Meeting Your Professional and Practice Setting Needs

Case Management and Transitions of Care are not restricted to the hospital walls – reaching into a variety of settings that play critical roles in the care process. The 2016 ACMA National Conference increases its emphasis on multiple settings including Ambulatory, Primary Care, Pediatric, Home Health, SNF, Rehab and Acute Care. Professionally we provide relevant content for Nurses, Social Workers, Physician Advisors, Medical Directors, and Allied Health Professionals. As THE professional organization ACMA’s primary focus is delivering topical sessions presented by knowledgeable speakers so that you are fully equipped to address today’s most challenging tasks, patients, regulations, and more.

INTRODUCING A NEW, ONE-OF-A-KIND SIMULATION EVENT – PREPARE YOUR TEAM FOR BUNDLED PAYMENT AND COMPREHENSIVE TRANSITIONS MANAGEMENT!

ADVANCED CARE TRANSITIONS SIMULATION
2 DAY PRE-CONFERENCE EVENT

Setting the standards for Transitions of Care, ACMA will kick off the 2016 National Conference with the first national Care Transitions simulation course to showcase how acute care and home based transition assessments and plans are successfully executed. The Advanced Care Transitions Simulation (ACTS) is a state-of-the-art event featuring actors in the role of patients.

- Live simulation will test critical thinking and collaborative skills
- Participants are given the opportunity to interview medically scripted actors in the role of patients at the bedside and at home
- Teams of 4 participants collaborate to complete a care plan with EMR review and scored with feedback
- Care plans will be discussed with case management and physician advisor teams
- Includes overview of effective assessments, care plans, home & acute based assessments, scoring of submissions, overall care plan with feedback and new exhibition of Case Management / Transitions of Care skills
- Preparation for bundled payment and joint replacement transitions
- Rapid fire showcase presentations and takeaways related to key Care Transition topics

Prior to the ACTS learning session an attendee webinar is scheduled for Thursday, March 17, 2016.

ACTS REQUIRES ADDITIONAL REGISTRATION

For more information, visit www.casemanagementconference.com and click on the ACTS tab.
KEY SPEAKERS

KEYNOTE ADDRESS  |  EVERY AUGUST UNTIL A CURE:
A FAMILY’S JOURNEY OF LOVE, INSPIRATION, AND A HISTORIC GLOBAL MOVEMENT

NANCY FRATES
Member, ALS Association National Board of Trustees
Creator, ALS Ice Bucket Challenge

Upon her 27-year-old son Pete’s ALS diagnosis, Nancy Frates was presented with an unacceptable prognosis and the absence of treatment for his disease. She knew the best way to be informed was to get to know the players and institutions at the forefront of this disease. Nancy takes the audience on a tragic yet beautiful journey, entwined with the historic ALS Ice Bucket Challenge that raised $220 million for the ALS Association. Her delivery is one that only a mother can express while inspiring audiences to account for their own outlook on life’s challenges.

Nancy has met with CEOs, senators, congressmen, top physicians and governmental authorities. She testified in Washington, D.C., to an FDA panel and has initiated and executed petitions regarding important issues affecting the ALS communities. Nancy’s involvement with ALS organizations have impacted research, patient support, advocacy and fundraising. Nancy and her family run the Pete Frates #3 Fund, raising money to aid Pete in his battle with ALS.

GENERAL SESSION E

Dr. Angelo Volandes
The Conversation: A Revolutionary Plan For End-Of-Life Care

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CONTINUING EDUCATION
Attendees may earn up to the following number of (CE) hours:

- 31.2 NURSING CONTACT HOURS (based on 50-minute hour)
- 26.0 NURSING CONTACT HOURS (based on 60-minute hour)
- 26.0 SOCIAL WORK CONTACT HOURS, INCLUDING 3.0 ETHICS HOURS
- 26.0 ACM™ HOURS

For more information please visit:
WWW.CASEMANAGEMENTCONFERENCE.COM and click on the Education/Schedule tab

CLOSING SESSION H

Dan Thurmon
Off Balance On Purpose

How do you succeed in today’s challenging, changing business climate? How do you sustain the commitment to grow personally and professionally? Transitions of all kinds can be demanding and difficult. But these moments are also gigantic opportunities to redesign your approach to life and business. This session will give you the encouragement and tools to take action! Dan Thurmon, author of Off Balance On Purpose, will show you how to take charge of your circumstances, stretch your abilities, and create your blueprint for professional success!

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# CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

For complete session abstract and speaker information go to [www.casemanagementconference.com](http://www.casemanagementconference.com).

## PRE-CONFERENCE

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## MAIN CONFERENCE

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## POST-CONFERENCE

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ACM™ Credentialed Professionals:
To celebrate your achievement, and in your honor, ACMA is hosting a by-invitation-only reception. Drinks and hors d’oeuvres will be served.
**POST-CONFERENCE | ACM™ CERTIFICATION STUDY GROUP**

(Additional registration fee required)

This interactive forum is designed to help prepare ACM candidates for the ACM Certification exam. The ACM Standards of Practice & Scope of Services will be correlated, as well as a review of Case Management / Transitions of Care case studies. Please Note: This is a study group intended to provide ACM candidates with a forum for shared learning and exam preparation. The facilitator(s) do not have access to the ACM exam. Participation does not guarantee a passing score; it is intended to supplement an ACM candidate’s exam preparation.
HOTEL INFORMATION

HOST HOTEL: MARRIOTT TAMPA WATERSIDE
700 South Florida Avenue
Tampa, FL 33602  |  813-221-4900

SPECIAL CONFERENCE RATE
$219 per night

Discounted group rates are applicable during conference dates (April 2-April 6, 2016) until all guest rooms in the room block have been reserved or until the hotel reservation deadline of February 29, 2016, whichever comes first. A limited number of rooms are available at the group rate for nights prior to and after the conference so we encourage you to make your reservations early!

