**Flying Physicians Association Tri-Chapter Fall Meeting**

**September 15-16, 2017**

**William Penn Hotel Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania**

**THE SCIENTIFIC SCHEDULE**

**Friday, September 15, 2017 Session One**

7:50 am Welcome and Announcements John Mulvey, MD (*Northeast Chapter*)

 Vincent Ostrowski, MD (*Great Lakes Chapter*)

 George Cowan, MD (*Dixie Chapter*)

**8:00-8:45 am Epistaxis: Primary Care Physician’s guide to management of nose bleeds**

 *What is the most expedient way to bring a nose bleed under control?*

 Trevor I. Goldberg, MD, Otolaryngologist, Burnsville, North Carolina

8:45 am-9:00 am Questions and Answers with the audience

**9:00-9:45 am Altered Mental Status in the Emergency Department**

 *How do you quickly assess and treat altered mental status in the Emergency Room?*

 Alfred A. Caudullo, DO, Emergency Medicine, William Backus Hospital, Norwich, CT

9:45-10:00 am Questions and Answers with the audience

 10:00-10:15 am Break

**10:15-11:00 am You Are What You Eat**

 W. Kenneth Austin, MD, FACC, Cardiovascular Disease Specialist, Jasper, Georgia

 *Is the gluten-free diet a fad?*

11:00-11:15 am Questions and Answers with the audience

**11:15 am – 12:00 pm Targeted Radio-Immunotherapy for Liver Tumors: A light in the dark, or flash in the pan?**

 *What treatment options are available for my patient with newly-diagnosed liver metastases?*

 Douglas W. Johnson, MD, FACR, Radiation Oncologist, Jacksonville, Florida

12:00-12:15 pm Questions and Answers with the audience

12:15 pm ADJOURN SESSION FOR DAY

**Saturday, September 16, 2017 Session Two**

7:50 am Meeting Announcements John Mulvey, MD (*Northeast Chapter*)

 Vincent Ostrowski, MD (*Great Lakes Chapter*)

 George Cowan, MD (*Dixie Chapter*)

**8:00-8:45 am Eye Fly: what you need to know about your vision and flying**

 *What are the factors affecting vision and their treatment options?*

 Jonathan Seidenberg, MD, FACS, Ophthalmologist, Aberdeen, Maryland

8:45 am-9:00 am Questions and Answers with the audience

**9:00-9:45 am An Ounce of Prevention**

 *How do I determine the USPSTF services recommendations are recommended?*

 Richard W. Sloan, MD, RHP, Family Practice, Hershey, Pennsylvania

9:45-10:00 am Questions and Answers with the audience

10:00-10:15 am Break

**10:15-11:00 am The Agony of the Feet**

 *What are the non-surgical options for structural and degenerative problems of the feet that are available to the patient/consumer and the physician?*

 James Timoney, DO, Orthopaedic Surgeon, Auburn, Maine

11:00-11:15 am Questions and Answers with the audience

**11:15 am – 12:00 pm The Go, No-GO Decision for Flight**

 *How do pilots continually self-certify prior to flight as related to mental and physical preparedness?*

 Russell J. Stankiewicz, MD, FACOG, Obstetrics-Gynecologist, Lewisburg, Pennsylvania

12:00-12:15 pm Questions and Answers with the audience

**12:15-1:00 pm An Analysis of Causes of Aviation Accidents Among Sports Pilots 2004-2017**

 *Does eliminating the 3rd Class Medical Examination result in large numbers of medical incapacitation accidents?*

 John E. Mulvey, MD, Family Practice and Aviation Medicine, Elkton, Maryland

1:00-1:15 pm Questions and Answers with the audience

1:15 pm SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS ADJOURN