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Coming Soon: Chance for a 'Two-Fer' - Win a 2016 Mercedes and Advance Patient Care by Supporting Your AMCP Foundation



March Madness may have ended, but you still have a chance to score a "two-fer!" Join our new fundraising initiative to win a luxury vehicle — and, at the same time, provide funds to support the education and research programs of your AMCP Foundation.

As a demonstration of its commitment to managed care pharmacy, RxAdvance has donated a new 2016 Mercedes GLA SUV to serve as a prize in the Foundation's Key to Success fundraising raffle. Raffle tickets are \$100 each and no more than 2,016 tickets will be sold. The campaign's winning ticket will be selected during the AMCP Nexus 2016, Oct. 3-6, where the raffle winner will be announced.

"For decades managed care organizations have awaited a transformative change in the PBM delivery model," said Ravi Ika, President and CEO, RxAdvance. "RxAdvance is bringing such innovative disruption to reduce overall pharmacy costs and avoidable drug-impacted medical costs, while optimizing specialty spend for improved quality outcomes. Through this fundraising initiative, RxAdvance and the AMCP Foundation affirm our mutual vision: enhancing patient health by advancing integrated, comprehensive and effective pharmacy management services."

"This exciting activity will provide vital funds for the AMCP Foundation as we enter our next 25 years with plans to expand! One lucky winner will become the owner of a beautiful car, but all participants will improve population health by helping us facilitate innovative research initiatives and provide educational opportunities," said Paula Eichenbrenner, Executive Director, AMCP Foundation.

RxAdvance is a national full-service pharmacy benefit manager (PBM) leveraging Collaborative PBM Cloud™ and machine learning to manage pharmacy benefits. Visit Mercedes-Benz USA to learn about the 2016 Mercedes GLA SUV.

Complete rules and information about purchasing raffle tickets are available on the Foundation website.



Anthony P. Morreale Recipient of 2016 Steven G. Avey Award



The AMCP Foundation is pleased to announce that Dr. Anthony P. Morreale, PharmD, MBA, BCPS, FASHP, has been selected by the

AMCP Past Presidents and Founders Advisory Council as the 2016 recipient of the prestigious <u>Steven G. Avey Award</u>. The highest honor in managed care pharmacy, this award is bestowed by the AMCP Foundation in recognition of sustained, exemplary and distinguished service to the profession.

Dr. Morreale is Assistant Chief Consultant for Clinical Pharmacy Services and Healthcare Services Research for the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) Pharmacy Benefits Management. In this role, he is entrusted with organizing, standardizing and expanding the scope of clinical pharmacy practice throughout the VA.

His major responsibilities are focused on identifying and resolving gaps in patient care in which clinical pharmacists have demonstrated positive outcomes, and on establishing new roles in complex medication management environments where clinical pharmacists can use their knowledge and training. Read more.



'Key to Our Success' Campaign Sees Significant Success in 2015

Your AMCP Foundation continues to gather momentum as more and more donors recognize the importance of compiling evidentiary support for the principles and best practices of managed care pharmacy. In 2015, 689 individuals submitted 804 contributions during the Key to Our Success campaign – an all-time high! This represents an increase in donors of 70% from the Foundation's first annual appeal, Building a Bridge to the Future.

"The Foundation Trustees are grateful for the tremendous support shown by our donors and AMCP members," said AMCP Foundation President Dr. Allan Chernov. "With this generosity, we've been able to champion emerging leaders and recognize excellence in managed care pharmacy, all while connecting with new audiences."

Notable achievements in 2015 included the dissemination of an education module to 135 schools of pharmacy ("Top Ten Emerging Health Care Trends: Implications for Patients, Providers, & Educators"), as well as the widely attended research symposium "Opportunities and Challenges in Patient Care, Prevention, and Adherence." The Foundation also organized the Best Poster Competition, Steven G. Avey Award and five webinars on health care and health evidence/evaluation.

Read more.



Eight Student Pharmacist Chapters Advance to P&T Competition Finals

The AMCP Foundation is pleased to announce eight finalists in the 16th Annual National P&T Competition. The eight AMCP Student Pharmacist Chapter teams will compete in the finals at AMCP Managed Care & Specialty Pharmacy Annual Meeting in San Francisco this month.

Congratulations go to:

Mercer University
Purdue University
University of California San Diego
University of California San Francisco
University of Colorado
University of Minnesota
University of Southern California
University of Washington

These teams were selected from 17 AMCP Student Chapters that advanced to the second round of the semi-finals! Congratulations to all semi-finalists:

Butler University; Mercer University; Midwestern University (Chicago); Purdue University; Roseman University of Health Sciences; Rutgers University; Touro University (California); Univ. of California San Diego; Univ. of California San Francisco; Univ. of Colorado; Univ. of Illinois at Chicago; Univ. of Iowa; Univ. of Maryland; Univ. of Minnesota; Univ. of the Pacific; Univ. of Southern California; and Univ. of Washington.

