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**AMA Guides to the Evaluation of Permanent Impairment, 4th Ed
With Review of AMA Guides 6th Ed. Psychiatric Impairment Rating**

Virtual Live Online Classroom & ABIME CIME Exam ~ November 4-5, 2023

AMA Guides 4th & 6th Ed Training

Who Should Attend?

Doctors/Surgeons of all specialties,
Attorneys, Judges, Neuropsychologists,
PT/OT, Disability Evaluators & Nurses

Tuition Fees:

- AMA 4th/6th - \$695.00 AMA4/6 Training – Nov. 4, 2023
- AMA4/6Cs - \$695.00 Complex Case Studies – Nov. 5

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The All Day Complex Case Studies based on AMA Guides 4th/6th edition Workshop on Sunday, November 5, 2023

is specifically designed for doctors of all specialties, as well as psychiatrists, psychologists, internal medicine, physiotherapist, occupational therapist, lawyers and others who have already been trained in the use of the AMA Guides and now want to take their skills to the next advanced level. This workshop will cover 20 case studies including psych, ENT, Eye and internal medicine cases that would enhance the skills beyond the initial training in the AMA Guides. Anyone who has attended a one or two day AMA Guides training previously should consider attending this new and Advanced Complex Case Studies workshop as it would help them advance their skills in the use of AMA 4/6.

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. A 4-hour Online Exam will be offered on November 5, 2023 and requires a separate application. Please visit www.abime.org for details and the application process.

Invitation from Professor Mohammed Ranavaya, MD, JD, FRCP

Please accept my invitation to attend a comprehensive AMA Guides 4th ed. training program with review of AMA Guides 6th ed. Psychiatric Impairment Rating customized for Ontario, Canada, Catastrophic Injuries (CAT) Assessment on November 4-5, 2023.

The faculty will be presenting practical information on how to perform high quality Independent Medical Evaluations (IME) and Impairment Rating using the AMA Guides 4th ed. Additionally, there will be a review of Psychiatric Impairment Rating using Mental & Behavioral disorders Chapter 14 of AMA Guides 6th Ed. The faculty will discuss the truly "hot issues" you may be encountering in your practices, including medico-legal issues, evaluating complex cases, and managing difficult impairment evaluation claimants. You will also learn practical tips on providing IME services and serving as an expert medical witness, and improving the quality of your medical reports.

This training will be provided as live lectures by video linked virtual seminar i.e. webinar with Zoom technology. The software is very simple and easy to work with. You will be connected to live class room with a simple click on your computer or other online device.

Following are some of the features of such training for you to consider:

1. Eight-hour long sessions would be carried out on Saturday and Sunday, very similar to the training seminars previously delivered in person.
2. I will be conducting this seminar live from our telehealth communication center on our professional Zoom webinar platform.
3. The training will begin at 8AM USA Eastern Standard time each day on Saturday/Sunday & conclude at 5:00 PM.
4. The tuition fees and other credits will remain the same just as live in person.
5. Each attendee will receive the same certificate of training from the American Board as the attendees of in person program receive. In other words, there will be no difference in this virtual training from live in person training.
6. Attendees will need an Internet connected computer or other device that can run Google Chrome browser or Microsoft Edge which is free to download.
7. This will be a live webinar by Zoom webinar technology and there will be no permission to record it. Only registered individuals would be permitted to attend.
8. The attendee would need to have a Webcam and microphone attached to their device. Each attendee would be monitored throughout the session to ensure the attendance and presence during the lecture for conference with CME rules. This would mimic a live training as nearly as possible.
9. Our IT team would provide easy to follow instruction and would also be available during the workshop to sort out any problems and trouble shoot any issues.
10. Each one of you would need an AMA Guides 4th & 6th ed. Book in front of you to learn, as I would directly teach from the books. There would not be any handout material.
11. Each attendee would be able to communicate directly with me and interact with other attendees during the seminar using Webcam and audio.
12. There will also be a secure online ABIME CIME exam for those of you who wish to sit for the exam. So, the entire ABIME CIME certification process can be done in a virtual environment.

**Mohammed Ranavaya, MD, JD, MS, FRCP, FFOM –
President, ABIME**

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

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

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<u>Please Check the Box of the Course that you wish to attend:</u>		<u>Tuition FEES:</u>
<u>Online Virtual Classroom – November 4-5, 2023</u>		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Sat, Nov. 4 AMA4/6 Training - (8am-5:00pm)	US \$695.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Sun, Nov. 5 AMA4/6Cs – Complex Case Studies (8am-4:30pm)	US \$695.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Sun, Nov. 5 Online EXM (Flexible 4-hour time block in a 24-hour Time window at the end of the training program)	US \$995.00
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AMA Guides 4th Edition Training Schedule–November 4, 2023 Course Code AMA4/6

7:45 a.m. **Virtual Classroom Opens – 15-minute flexible time to Link Up & Introduction**

TEACHING BEGINS AT 8:00 AM SHARP

- 8:00 a.m.** Welcome, Introduction and review of course objectives
- 8:10 a.m.** Key Concepts and Methodology of the AMA Guides 4th Ed. Chapters 1&2
- 9:30 a.m.** Questions and Answers
- 9:45 a.m.** Morning Break
- 10:00 a.m.** Upper Extremity Impairment Rating with Case Presentation
- 11:00 p.m.** Spine Impairment Rating with Case Presentation
- 12:00 p.m.** Lunch
- 12:45 p.m.** Lower Extremities Impairment Rating with Case Presentation
- 1:30 p.m.** Central Nervous System Impairment Rating with Case Presentation
- 2:15 p.m.** Afternoon Break
- 2:30 a.m.** Psychiatric Impairment Rating with case studies - AMA 6, Chapter 14
- 3:30 a.m.** Beyond Musculoskeletal Systems-AMA 4, Chapters 5-12
- 4:30 p.m.** Questions and Answers
- 5:00 p.m.** Adjourn

AMA4/6 Based Complex Case Studies Workshop–November 5, 2023 Course Code AMA4/6Cs

This 8-hour 20 Complex Case Studies Workshop based on AMA 4th Ed. methodology on Sunday, is designed to learn the practical use of the AMA Guides with audience participation using cases from all important chapters of AMA 4th Ed. including musculoskeletal system, neurology, internal medicine, and psychiatry chapter only from AMA Guides 6th Edition .

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

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