Overall Educational Objectives

Participants at the 69th Annual Conference will have a broad exposure to a wide variety of aspects of psychiatry and the care of the mentally ill to choose from. Participants may choose to focus in-depth on one or more aspects, or experience a greater breadth by attending a wider variety of topics. All sessions incorporate session-specific learning objectives, as well as opportunities for interaction which can lead to further collaborations and learning.

Who Should Attend?

The CPA annual conference is geared for psychiatrists, residents in psychiatry training programs and family physicians with an interest in mental health. Other qualified health care professionals with a particular focus on or interest in mental health may also find the conference of interest.

Accreditation

The 69th Annual Conference is an accredited group learning activity (section 1) as defined by the Maintenance of Certification program of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, and approved by the Canadian Psychiatric Association. Participants in the program may claim a maximum of 30 hours for the entire conference (i.e., maximum of 6 hours on Wednesday [pre-conference course], 8 hours on Thursday, 8 hours on Friday, and 8 hours on Saturday).

Through an agreement between the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada and the American Medical Association, physicians may convert Royal College MOC credits to AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. More information on the process to convert Royal College MOC credit to AMA credit can be found at www.ama-assn.org/go/internationalcme.

Live educational activities recognized by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada as Accredited Group Learning Activities (Section 1) are deemed by the European Union of Medical Specialists (UEMS) eligible for ECMEC®.

The CPA may also apply for credits from other colleges deemed appropriate by the Annual Conference Program Subcommittee.