Annual Meeting Registration Brochure

February 23-25, 2018 at the
Hilton Richmond Hotel & Spa/Short Pump
Richmond, Virginia
The President’s Address

By Dr. Caroline Webber

It seems that every oral surgeon I speak with is “very busy” in their practice. Busy not just at the peak times (summer and school breaks), but busy all year. This is great news for our tremendous specialty, and confirms that the public and other providers value us. We continue to face challenges, and changes in health care, both on the state and national level. Now more than ever, it is important to be aware of legislative changes and how we are impacted. Membership and participation in VSOMS and AAOMS helps protect our personal practices, and our patients. My colleagues in other dental specialties are continually amazed by the “Oral Surgery Band of Brotherhood.” They are impressed by how well organized we are, how we support one another, and how we have our finger on “the pulse” of current issues that impact our ability to provide necessary care to patients.

The recent surprise Virginia Board of Dentistry (BOD) request for submission of AAOMS membership documentation and results of our office anesthesia evaluations is a perfect example of how VSOMS works on our behalf. Our talented Executive Director, Laura Givens, was able to quickly clarify the documentation that the Board wanted and if we will have to provide this periodically in the future. The ability to maintain our autonomy in office inspections and anesthesia is not only critical to our practices but insures the highest standard of care for our patients.

The “Opioid” crisis continues in our country, and many states have passed regulations to address this growing epidemic. The BOD passed emergency regulations on the prescribing of opioids on April 24, 2017, which will remain in effect until October 20, 2018. I am sure all of you are now familiar with the new requirements. Each of us should continually reevaluate our opioid prescribing habits and consider alternative options for our patients. As pointed out by the press, the first opioid prescription a person receives is usually from the oral surgeon after “wisdom tooth” extractions. To stay current and meet new BOD requirements, VSOMS is providing the required “opioid/pain management” CE at our 2018 Annual Meeting and you will find information on this presentation in the brochure.

This year, for the first time, I was fortunate enough to attend the AAOMS “Day on the Hill.” The legislative process was truly “eye opening” and it was easy to see why change takes time. The four issues we discussed with our legislators were: insurance company anti-trust laws, health savings accounts, malpractice reform, and student loan debt. All extremely critical to oral and maxillofacial surgeons. Several days later, we witnessed HR 372 pass in the House, addressing insurance anti-trust, which is a big step in the right direction. Recently HR 215, which addresses malpractice, also passed by the House. Although there is a long road ahead on many issues, it is obvious that “grass roots” movements do have impact. I encourage each of you to give consideration to attending a “Day on the Hill” in the future. Also, when the call goes out from AAOMS to write your elected representatives for a grass roots campaign, please try to find a minute to do this.
An important issue to watch closely is the American Board of Dental Specialties (ABDS), and a recent petition to the BOD to recognize Oral Implantology as a specialty board. For now, the BOD Regulatory-Legislative Committee is suggesting that the BOD pass this matter to the ADA, and we will continue to follow this. We are incredibly fortunate to have Dr. John Alexander as a member of the BOD and also Dr. Rob Strauss, who has attended numerous Board meetings and spoken on our behalf.

In closing, consider the following, 1) a donation to OMSPAC and VADPAC- this is how our voice is heard. 2) Attending the VSOMS Annual Meeting in Richmond February 24-25, 2018- it’s a great way to socialize with your colleagues, learn about current regulatory and legislative issues, and obtain required CE credits.

I wish everyone the best for the coming year. Thank you for the opportunity to serve as President. I welcome you to contact me with questions or issues you would like to discuss. One person’s ideas can lead to important change.

Sincerely,

Caroline M. Webber, DDS

Meet the 2017-2018 Executive Council

President: Dr. Caroline Webber
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Ex Officio: Dr. James Krochmal
2018 Annual Meeting Agenda

Friday, February 23, 2018
4:00 pm-6:45 pm  Registration Open
7:00 pm-9:00 pm  Executive Council Meeting

Saturday, February 24, 2018
7:00 am-6:30 pm  Exhibit Hall Open
7:00 am -8:00 am  Registration/Breakfast in Exhibit Hall
8:00 am-10:00 am  ACLS Course
10:00 am -10:15 am  Break
10:15 am -12:30 pm  ACLS Course Continued
12:30 pm-1:30 pm  Lunch in Exhibit Hall
1:30 pm-2:30 pm  VSOMS Business Meeting:
                   Dr. Caroline Webber, President;
                   Dr. Bob Clark, AAOMS Trustee;
                   Dr. Dipa Patel, OMS Foundation and OMSPAC
2:30 pm-4:30 pm  Addiction and Opioid Epidemic: Current Concepts
                   and the Role of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons,
                   presented by Dr. Omar Abubaker
5:00 pm -6:30 pm  VSOMS Reception in Exhibit Hall

Sunday, February 25, 2018
7:00 am -12:00 pm  Exhibit Hall Open
7:00 am -8:00 am  Breakfast in Exhibit Hall
8:00 am -10:00 am  PALS Course
10:00 am -10:15 am  Break
10:15 am -12:30 pm  PALS Course Continued
12:30 pm  Conclusion of Meeting
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Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)
Saturday, February 24, 2018
8:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Fee: $250 (included in registration fee)
Continuing Education Credits: 4
Administered by: Emergency Management Services, Inc.

