



ABOUT THE AMD3 FOUNDATION

The mission of the AMD3 Foundation is to promote education, research and other related charitable activities in patient and family centered care while advancing the art and science of performance in order to improve the delivery of care. The Foundation was officially established in 2003 as a non-profit organization.

For more information, please visit www.amd3.org.

BONE AND JOINT HEALTH SERIES

www.boneandjointhealth.org

The Bone and Joint Health Series has reached over a thousand people and features experts who specialize in hip and knee joint replacement, back surgery, osteoporosis, arthritis pain management, physical therapy, diet and exercise. One participant in the series said that it is "informative and helps relax some of your fears." A patient who benefited from this continued education hand-wrote a note describing her excellent experience. She had two total knee replacements after ten years of struggling with pain. Only four weeks after surgery, she was able to go to Disney World with her grandchildren. She wrote that the care she received "made the whole passage so easy and comfortable."

PATIENT AND FAMILY CENTERED CARE WORKSHOP SERIES

www.patientandfamilycenteredcare.org

The *Patient and Family Centered Care Workshop Series* is geared toward all caregivers from support staff, nurses, doctors and in fact, any person that has the potential to impact a patient's care experience. The AMD3 Foundation has supported hundreds of attendees with awards to cover the cost of their participation. Continuing Medical Education (CME) credit and Nursing Contact Hours are provided to eligible participants. Past program topics include: "Lessons to be Learned from Other Service Industries: Disney and Games," "Designing the 21st Century Hospital and the Delivery of Care: People, Processes and Facilities," "Designing Patient and Family Centered Programs, Offices and Hospitals," "Putting Patients First: Patient and Family Centered Collaborative Care Changing the Culture at Your Institution" and "Patient Focused Care."

Bone and Joint Health Series Upcoming Programs

June 13, 2009

LET YOUR JOURNEY TO WELLNESS BEGIN:

***Hip, Knee Arthritis and Joint Replacement
Surgery***

Location: Auditorium,

Magee-Womens Hospital of UPMC

September 12, 2009

Dates and locations are subject to change.

Patient and Family Centered Care Upcoming Programs

February 6, 2009

***Designing the Care Experience...
MyPerformance for Care Givers***

Location: The Circuit Center and Ballroom

Featuring Keynote Speakers:

Fred Lee, author of *If Disney Ran Your Hospital: 9 1/2 Things You Would Do Differently*

Brenda Bakker Harger, Theatre Director, Improviser and Professor, Carnegie Mellon's Entertainment Technology Center

PFCC VisionQuest: July 17, 2009

The Innovator's Conference: November 13, 2009

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