

Leadership in Lifelong Learning

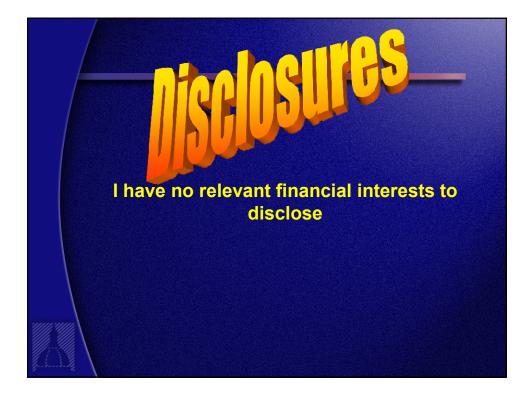
Continuing Medical Education A Value Center

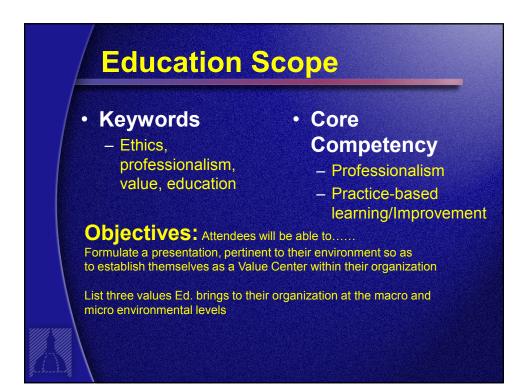


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Discovering and Disseminating the Value of Continuing Medical Education

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In fact, under the traditional model, student performance is expected to show a wide range of abilities.....The highest-performing students are given the highest grades...and the lowest performing students are given low grades. Schools used norm-referenced tests, such as ... multiple-choice computer-scored questions with single correct answers, to guickly rank students on ability. These tests do not give criterion-based judgments as to whether students have met a single standard they merely rank the students in comparison with each other. In this system, grade-level expectations are defined as the performance of the median student,By this definition, in a normal population, half of students are expected to perform above grade level and half the students below grade level, no matter how much or how little the students have learned.

The good teacher tells The very good teacher explains The superior teacher demonstrates The truly great teacher inspires

Key Concept

 So I find outcomes too limiting and believe education provides value not just quantifiable classic outcomes

MARS (Manual Audience Response System)

- The SOM Dean/CEO knows you exists.
- You report more to the Dean/CEO.
- You reports more to the CFO.
- The Dean/CEO drives the decision bus.
- The CFO drives the decision bus.
- You just won a \$50,000 grant for research in your office, your Dean/CEO/CFO.....
 - Doesn't know
 - Doesn't care
 - Rolls over dead
 - Congratulates you publicly
 - How dare CME seek a grant for an academic endeavor so they fire you

MARS 2

- You are in the primary business of
 - Education
 - Meetings and meeting planning
 - Business (making a profit)
 - Research grant attainment
 - Making activity directors/faculty happy

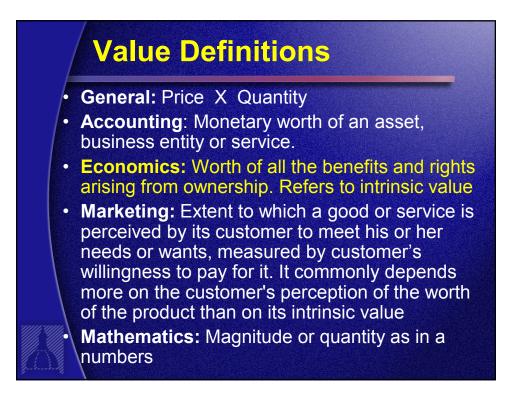
Business Centers

- Profit Center: R/E & profitability determined
 - Examples: Consulting divisions, a store
 - Accountable and thus controls all R/E
- Cost Center: Directly adds to cost & indirect profit
 - Examples: R&D, Customer Service
 - Service Centers like banquet services or AV
 - Value Centers are usually seen as a subtype
 Danger does exist
- Investment Center: Measure is use of capital
- Revenue Center: Adds to profit but doesn't control costs

CME MUST Not Be A Profit Center

- Profit centers are profit seeking
- If a margin is the required bottom line then CME is at risk and that risk carries liability
 - -Two kinds of bias
 - Conscious
 - Subconscious
- A Value Center can make R > E...Its just not required to!!!!!