EMSI has been in the business of helping businesses and government agencies train and prepare for the everyday and catastrophic emergencies since 1995. Weet Baldwin, who leads the staff of professional educators, has had successes in fire and accident prevention and paramedics. He is currently a Chief Tactical Medic for the Richmond Police SWAT Team and Medical Coordinator for NASCAR and IRL events at the Richmond International Raceway. EMSI has no relevant financial relationships to disclose at this time.

Course Description:
The American Heart Association's Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support course is totally redesigned for healthcare providers who either direct or participate in the resuscitation of a patient, whether in or out of hospital. The teaching method involves lecture, however, ACLS is based on simulated clinical scenarios that encourage active, hands-on participation through learning stations.

Educational Objectives:
Through the ACLS course, providers will enhance their skills in the treatment of the adult victim of a cardiac arrest or other cardiopulmonary emergencies. ACLS emphasizes the importance of basic life support CPR to patient survival; the integration of effective basic life support with advanced cardiovascular life support interventions; and the importance of effective team interaction and communication during resuscitation.

At each learning station, students will practice essential skills individually, as part of a team, and as team leader. Realistic simulations reinforce the following key concepts: proficiency in basic life support care; recognizing and initiating early management of peri-arrest conditions; managing cardiac arrest; identifying and treating ischemic chest pain and acute coronary syndromes; recognizing other life-threatening clinical situations (such as stroke) and providing initial care; ACLS algorithms; and effective resuscitation team dynamics.

Continuing Education for the ACLS Course
The Virginia Dental Association is an ADA CERP Recognized Provider. ADA CERP is a service of the American Dental Association to assist dental professionals in identifying quality providers of continuing dental education. ADA CERP does not approve or endorse individual courses or instructors, nor does it imply acceptance of credit hours by boards of dentistry.

The Virginia Dental Association designates this activity for 4 continuing education credits.

This continuing education activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the standards of the ADA Continuing Education Recognition Program (ADA CERP) through joint efforts between The Virginia Dental Association and the Virginia Society of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeons.
Addiction and Opioid Epidemic: Current Concepts and the Role of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons

Saturday, February 24, 2018
2:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.
Fee: included in registration fee
Continuing Education Credits: 2
Presented by: Dr. A. Omar Abubaker

Dr. A. Omar Abubaker, DMD, PhD is a graduate of the School of Dental Medicine, the School of Dentistry, University of Pittsburgh. He completed his residency training and a fellowship in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery from Presbyterian University Hospital in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. He has been on the Faculty at VCU School of Dentistry and VCU Medical Center since 1991. He currently serves as professor and Chairman of the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, VCU School of Dentistry, Chief of the Division of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Department of Surgery School of Medicine. He is certified by the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery. He is a practicing Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon and authored two textbooks, over 1000 chapters and scientific articles. He maintains an active intramural private practice in addition to his teaching and administrative responsibilities. Dr. Abubaker recently earned a Graduate Certificate in International Addiction Studies from the International Program in Addiction Studies from Virginia Commonwealth University, The University of Adelaide, Australia and Kings College London, England. He has interest in education and research in the field of addiction.

Course Description: This lecture course will review the scientific basis of addiction and the scope of addiction as well as the financial and human cost of addiction in the U.S. The program will also examine the roots of the current opioid epidemic and its most recent impact on U.S. health care. The course will identify how the role of health care providers and, in particular OMSs, can find strategies to be part of the solution rather than be part of the problem. Finally, the course will also briefly address prevalence of addiction within the dental profession.

By the end of the course, attendees should:

- Have a fair understanding of the scope of the opioid epidemic, the role of oral and maxillofacial surgeons and new strategies for acute pain management.
- Be cognizant of the alternative strategies of pain management in the OMS practice.
- Be aware of the prevalence of addiction among OMSs and other dental professionals.

Continuing Education for Dr. Abubaker’s Course
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Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS)
Sunday, February 25, 2018
8:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Continuing Education Credits: 4
Fee: $250 (included in registration fee)
Administered by: Emergency Management Services, Inc.

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Course Description:
The American Heart Association’s PALS Course reflects new science in the 2015 AHA Guidelines Update for CPR and ECC. This classroom, Instructor-led course uses a series of videos and simulated pediatric emergencies to reinforce the important concepts of a systematic approach to pediatric assessment, basic life support, PALS treatment algorithms, effective resuscitation, and team dynamics. The goal of the PALS Course is to improve the quality of care provided to seriously ill or injured children, resulting in improved outcomes. The course is a hands-on class format to reinforce proficiency.

Educational Objectives:
Through the PALS course, providers will review realistic, clinical scenarios delivered through actual pediatric patient videos and lifelike simulations.

