

The 3.5-day Ogden Surgical-Medical Society (OMS) conference will present national, regional, and local experts on patient safety, primary care, and current medical issues. At the completion of the medical conference, clinician attendees will have a better idea of how to treat, manage, and educate their patients by:

1. **Addressing what's new in specialty medicine** (and when to refer) concerning dermatology, ortho spine, sports medicine, vaccines, rheumatology, sexual assault, cardiology, interventional pain options, the Hope Squad, pediatric and adolescent gynecology, exercise for depression, pulmonology: asthma and COPD, interventional radiology: saphenous endovascular ablation, and oncology: breast and prostate cancer.
2. **Identifying current medical issues** (and when to refer) concerning epidemiology: public health beyond out-breaks, drug shortages, opioids in pregnancy, diagnosis, and management of hypertension in pediatric population, secondary hypertension evaluation: who, when, and how, advances in pharmacologic therapy for cardiovascular and kidney disease, Utah state medical examiner, liver transplant politics, and transgender MD talk.
3. **Providing education of interest** concerning the *To Err is Human* Documentary, race against time and tide: Joshua's story of the soccer team cave rescue, communication and teamwork exercise, the elephant in the room: medical informatics, and filling out a death certificate.
4. **Completing an opioid education** CME course to fulfill the Utah DOPL prescription licensure.
5. **Completing a medical cannabis course** of Utah law and the key aspects of physiology, pathology, and pharmacology for information and/or testing for a Utah Medical Cannabis Licensure.
6. **Experiencing hands-on performance lab skills** concerning emergency trach simulation, ACLS recertification, NRP recertification, communication and teamwork exercise, and a continuous glucose monitor session.
7. **Identifying resident quality** improvement project lectures, and posters.
8. **Addressing the current medical issues**, and through review or integration of new or improved discoveries of current medical issues, improve competence and performance in clinical practice for patient care.
9. **Identifying patient and provider safety change** concerning the national patient safety board, culture of safety, preventing medical errors and quality improvement, medical informatics, pre-litigation committee, medical malpractice, patient safety, hospital review committee for risk management, electronic medical records from risk and errors to patient safety and improvement, how quality measures improve patient safety and helps prevent medical errors, the federal health quality: where we've been and where we are going, simpler care for Utah: how and why, and update of the recent Utah legislative session from the UMA perspective. With this information, it is important to discuss the impact on medical practice and practitioners.
10. **Enhancing competence and performance skills** of the interdisciplinary team to improve care of patients needing primary and/or specialty care. The intent is to facilitate productive, collegial action between the medical team, including physicians, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, nurses, social workers, and first responders.