The values are seen as viable alternatives to direct profits





- 1. Identify Value provided
 - a. Benchmark when possible
- 2. Know thy audience
 - a. If you have seen one Dean/CFO you have seen one Dean/CFO
 - b. Know who the decision maker is
 - i. Deans can usually be swayed by clinical, education & research data and faculty development/promotion
 - ii. CEOs of organization tend to appreciate stakeholder service
 - iii. CFOs typically are pure \$\$ people



So what is "CME"?

- It's a strategic and tactical asset tied intimately to mission
- It's a strategic and tactical lever to accomplish mission
- It's a force for improvement
- All interventions start with education!
- Thus..... CME is indispensible

Question

Has your organization realized full value from your office?

Take 2 minutes and self reflect on how your organization has NOT realized its full value. Jot yourself a note.

Exercise

 Write down up to 5 things that your office/ program does that bring value to your organizations mission (research, education, patient care)

You have about 2 minutes for this exercise

Value Domains to Consider

- Accreditation status
- Image/Brand
- Research funding
- Improved Outcomes
- Leadership
- Faculty development
- MOC/MOL
- Conference Ctr management

- Regulatory Support
- Economic Impact
- Portfolios
 - Job satisfaction
- Promotion
 - Clinician Educator
- Partnerships
- Referrals

Stakeholder Satisfaction

Accreditation Status

- Explain cycle
- Process
 - Connectivity into LCME
 - Connection with ACGME
- State status
- State domains if scored exemplary
- Benchmark status

Image/Brand

- How do you protect it
- · How do you impact it
- Tabloids, best doctors, rankings
- Web site hits
- Attendee satisfaction data
- Preceptorships, observerships, etc

Research Funding

- Do you do education research?
- Diversification of grant funds
- Diversification of office funding

Improved Outcomes

- Patient care
 - PI-CME
 - GR tied to sentinel events
 - Case conference stories
 - M&M stories
- Research
 - Ethics of research
- Education
 - Knowledge, competency
 - Faculty development

Faculty Develoment

- Speaking skills
- Presenting skills
- Knowledge in education cycle
- Curriculum development
- Educational objectives
- Portfolio materials
- Core competencies

Economic Impact

- The Baltimore Area Convention and Visitors Association (BACVA) attributes an average of \$1,036 per attendee
- We had 6565 attendees from outside Baltimore area...so economic impact for Baltimore of over \$6.8 mil

Appropriate Referrals

- CME can never be done to engender referrals
 Absolutely no Quid Pro Quo can exist!
- Physicians should refer based upon their desire to refer a certain patient for a certain condition at a certain stage of illness to whomever they and the patient desires
- Education from specialty practices on when to and when not to refer can resolve gaps and outcomes can be collected and analyzed
 - Referrals may be a secondary/tertiary outcome that can be assessed

Programs	
 Epocrates POC-IT Podcasts ASIM E-Newsletter Nursing ASiM Hopkins Dialogues Clinical Geriatrics Teleconferences Board reviews Dinner series BOM Carey "distinctive competency" Journals Biennial Alumni 	 Grand rounds DVDs BMJLearning Regularly scheduled conferences (RSCs) Live Enduring materials Preceptorships and Practicums Web Podcasts

Our Customer's Opinion Matters

99% say we meet or exceed objectives

- 74% state they plan on changing practice based on activity
- 99% stated overall good, very good, or excellent
- 99% stated content was good, very good or excellent
- 98% stated usefulness was good, very good or excellent
- 3.8% say they are concerned that potential commercial bias existed. Median value 2%.
- 1.6% stated activity was below the average CME
- Activity Director's evaluation of coordinating staff was excellent > 95% of the time

Additional Activities

- Grant review
- Research in Ed Symposium
- Innovation, simulation, PI, RM
- Keywords and core comp as curriculum
- Consult with departments on ME and GME
- PI CME as value to institution and value to individuals for MOC. Also value to residencies, etc as core competencies
- Capstone projects from BOM and informatics
- Civility and diversity
- Essential public purpose
- Alumni affairs

