



American College of Independent Medical Examiners & American Board of Independent Medical Examiners Invites You to Attend AMA Guides to the Evaluation of Permanent Impairment, 6th Ed. **AND** Other IME Skills Training May 4-5, 2019 ~ Best Western Plus Inn, Western Philadelphia, PA



AMA Guides 6th Ed Training **Who Should Attend?**

Physicians/Surgeons of all specialties,
Attorneys, Judges, Physical Therapists,
Disability Evaluators and Nurses


This AMA Guides 6th ed. course is specifically designed to educate and prepare physicians in the use of the AMA Guides to the Evaluation of Permanent Impairment 6th ed. to successfully perform IREs in Pennsylvania.

Venue: Best Western Plus Inn,
The Inn at King of Prussia
Western Philadelphia
127 South Gulph Road
King of Prussia, PA 19406
Guest Reservations:
PH: 866-238-4218

A Certificate attesting to the training in the AMA Guides 6th Ed. by the American Board suitable for wall framing would be granted to each Attendee of the Program.

Don't Wait! Register Today!

Register online at www.abime.org and Click on the ABIME Online Store link OR Print, Complete and Fax Page 2 of this form to 304-733-5243, OR Mail form to:
6470-A Merritts Creek Road, Huntington, WV 25702
If You Have Any Questions Call 304-733-0095
OR E-mail: info@abime.org

 This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of MUJCESOM and ABIME. The MUJCESOM is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians and designates this activity for a maximum of 8 hours of Category 1 CME Credit for each day.

Course Director's Invitation

Please accept our invitation to attend a comprehensive training program for the American Medical Association Guides to the Evaluation of Permanent Impairment (AMA Guides) 6th ed. ABIME has assembled a world renowned faculty that has served as one of the editors and primary author of the 6th edition of the AMA Guides.

You will hear practical information on how to use the AMA Guides to rate permanent impairment. 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. We look forward to seeing you there,

**Mohammed I. Ranavaya, MD, JD, MS, FFOM, FRCPI, CIME -
President ABIME**

AMA Guides 6th Edition, PROGRAM SCHEDULE Course Code OVW6

May 4, 2019

- 7:30 a.m. Registration and Coffee
- 8:00 a.m. Welcome, Introduction and review of course objectives
- 8:05 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
- 9:45 a.m. Refreshment Break
- 10:00 a.m. Spine impairment Rating, Chapter 17, Methodology of Assessment and Impairment Rating with Case Presentations
- 11:15 p.m. The Upper Limb - Chapter 15 Methodology
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch and Learn with faculty Post session Evaluation-- Brief quiz
- 1:00 p.m. The Upper Limb & Lower Limb Impairment Rating, Chapter 15-16
- 2:45 p.m. Coffee & Refreshment Break
- 3:00 p.m. The Nervous System impairment rating using AMA Guides Methodology
- 3:45 p.m. AMA Guides, 6th edition and the Psych impairment rating-- Methodology
- 4:30 p.m. Adjourn

NEW

AMA6 Based Complex Case Studies Workshop-May 5, 2019 Course Code AMA6Cs

This 8 hours 20 Complex Case Studies Workshop based on AMA6 methodology on Sunday, is designed to learn the practical use of the AMA Guides with audience participation using cases from all important chapters of AMA6 including musculoskeletal system, neurology, psychiatry and internal medicine.

Special

Additionally from 3pm to 4pm there would be a 1 hour Pennsylvania Related Experts Panel including: Judges, Attorneys and IRE Experts to discuss the most recent changes in Pennsylvania Legislation.

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How ABIME Certification Advances Your Career

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 physician who understands the unique issues of disability evaluation. Doctors certified by ABIME meet the demand for quality, impartial impairment and disability evaluations. 6th Ed Exam will be offered at this location from **4:30-8:30pm** on **May 5, 2019** and requires a separate application. Please visit www.abime.org for details and the application process.

ABIME Course Registration Form

<u>Course Code</u>	<u>Course Offerings</u>	<u>CME Credit</u>	<u>Course Fees:</u>
OVW6	AMA Guides 6th Edition One Day Training-- (US\$50 Discount for OVW6 Course - \$645 only) (US\$50 Discount for OVW6 Course - \$645 only- for current year ABIME Board of Registry Members)	8 Hours	\$695 US Funds
AMA6Cs	Advanced AMA6 Case Studies	8 Hours	\$695 US Funds
EXM	ABIME Certification Examination for CIME/CICE	N/A	\$995 US Funds
NON-PHY EXM	ABIME Certification Examination for Non-Physicians ONLY	N/A	\$350 US Funds

Please Note that the above listed course fees are for registrations received 2 weeks before the event.

Registrations received later than 2 weeks before the event and onsite registrations would result in an additional \$50 fee for each Workshop, \$75 fee for the Overview course and a \$100 fee for the Certification Review course.

Check the Course that you wish to attend:

Philadelphia, PA – May 4-5, 2019

- Sat, May 4 **OVW6 - AMA 6th (8am-4:30pm) - S\$695**
- Sun, May 5 **AMA6Cs (AMA6th Ed)(8am-4:00pm)- S\$695**
- Sun, May 5 **6th Ed EXM** (4:30pm-8:30pm) - US\$995**
- Sun, May 5 **6th NON-PHY EXM** (4:30–6:00 pm) - US\$350**

PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE FOR REGULAR UPDATES ON DATES AND TIMES FOR ALL PROGRAM EVENTS AND VENUES.

**A separate Examination Application must be completed in addition to this registration form. Please contact ABIME for an application.

Please note: Payment in full must accompany registration form.

Please print your NAME and DEGREE(s) like you would it to appear on your certificate.

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Middle Initial: _____ Degree(s): _____

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- Payment by Check:** Please make a separate check payable to **ABIME** for **Exam fee only**.
The Check for **Educational Tuition** fee only must be payable to **ACDM, Inc.**
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Card Number: _____ Expiration Date: ____/____/____ Card Verification Code: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Eligibility for ABIME Certification Examination

The ABIME Certification Examination follows the ABIME Certification Review Course at each site. At least 15 hours of ABIME sponsored course work must be completed in order to sit for the exam. A separate exam application must be submitted along with the required documents. The items listed on the exam application are required in order to complete your file and receive exam results. Please submit the proper documentation as soon as possible. Contact the ABIME office or download the exam application from the ABIME website: www.abime.org. Please note that the Exam Fee is non-refundable once it is paid and can only be transferred to another exam location within the same calendar year for a processing fee of US\$100. See the attached ABIME Course Registration form for details.

The Doctor's Exam fee is US\$995.00 --- **The Non-Doctor's Exam fee is US\$350.00**

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