OVERFLOW HOTEL: Embassy Suites Tampa
513 South Florida Avenue • Tampa, FL 33602 • 813-769-8300

$224 per night

To make a reservation go to www.casemanagementconference.com and click on “Location.” Discounted conference rates for hotels are available through links on the “Location” tab.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: ACMA does not utilize a housing service nor employs travel agencies and/or discount travel related organizations. If you are contacted prior to the 2016 conference by any company claiming to represent ACMA and/or our conference, please ask for the company name and phone number and report the incident immediately to ACMA by calling 501-907-2262.

CONFERENCE CENTER INFORMATION

TAMPA CONVENTION CENTER
333 South Franklin St  |  Tampa, FL 33602  |  www.tampaconventioncenter.com

All conference sessions and exhibition will take place at the Tampa Convention Center. Our host hotel, the Tampa Marriott Waterside Hotel and Marina, as well as our overflow property are located directly across the street from the Tampa Convention Center.
## CONFERENCE PRICING

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*Non-Member rates for Main Conference and Single Day Pass include One (1) Year ACMA Membership

Group Discount: Three (3) or more participants from same organization receive $50 off main conference registration fees for each participant. Online registration for group must be completed at the same time. Group discount may not be combined with other discount offers.

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## CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

### ONLINE REGISTRATION IS EASY!
- ACMA accepts payment via credit card or check.
- If paying by check, simply complete an online registration form, select check as payment option, print invoice and mail with check.

**ONLINE**
[www.casemanagementconference.com](http://www.casemanagementconference.com)

**MAIL**
American Case Management Association
11701 West 36th Street • Little Rock, AR 72211

For more information and questions, please call 501-907-2262.

### REGISTRATION FEES
- Attendee registration forms received prior to Feb. 5th without payment will not qualify for the discounted rate and will be assessed the applicable rate at the time payment is received.

### CANCELLATIONS
- There will be no refunds for cancellations; however, fees may be transferred to another participant for the same event. If the alternate is not a member of ACMA and the original registrant is a member, the non-member differential must be paid. It is the responsibility of the registered attendee to contact ACMA if unable to attend. Registrants who do not show up for the conference and do not contact ACMA prior to the start of the conference will forfeit all registration fees paid. As defined by the ACTS Conditions of Participation signed at registration, in the event that a registered participant is unable to attend, a substitution may be made. Substitution requests must be received by ACMA a minimum of five business days before the event. No substitutions will be allowed after this time.

### GUESTS
- Sessions, events, and exhibits can only be attended by registered attendees. Name badge is required to enter all conference events, including the exhibit hall. Guest passes may only be purchased for the Closing Party. Children are not allowed at any of the conference events. For a complete list of registration policies, go to [www.casemanagementconference.com](http://www.casemanagementconference.com)

### IMPORTANT DATES
- **EARLY REGISTRATION DEADLINE**
  - February 5, 2016
- **HOTEL RESERVATION DEADLINE**
  - February 29, 2016
- **REGULAR PRICING & ACTS LEARNING SESSION DEADLINE**
  - March 4, 2016
- **LATE REGISTRATION BEGINS**
  - March 5, 2016
- **CONFERENCE DATES**
  - April 2-6, 2016
WIN A BRAND NEW CAR!

Win the Wheels Car Giveaway
April 5, 2016 • Tampa, FL

At last year’s conference in Phoenix, AZ, one lucky attendee left with the keys to a brand new 2015 Jeep Patriot! At this year’s conference, one attendee will again leave with a brand new car! Actual car not pictured. See website for official rules. casemanagementconference.com

CLOSING PARTY
JOIN THE FUN!

As is our custom, we plan to go out in style with a fun and entertaining Closing Party. Music and dancing will be complemented with cocktails, hors d’oeuvres, and a live auction. And the fun doesn’t end there! So, don’t book those shuttles and flights too early. You will definitely want to be here for the big reveal when next year’s conference location is announced. The ACMA Closing Party is the perfect way to end a busy conference – visiting with friends and colleagues in a festive setting. Join us!

EXPERIENCE TAMPA

Theme parks, aquariums & zoos, Botanical Gardens, concerts, the arts, craft beer, the Riverwalk, and activities on the bay – this year’s conference location offers something for everyone.

- Tampa’s Lowry Park Zoo
- Tampa Museum of Art
- The Florida Aquarium
- iTrekkers Fishing Charter Service
- MOSI - Museum of Science & Industry
- Tampa Bay History Center
- Busch Gardens Tampa
- And much more!

LEARN MORE AT: WWW.VisITTampabay.com

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A VALUABLE RETURN ON INVESTMENT

You are considering attending the 2016 National Conference in Tampa, but need help justifying the time and cost to your employer. We can help you present the benefits of this conference. Visit www.casemanagementconference.com to download ACMA’s National Conference justification toolkit. It includes information and data to make your case to your supervisor or administrator.

OPPORTUNITIES & ADVANTAGES:

- Network with 1,500 Attendees, 130+ Sponsors & Exhibitors
- Challenging, realistic, state-of-the-art simulations offered during the Advanced Care Transitions Simulation (ACTS)
- Case Management and Transitions of Care perspectives from across the country
- More than 60 topic choices
- Presentations are tailored to multiple practice settings including: Ambulatory, Primary Care, Pediatric, Home Health, SNF, Rehab and Acute Care
- More than 70 Case Management / Transitions of Care Health Care Experts
- Up to 31.2 hours of Continuing Education for RN, SN, MD, and other health care professionals
- Accredited Case Management Certification (ACM™) – Test Prep and CE hours
- Justification Toolkit online helps you make your case to attend