Values from SACME Participants

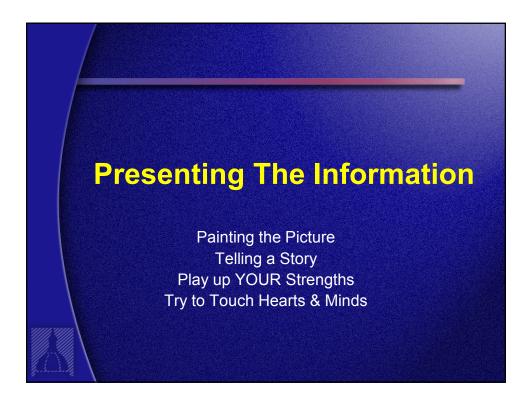
- Outreach/Inreach
- Meet national mandates like Stroke Centers
- Disseminate CPGs
- Improve interdisciplinary communication
- Improve family satisfaction with care

- Mentorship programs
- Engage strategic partners
- Forum for new initiatives
- Resource for practice integration of knowledge
- Funds for departments

Values Raised from Participants

- Innovation awareness
- Using educational innovations
- Clinical services are seen by regional MDs
- Compliance issues for SOM

- Improve patient safety
- Improve patient
 outcomes
- Accessible education
- National recognition
- Team based education and care
- Support & Promote alumni issues





Use the Opportunity to Educate?

- OCME Organization & MVV
- Diversity
- Policy & Procedure
- Future issues

Value: CME is a Strategic Asset

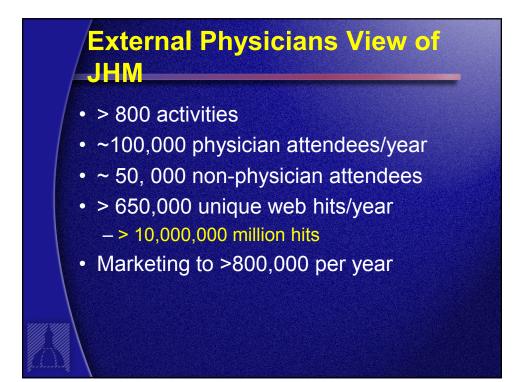
JHUSOM Accredited status

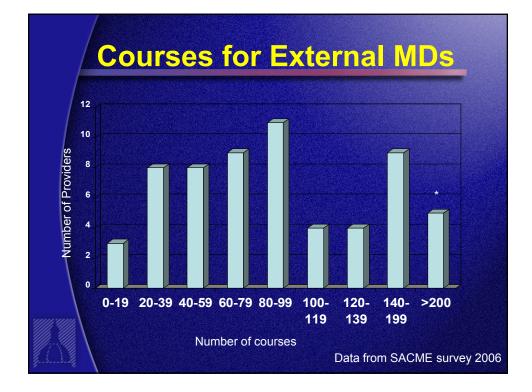
- Large number of external physicians view of JHM is through CME experience- Impact on USWN&R
- Referrals
- Staff licensure, credentialing, & Maintenance of Certification (MOC)
- Support of tripartite mission + leadership
- Regulators

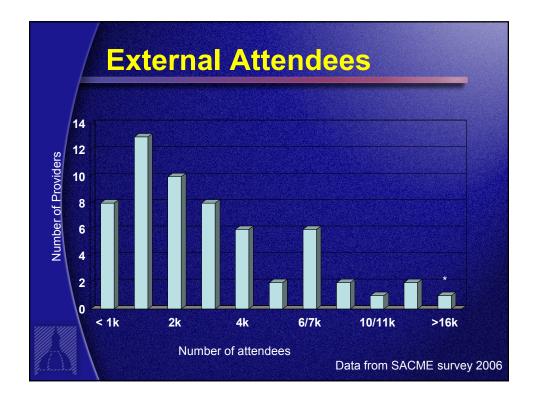


- Accreditation Council for CME (ACCME)
- Accreditation with Commendation (top 10%)
 - 6 years
 - Exemplary compliance in 1.1, 2.1, 2.4, 2.5
- Included in Best Practices by ACCME
- Included in *Best Practices* by Alliance for CME

Role in LCME







Referrals

- 50% of "community" attendees at a Cardiology course referred patients
- Case study- ~ 7 years
 - 25 of 26 physicians referred patients
 - 1760 patients referred
 - > 57 million in charges
- May be a continuous loop – CME-referral-CME-referral