Read more.



AMCP Foundation 5K Run/Walk: Be Part of Legendary Thursdays!

Attention, AMCP Annual Meeting attendees! Start your Thursday (April 21) with an invigorating run or walk at the Third Annual 5K for the Future, brought to you by the AMCP Foundation and Alkermes.

The event takes place at The Yard at Mission Rock, an awe-inspiring location that offers participants a spectacular view of AT&T Park (home of the Giants), the Bay Bridge and the Embarcadero waterfront.

Team competition is back! Rally your colleagues or alumni from your pharmacy alma mater and form your team today. Join fellow participants in a little friendly rivalry and make your team stand out.

Reigning champs: Brad Clay and Ruth Seiffert have netted first place Male and Female titles for the past two years. The "Humanimals" from Humana, the "Baxter Spark" from Baxter Pharmaceuticals, and Takeda Pharmaceuticals all crushed the team competition in 2015.

Sign up today! Visit www.amcpmeetings.org/5k.php (#AMCPFdn #LegendaryThursdays)



Be a High-Roller for One Night at AMCP Foundation Casino Night!

Loosen your tie, fold up your sleeves, and roll the dice. End a day of volunteering, networking, and education with casino-style games, dancing and entertainment.

The AMCP Foundation Casino Night has brought Annual Meeting attendees together for fun and entertainment since 2014.

Join the tradition on Thursday, April 21 and bet on your chances of having a great time!

Your donation of \$75 per person includes a voucher for gaming chips, drinks, hors d'oeuvres, and a raffle ticket for prizes plus lots of fun. Someone is going to "jail"! Find out who at Casino Night.

Attendance is limited, so get your ticket now!

Casino Night donations support research and education goals of the AMCP Foundation. This event is supported by Novo Nordisk.

For more information visit www.amcpmeetings.org/casino.php. (#AMCPFdn #LegendaryThursdays)



Investing in the Future: Ensure Foundation, Profession Stay Strong

The AMCP Foundation is committed to ensuring managed care pharmacy flourishes for years to come. Providing programs such as the P&T Competition, Student Pharmacist Internships, and the Best Poster Competition are a few of the ways we invest in the future of the profession.

The Foundation invites you to do the same. At the upcoming AMCP Annual Meeting in San Francisco, the Foundation will offer a variety of fun, healthy and educational activities for you to support.

Share your expertise by volunteering to be a <u>Best Poster Judge</u> or <u>Poster Mentor</u>. Join the race at the <u>Third Annual 5K for the Future</u> and test your luck at <u>Casino Night</u>. Your support of these activities goes a long way in helping us advance research and education.

In addition, if you are interested in planning your gift, please review our Estate Planning Initiative, or you can Donate Today!

Please <u>Contact Us</u> for information, or visit <u>www.AMCPFoundation.org</u>.



AMCP Foundation 25th Anniversary Scavenger Hunt Returns!

The AMCP Foundation is committed to educating you about your Foundation, so



Best Poster Competition Held During Opening Night Reception

Attendees of the AMCP Annual Meeting's Opening Night Reception on



Add Your Voice to Conversation, Engage on Social Media Platforms

AMCP and the AMCP Foundation want to hear from you on social media. Join

we're bringing back the 25th Anniversary Scavenger Hunt!

As the silver anniversary celebration of the AMCP Foundation continues, attendees of the AMCP Annual Meeting will go down memory lane to win prizes. Some items on the list may be found online, in social media (search #AMCPFdn), onsite or in printed materials.

See if you can find the 10 questions/items!

Three prizes will be awarded during the AMCP Foundation Casino Night.

First place prize: \$350 gift card Second place prize: Complimentary Nexus

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Third place prize: Complimentary 1 year

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For more information on the activity, visit www.amcpmeetings.org/scavenger.php.

April 20 are encouraged to stop by and view the student and resident/fellow poster presentations. These authors in the non-reviewed category are competing in the AMCP Foundation's Best Poster Competition.

The event, held from 5:45 to 7:30p.m. in the Expo, also provides an opportunity to meet with the authors in a relaxed atmosphere. Awards will be given in two categories: student pharmacists and residents/fellows.

Recipients from each category of the Best Poster Competition will be announced and presented with their award at the Student Pharmacist Ceremony on Friday, April 22.

In addition, the Foundation is seeking volunteers to serve as poster judges and poster mentors (a new position this year). For more details, visit www.amcp.org/PosterVolunteers/.

the conversation on Twitter by following @amcporg and using the #AMCPFdn hash tag. Look for our #TBT (Throwback Thursday) tweets with fun facts from our 25-year history!



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