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ANNUAL CONVENTION & SCIENTIFIC ASSEMBLY

**National Medical Association
Obstetrics and Gynecology Section Preliminary Program Outline**

"Prevention, Screening and Vaccination, as Public Health Tools"

***Cassandra Henderson, MD, MSc, CDCES
Section Chair***

***Sheraton Hotel Room, San Juan 1-3
San Juan, Puerto Rico
July 25-29, 2026***

Friday, July 24th University of Puerto Rico
Pathway Program (High School Students)
Combined with Surgery Section
11:00am-3:00pm

Saturday, July 25th Sheraton Hotel Room San Juan 1-3
Resident Program 8:00am-12:45pm

Co Moderators: Dr. Maria Small & Dr. Charlotte Owens
Dr. Camille Clare, "How ACOG Works for You"
Dr. Nabal Bracero "Women's Health in Puerto Rico"
Mr. Kevin Webb "Financial Planning 101: Before Finally Getting Paid"
Dr. Micael Lopez-Acevedo, "Updates in Endometrial Cancer"
Dr. Sasha Ray, "Things I wish I'd Known"
Dr. Cherie Hill "Wellness for the Trainee"
Dr. Sarahn Wheeler, "Stats Jam: Statistics Essentials"

1:00pm – 3:00pm

Edward C. Mazique, M.D., Symposium (non-compete time)

Research Boot Camp 3:15pm-5:30pm

Dr. Donna Neale "TBA"

Dr. Charlotte Owens, "Clinical Trails and Opportunities"
Dr. Maria Small, "Scientific Presentations in a National Setting"



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Sunday, July 26th Sheraton Hotel Room San Juan 1-3
8:00am - 8:45am Ob/Gyn Executive Committee Meeting (closed to EC Members only)

9:00am – 11:00am Edith Irby Jones Plenary (non-compete time)

Resident Research Competition Forum

11:15am-2:15pm

Co Moderators: Dr. Maria Small & Dr. Charlotte Owens
Surgical Skills Workshop & Simulation **Room Bahia 1-2**

2:30pm-4:30pm

Moderator: Dr. Cyril Spann

Residents' Awards Ceremony & Dr. Washington C. Hill Student Scholarship Banquet, Room San Cristobal

7:30pm-9:30pm

Moderators: Dr. Michael Lindsay, Dr. Maria Small, Dr. Charlotte Owens

Presenter: Jitsen Chang, MD “Unity Prenatal Genetics”

Moderator: Dr. Haywood Brown

Monday, July 27th Sheraton Hotel Room San Juan 1-3

7:15am – 8:00am

Dr. Camille Clare, “ACOG Presidential initiative/Critical Access & Rural Health”

Dr. Nabal Bracero, “Greetings from the Island of Puerto Rico”

8:00am - 11:00am Hot Topics in Obstetrics and Gynecology Session:

Moderator: Dr. Tina C. Mason

Doula/Midwives and reducing disparities

Dr. Carolyn Pryor, Dr. Lisa Nicholas, Marie Boone, Dr. Yolanda Lawson

Pediatric Gynecology

Dr. Wendy Jackson

Care for Trans persons

Dr. Uchenna Lizmay Umeh

Updates on Menopause

Dr. Kameelah Phillips

Usage of AI to reduce disparities

Dr. Weiping Lin



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Visit Exhibit Hall
11:00am-1:00pm

Lunch Session 1:15pm-2:30pm Room Bahia 1-2
**“Applying the Continuum of Care to Strengthen Sexually transmitted
infections (STI) Management”**

Hosted by Hologic

Kyle Bukowski, MD, FACOG
Hologic Medical Director
Diagnostic Solutions

Tonya Chaffee, MD, MPH
Clinical Professor, Pediatrics
University of California, San Francisco

Ada Stewart, MD, FAAFP
Academy of Family Physicians
Columbia, South Carolina

3:00pm – 4:00pm Maternal-Fetal Medicine Session Room San Juan 1-3
Moderator: Dr. Robert Maupin, Co-Moderator: Dr. Jay Davis

Preeclampsia Prevention

Dr. Cornelia Graves

Cell Free DNA Screening

Dr. Michelle Y. Owens

4:00pm – 5:00pm Maternal Mortality and Morbidity Updates

Moderator: Dr. Jana Richards

Presenters:

Dr. Annette Perez-Delboy “Updates from the Island”
Dr. Joia Crear-Perry “Reproductive Health, Rights and Justice - The Role of the
Black OB/Gyn”

Savage, Boyce, Walton Dinner Program Room San Cristobal
7:00pm – 9:00pm Moderator: Dr. Michael Hicks, “Historical Perspective”



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Tuesday, July 28th Sheraton Hotel Room San Juan 1-3

8:00am-9:30am Savage, Boyce, Walton Oncology Session:

Moderator: Dr. Michael Hicks, **Co-Moderator:** Dr. Maya Hicks

Speakers: Dr. Maya Hicks, “TBA”

Dr. Monica Jones “TBA”

Dr. Pedro Escobar “surgical management of cervical cancer: Unique considerations for resource constrained environments”

9:30am Dr. Melissa Martinez-Adorno “Military Medicine in ObGyn Care”

10:00am – 11:00am HIV PrEP Program

Speakers: Alftan Dyson, PharmD “TBA”

Dr. Ibiyo Lawrence “The changing demographics of HIV disease and use of HIV PrEP for mature as well as for reproductive age individuals”

Visit Exhibit Hall

11:00am-1:00pm

Lunch Session 1:15pm-2:30pm Room Bahia 1-2

Combined with Family Medicine and Rheumatology

Lupus Focused Panel Discussion

Speakers: “TBA” Hosted by Genentech

3:00pm- 4:00pm General Gynecology Session/Complex Family Planning(CFP)

Presenter: Dr. Eryn K. Wanyonyi, “Medical Improvisation”

4:00pm –5:00pm Pediatric, Adolescent, and Young Adult (PAG) Gynecology Symposium

Moderator: Dr. Leslie Appiah

Overview of Pediatric, Adolescent, and Young Adult (PAG) Gynecology

Dr. Leslie Appiah

Endometriosis in Adolescents and Young Adults: Recognition, Diagnosis, and Management

Dr. Gylynthia Trotman

Ovarian Masses in the PAG Population: Risk Stratification, Surgical Decision-Making, and Ovarian Conservation

Dr. Whitney Wellenstein



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5:00pm – 6:25pm Legend of the Section Reception

Moderator: Dr. Michael Lindsay

Honoree: Dr. Linda Bradley

Wednesday, July 28th Sheraton Hotel

7:00am – 8:00am "Prenatal Screening and Ethics Session"

Dr. Cassandra Henderson, Section Chair

8:00am – 11:00 Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility Session:

Moderator: Dr. Lisa Green

Speakers: Dr. Tia Jackson Bey "The Role of GLP-1 Therapy in Infertility Care"

Dr. Breonna Slocum "Age related fertility decline"

Dr. Gloria Richard-Davis "Midlife and Women's Health"

11:00am-12:00pm

Workshop: Using the GROW model, exploring feedback with adoption of ADAPT framework and micro-skills approach

Presenter: Dr. Dotun Ogunyemi

12:00pm-12:15pm

"Passing of the Gravel"

Dr. Cassandra Henderson – Dr. Charlotte Owens

2027 Planning Meeting

Dr. Charlotte Owens