Course Directors will lecture and provide hands-on instruction on a systematic approach to assess and treat pediatric patients in emergency situations. The course is broken into sections that include an update and course overview, BLS practice and competency testing, resuscitation team concept, coping with death, and an overview of pediatric assessment. It will end with a course summary and a final written exam.

Continuing Education for the PALS Course
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Hotel Reservations

The 2018 VSOMS Annual Meeting
The Hilton Richmond Hotel & Spa/Short Pump

Prepare to enjoy the convenient location of The Hilton Richmond Hotel & Spa/Short Pump. The Hotel is located in the heart of the prominent Short Pump area in Richmond. Local attractions include shopping and dining at the Short Pump Town Center, Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden, the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts and of course the State Capitol Building in downtown Richmond. Visitors can also relax with a pampering treatment in the hotel’s Aura Spa and Salon.

DEADLINE TO MAKE HOTEL RESERVATIONS: February 1, 2018

Rooms secured through the VSOMS Annual Meeting will be released on February 1, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. Reservations made after this date will be handled on a space and rate available basis. The Hilton cannot guarantee the VSOMS room rate after this date.

ROOM RATES: $149/night

Subject to VSOMS room block availability, the Hilton will honor the contracted room rate three days before and three days after the VSOMS official meeting dates. Check-in time is after 3:00 pm. Check-out time is before 12:00 p.m. All reservations must be accompanied by a one night’s deposit for room and tax.

RESERVATIONS MAY BE MADE ONLINE BY CLICKING HERE OR BY CALLING 1-800-445-8667

When calling to make a reservation, please specify that you are attending the meeting with the VSOMS.

Those registering for the meeting are responsible for making individual hotel reservations.
Meeting Registration

Meeting Registration Deadline: January 22, 2018

Doctor’s Registration

Name: _________________________ Name for Badge_____________________

Address: ____________________________________________________________________________

City: __________________ State: _____________ Zip Code: _________________________________

Phone Number: _____________________ Email Address: ________________________________

Spouse/Guest Registration

Name: _________________________ Name for Badge_____________________

Staff Registration

Staff Member Name____________________ Name for Badge_____________________

Staff Member Name____________________ Name for Badge_____________________

If paying with check, please submit this form with the below form with payment to:

VSOMS
3460 Mayland Ct., Ste. 110
Richmond, VA 23233

Registration fees include breakfast on both Saturday and Sunday, lunch on Saturday, Saturday cocktail reception and coffee breaks. Registration deadline is Jan. 22, 2018.
Payment Information

Registration fees include meals, breaks, the Saturday reception and the Opioid Course.

DOCTOR CATEGORIES (circle one choice):

VSOMS Member Fee Categories
- Both ACLS and PALS: $775
- ACLS Only: $525
- PALS Only: $525
- No ACLS or PALS (Opioid Course and meals): $275

VSOMS Life Fellow Fee Categories
- Both ACLS and PALS: $700
- ACLS Only: $450
- PALS Only: $450
- No ACLS or PALS (Opioid Course and meals): $200

VSOMS Retired/Life Fellow Fee Categories
- Both ACLS and PALS: $625
- ACLS Only: $375
- PALS Only: $375
- No ACLS or PALS (Opioid Course and meals): $125

Non-VSOMS Member Fee Categories
- Both ACLS and PALS: $850
- ACLS Only: $600
- PALS Only: $600
- No ACLS or PALS (Opioid Course and meals): $350

STAFF MEMBER CATEGORIES (circle one choice):

- Both ACLS and PALS: $675
- ACLS Only: $425
- PALS Only: $425
- No ACLS or PALS (Opioid Course and meals): $175

SPOUSE/GUEST FEES (choose one option):

- All Meals and Reception: $150
- Reception Only: $50

Payment TOTAL

Payment Options
1. Pay by Check: payable to VSOMS and mailed to 3460 Mayland Ct., Ste. 110, Richmond, VA 23233.
2. Register and Pay Online with Credit Card at http://www.vsoms.org/annual-meeting-registration/

Refund Policy: Participants will be fully refunded if registration is cancelled in writing no later than Jan. 22, 2018.
Meeting Information

Exhibits:
Representatives from several companies providing oral and maxillofacial surgical products, supplies, instruments, equipment and services will be present at the VSOMS Annual Meeting. Please be sure to visit the exhibit area and support the vendors who help make our meeting possible.

A complete list of all vendors exhibiting at the meeting will be emailed to participants at least a week prior to the meeting and will be included in the Program Guide given to participants onsite.

Attire:
Attire for the meeting will be casual.

The Hilton Hotel & Spa/Short Pump Address:
12042 West Broad Street
Richmond, VA 23233

Registration Cancellation Policy:
Participants will be fully refunded if registration is cancelled in writing no later than January 22, 2018. Any registrations cancelled after this date will not be reimbursed.

Questions?
Should you have any general registration questions or specific questions regarding the VSOMS Annual Meeting, please contact Laura Givens at 804-523-2185 or givens@vadental.org.