

Registration

Online registration can be accessed at **cme.ahn.org**:

Click on **Courses**, then scroll down or type **19th Annual Chronic Wound Conference** and click on **Register**. The registration fee includes the course materials, continental breakfast, lunch, parking, and break refreshments.

Fees

- Fellows, residents, and students: \$50
- AHN health care professionals and social workers: \$100
- AHN physicians: \$225
- Non-AHN health care professionals: \$150
- Non-AHN physicians: \$250

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Conference overview

This year’s agenda is packed with vital sessions that address key areas in wound care, including a live demonstration using point of care ultrasound in vascular testing, wound care strategies for patients undergoing radiation treatment, interesting case presentations, and more. A highlight of the event is the presentation by Stephen H. Bailey, MD, chair of the AHN Cardiovascular Institute. This conference is ideal for physicians, cardiologists, vascular technicians, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, nurses, physical therapists, occupational therapists, speech therapists, and all others involved in wound management and patient care.

Conference objectives

- Review innovative treatment modalities, emerging technologies, and current practices
- Analyze case studies to formulate differential diagnoses and treatment plans

CME accreditation

Physicians

Allegheny General Hospital is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Approved for 6.0 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*.

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CE for physical therapists application has been approved for 6.0 credit hours.

Program agenda

7 – 8 a.m.	Registration, breakfast, and visit exhibits
8 – 8:05 a.m.	Welcome and conference overview Elisa C. Taffe, MD, CWSP, FSVM
8:05 – 9 a.m.	Pedal acceleration time: a new option for evaluation of peripheral arterial disease with live demonstration Satish Muluk, MD, and Nina Dongilli, RN
9 – 9:15 a.m.	Case presentation
9:15 – 10:15 a.m.	Orthopaedic malignancies and wound complications Lisa Ercolano, MD
10:15 – 10:45 a.m.	Break and visit exhibits
10:45 – 11:45 a.m.	What to do about the incontinence problem: how pelvic floor PT can help Colleen Schomburg, MPT
11:45 a.m. – noon	The state of health care Stephen H. Bailey, MD
Noon – 1 p.m.	Lunch and visit exhibits
1 – 1:15 p.m.	Case presentation: lipedema
1:15 – 1:30 p.m.	Understand lipedema Sung-ah Keppel, PT, DPT
1:30 – 2 p.m.	Xylazine associated wounds: care and clinical considerations Divya Venkat, MD, and Emily Baldwin, RN
2 – 2:30 p.m.	There is more to remembering than memory Faye Markovich, SLP
2:30 – 3 p.m.	Break and visit exhibits
3 – 3:15 p.m.	Case presentation
3:15 – 4 p.m.	Management of edema/optimizing volume in patients with significant lower extremity swelling complicated by skin breakdown Amresh Raina, MD
4 p.m.	Closing remarks and raffle drawing

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