

## Office of Continuing Medical Education Mission Statement

**Mission:** To be the world leader in healthcare education with the ultimate goal of improved healthcare and patient outcomes.

**CME Vision:** To provide physicians and other health care providers with exemplary, cutting-edge endeavors which teach evidence-based practices and identify new and emerging health care needs and opportunities from research through delivery of care so that, through education, we can significantly improve health.

**Content Areas:** The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine's CME Program consists of educational activities, which serve to maintain, develop, or increase the knowledge, skills, and professional performance and relationships that a physician uses to provide services for patients, the public or the profession; and it includes primary care, specialty, and subspecialty topics in the field of medicine. The content of CME is the body of knowledge and skills generally recognized and accepted by the profession as within the basic medical sciences, the discipline of clinical medicine, and the provision of health care to the public.

**Target Audience:** Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine's CME Program includes physicians and other health professionals, both local and global.

**Types of Activities:** Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine's CME Program sponsors conferences and workshops, including hands-on and skill training; enduring materials; distance education by telephone, television, and personal computer, as well as other innovative and interactive formats.

**Values:** Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine CME fosters the continuing professional development of health care professionals. The offerings are intended to enhance physician and other health care professionals' training and influence their behavior for the purpose of improving health outcomes.

- The Office of Continuing Medical Education is committed to finding, creating, evaluating and disseminating new approaches to lifelong education
- We value reliability, trust, equal opportunity, diversity, and integrity in all aspects of our work.
- We strive to identify all customers, measure and monitor their levels of satisfaction with our services and to continually improve service satisfaction.
- We seek to provide an evidence-based structure for healthcare education. We are metric and outcomes driven and continually assess the impact of the CME Program through qualitative and quantitative methods. We constantly refine and refocus our efforts aiming for improved outcomes for both the healthcare provider and patients.

**Outcomes:** Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine CME is dedicated to demonstrating improvements in clinical and practice knowledge, clinical and practice attitudes, clinical and procedural skills, clinical and practice behaviors and patient outcomes.

Approved: CME Advisory Board, October 17, 2006  
Adopted: Dean, The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine

Todd Dorman, MD, FCCM  
Associate Dean and Director  
Continuing Medical Education

Edward D. Miller, MD  
Dean of the Medical Faculty  
CEO, Johns Hopkins Medicine