DPT</i></div> <div>QI and Clinical Research: Significance, Sustainability, Sway, and Scholarship Emory SOM 120 <i>Brooke Wilson, PT, DPT, CCS; Traci Betts, PT, DPT, CCS;</i></div>
10:45-11:00 AM	Break
11:00-12:30 PM	<div>Interdisciplinary Management of Heart Failure in the Older Adult Across the Continuum Emory SOM 110</div> <div>CBE in CVP: A Roadmap to Use the CVP Competencies in Your Program Emory SOM 120 <i>Matthew Bowman, PT, DPT, CCS, Pamela Bartlo, PT, DPT, CCS</i></div>



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12:30-2:30 PM	Lunch (On Your Own) & Networking	
2:30-4:00 PM	CVP Case Studies: A Resident-Led Learning Event Emory SOM 110 Katherine Abbott PT, DPT; Chané van Straaten PT, DPT	
4:00-4:15 PM	Break	
4:15-5:45 PM	Share Your CVP Passion: Why You Should Become a PAD Beacon for the PT Profession Emory SOM 110 Angela Campbell PT, DPT, CCS	
6:30-8:30 PM	Optional Networking Social (Meal and Drinks will be on your own) School House Brewery- The Gymnasium	
Sunday, Sept 22		
7:00-8:00 AM	Breakfast/Networking Emory SOM Lobby	
8:00-9:30 AM	Boosting Cardiac Surgery Success: Physical Therapists' Role in Frailty Assessment & Prehabilitation Emory SOM 110 Deanna McIntire, PT, MHS; Marc Burkard, PT, CCS	The Ins and Outs of Ventilation: Case Study Application of Mechanical Ventilation and Oxygen Administration Emory SOM 120 Ashley Parish, PT, DPT, CCS; Naomi Bauer, PT, DPT; Ann Fick, PT, DPT, MS; Ellen A. Hillegass, PT, PhD, FAPTA
9:30-10:00 AM	Break/Networking	
10:00-11:30 PM	Complex Cases with Mechanical Circulatory Support Devices Emory SOM 110	The Misfits: POTS, Sarcoidosis, and Intractable (Refractory) Orthostatic Hypotension Emory SOM 120 Haley Ashton, PT, DPT



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	<i>Meghan Gushurst, PT, DPT, CCS; Jennifer Salsgiver, PT, DPT, CCS; Hector Uriostegui, PT, DPT; Bryan Lohse, PT, DPT, CCS</i>	
11:30-12:00 PM	Wrap-Up	