



MEDICAL FRAUD & OPIOID ABUSE

TORONTO, ON - April 28, 2005

- Location: **Canada Life Assurance Company**
190 Simcoe Street, Corporate Conference Centre, 2nd Floor, Toronto, ON
- Time: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM for the presentation
- Speaker: **Jack Richman, M.D., Medical Director, AssessMed Inc.**
- Cost: \$175.00 + GST of 7% (Total cost + GST = \$187.25)
- Meals: Continental breakfast and lunch will be provided
- To register: Please contact Jacinta Khan at 416-593-2633 ext 250
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To Register Today!**

This one-day seminar is a must attend for anyone involved in investigating, preventing, and deterring fraud! If you are involved in investigating or adjudicating disability claims, drug claims, rehabilitation clinics claims, reviewing clinical notes, or are a medical consultant - this session is a must attend.

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- April 8, 2005: Moncton, New Brunswick
Forensic Document Examinations
Speaker: Marc Gaudreau
- June 2 and 3, 2005: Calgary, Alberta Two-day Seminar
- June 2, 2005 ***Medical Fraud & Opioid Abuse***
Speakers: Dr. Jack Richman
 - June 3, 2005 ***Statement Analysis***
Speaker: Gregg McMartin
- September 22 and 23, 2005: Niagara Falls, Ontario: **Annual Conference**
- ***"Solutions for the Risk You Can't Ignore"***
Hilton Niagara Falls Fallsview, 6361 Fallsview Boulevard, Niagara Falls, Ontario
 - Don't miss the biggest and best health care fraud conference in Canada this year! Join hundreds of industry leaders from insurance companies, health care, law enforcement and professional organizations across Canada and the U.S. in a tremendous opportunity to learn more about health care fraud and network with others who make a difference!
 - The theme of this year's conference is ***"Solutions for the Risk You Can't Ignore"***. It offers an exciting two days of practical, take-home experience with some of North America's leading experts.

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Jack Richman, M.D.

Medical Director, AssessMed Inc.

Dr. Jack Richman is the Executive Vice President and Medical Director of AssessMed Inc. / Complete Medical Associates. Dr. Richman, after being in family practice from 1968 to 1977, specialized in Occupational Medicine, Pain Management and Disability Evaluation.

He is a founding director and first President of the Canadian Society of Medical Evaluators. He is a Diplomate of the American Academy of Pain Management, and a founding Member of the Canadian Pain Society and the International Association for the Study of Pain. He is founder and first president of The Ontario Society of Occupational and Environmental Medicine. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Forensic Medicine. He is a fellow of The American College of Occupational and Environmental Medicine, a Diplomate of Occupational Health and Safety at McMaster University (DOHS), a Certificant of the American Board of Independent Medical Evaluators (CIME), a Certificant of the Canadian Board of Occupational Medicine, a Certificant of the College of Family Physicians of Canada (CCFP) and a fellow of the American Academy of Disability Evaluating Physicians (FAADEP). He is on the Practice Guidelines Committee for the American College of Occupational and Environmental Medicine and is an advisor to the Insights newsletter.

Fraud implies intent. In the medical evaluation of fraud or malingering it is difficult to assess intent without measuring effort or the validity of the test results. If the test results are so far off criteria based norms then it is obvious that a poor effort was willfully given as one cannot perform that poorly based on the criteria without attempting to do so.

This talk will discuss the research into old and new technologies for measuring effort and validity, which based on the results, can open up the questions of motivation and intent. It helps us to differentiate those who, although not being disabled, have an honest belief that they are from those who know they are not disabled and willfully give a poor effort. One particular test of effort for evaluation of complaints of cognitive difficulty or memory impacting on function or ability to return to work will be discussed in detail.

Treatment of chronic pain often leads to opioid prescribing. New research shows that less than 25% benefit as indicated by improved function and 75% do not. As well the research shows that 50% abuse the use of opioids through a variety of methods. The use of opioids is falling out of respect and caution is given as to its use. Reasons for limited approval or denial will be discussed.

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