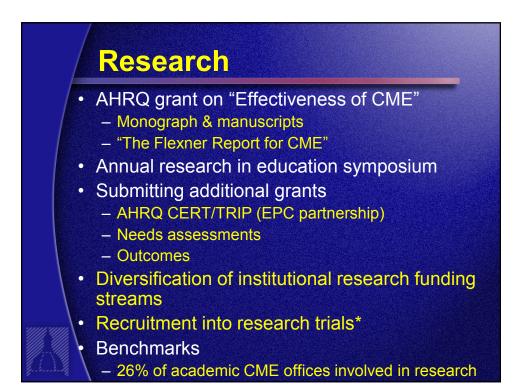
Licensure, Credentialing & MOC

 Through RSC/RSS and other activities your staff likely receive all or most of their credits on site

2500 * 25 credits * \$25/credit = \$1.5 million 2500 * (4*100/1000) = \$1-10 million

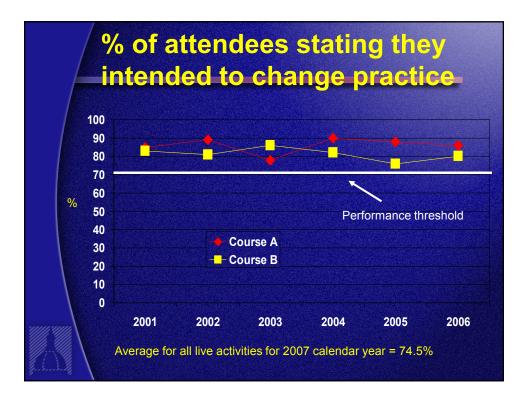
Tripartite mission + 1

- Research
- Education
- Patient care
- Leadership



Education

- Regularly Scheduled Conferences (RSCs)
- QI/PI/RM- education as a lever for change
- Institutional Training
 - Course director's module
 - Grand Rounds series on CME, Lifelong learning & MOC
 - CORE
 - BOM
- Faculty development activities
- Teacher credits & portfolio material
 - > 33% of faculty participate in activities sponsored through OCME

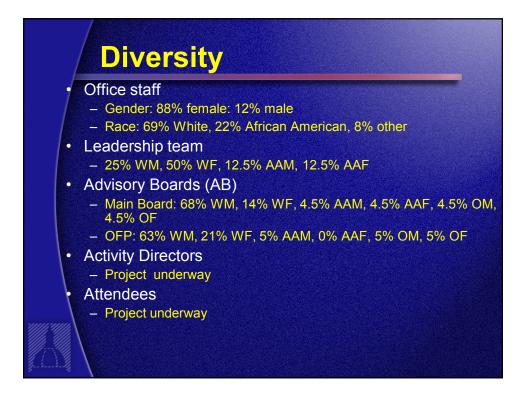


Patient Care

- Practice-focused Continuing Professional Development
- Projects
 - Partnerships with PI/QI
 - UHC projects
 - Risk Management program
 - E learning tool with Clinical Practice Association
 - "How to admit harm"
 - Possible projects with CPOE being explored



Org Chart				Todd Doman Director Administrative Assistant/Coordinator		
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Policies & Procedures

- Standardized for all activities
- All policies submitted for review and approval by ABs
- · Major policies resubmitted yearly for review and approval
- Activities must have Hopkins faculty as Director/codirector with content under their control
- Applications must be reviewed & approved by ACS, ABs and then by Associate Dean
- Disclosure managed by ACS & Associate Dean +/- AB
- Marketing meets institutional & ACCME guidelines
- LOAs meets institutional & ACCME guidelines

MO: Continuous Improvement

Financial

- Audits
- Internal & External controls
- Good shepherd (tax, travel)
- Account Trak
- Income diversification
- Process redesign
 - Standardized procedures
 - CRRC
 - SWOT
 - Yearly theme
 - Web

- Partnerships
 - QI/PI
 - Innovation
 - RM
 - CPA
 - POE
 - MedBiq
- Legal
 - State reporting
 - Marketing
 - Copyright
 - LOA
- Metrics/benchmarking

Liability Management

- State licensure
- Hotel contracts
- Printing contracts
- Email & fax blast laws
- Tax regulations
- Copyright management
- Accreditation & Compliance Office

HIPPA



Future

- Tighter integration with QI/PI, RM, CPD, CPA
- Simulation center
- Progress from ROE to ROO to ROI
- Upfront integration of CME into planning & achieving JHUSOM strategic goals
 - CME as a Strategic Lever

