



**With American College of Disability Medicine Presents
AMA Guides 6th Ed Training on September 9, 2012 ~ Montreal, Canada**

Who Should Attend?

Physicians/Surgeons of all specialties,
Lawyers, Judges, Physical Therapists,
Claims Managers, Claims Examiners,
Disability Evaluators and Nurses

Venue: Centre Mont-Royal Conference Center
2200, Rue Mansfield
Montreal, Canada
Telephone: 514-844-2000

Registration Form

Sun, Sept 9 RVW1 (8am-4:30pm) US \$495.00

ABIME certification exam (CIME™) is optional

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Invitation from Mohammed Ranavaya, MD, JD, MS, FRCP

Professor and Chief, Division of Occupational and Disability Medicine
Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, Marshall University, Huntington, WV

Please accept my invitation to attend a comprehensive AMA Guides 6th edition training program in Montreal, Canada, September 9, 2012. We at Marshall University have assembled a world renowned faculty that has served as editor and primary author of the 6th edition of the AMA Guides that would be teaching the courses.

The faculty will be presenting the first-hand knowledge of how the 6th edition was developed including the rationale behind the major changes in this new edition of the AMA Guides. You will hear practical information on how these changes will impact the impairment rating outcomes. The program is designed for a multi-disciplinary audience. Anyone involved in performing, reviewing or managing impairment ratings, need to attend this high quality educational program.

Whether you are a beginner or experienced user of the AMA Guides, you will find this training very useful in enhancing your skills to perform a high quality, valid impairment rating using the AMA guides 6th edition. I look forward to seeing you there.

Mohammed Ranavaya, MD, JD, MS, FRCP, FFOM - President, ABIME

AMA Guides 6th Edition, Program Schedule

- 7:30 a.m.** Registration and Coffee
- 8:00 a.m.** Key Concepts in AMA Guides Chapters 1 and 2. Review the Methodology, appropriate use and practical application of the AMA Guides, 6th edition. Definitions including MMI, Impairment vs. Disability, Causation, Apportionment and Aggravation. Structure and Use of the Guides Process for Body System Permanent Impairment Assessment
- 9:45 a.m.** Discussion, Q/A
- 10:00 a.m.** Refreshment Break
- 10:15 a.m.** Spine impairment Rating, Chapter 17, Methodology of Assessment and impairment Rating with Case Presentations
- 12:00 p.m.** Lunch (own your own)
- 1:15 p.m.** The Upper Limb Impairment Rating, Chapter 15- Methodology ó Case Studies
- 2:45 p.m.** Coffee & Refreshment Break
- 3:00 p.m.** The Lower Limb Impairment Rating, Chapter 16- Methodology ó Case Studies
- 4:00 p.m.** The Nervous System impairment rating using AMA Guides Methodology
- 4:30 p.m.** Adjourn

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AMA Guides (RVW1) course is specifically designed to educate and prepare physicians in the use of the AMA Guides to the Evaluation of Permanent Impairment and the Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine designates this activity for a maximum of 8 hours of Category 1 CME Credit.

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Certification through the American Board of Independent Medical Examiners (ABIME) sets you apart as an Internationally recognized medical examiner. ABIME certification represents the pinnacle of professional competency and integrity, instilling greater client confidence in your capabilities and identifying you as an experienced doctor who understands the unique issues of disability evaluation. Doctors certified by ABIME meet the demand for quality, impartial impairment and disability evaluations. Exam will be offered from 5:00p.m.-8:30p.m. on Sunday, September 9, 2012 in Montreal, Canada. Exam requires separate application. Please visit www.abime.org for details and the application process.

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