## Wisconsin Update in Geriatric Medicine Conference



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September 8-11, 2025



The **Wisconsin Update in Geriatric Medicine** conference focuses on interprofessional collaboration and team-based care to deliver the latest information on age-related health issues and to support healthy aging.

It is designed for clinicians who work with older adults, including, but not limited to: physicians, physician assistants, nurses and nurse practitioners, pharmacists, psychologists, social workers and interprofessional trainees.

WUGM is jointly provided by Medical College of Wisconsin and the University of Wisconsin–Madison Interprofessional Continuing Education Partnership (ICEP).

This activity has been approved for AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™, and ANCC, ACPE and CEU credit.



Registration is now open!
For more information visit <u>wugm.wisc.edu</u>

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#### **Course Objectives:**

Over this four day, in-person\* conference, speakers from an array of backgrounds and specialties will promote collaboration, explore the dynamics of team-based care and apply the Geriatrics Ms framework to the care of geriatric patients.

\*we will be offering a virtual live stream of the conference for our VA-affiliated Geriatric Scholars

#### Multicomplexity:

- Describe the operation of long-term care systems and specialized geriatric assessment programs for geriatric patients.
- Provide updates on key geriatric syndromes (e.g., urinary incontinence, metabolic bone disease, dementia, and falls).
- Outline clinical pearls that can be applied to the care of geriatric patients across various settings: hospital, post-acute and long term care, home-based care, rural and urban.
- Apply knowledge of age-related physiological changes in geriatric patients as they relate to the management of common chronic diseases.

#### **Medications:**

- Discuss appropriate pharmacologic and non-pharmacologic treatments for geriatric patients.
- Identify pharmacokinetic/pharmacodynamic changes that affect medication prescribing.

#### Mentation:

- Explain the principles of preventative medicine, ethics, rehabilitation, and psychiatry with a focus on the holistic, whole-person approach of the geriatric patient.
- Describe the benefits, potential risks, and logistical considerations of administering the newest treatments for Alzheimer's Disease.

#### **Matters Most:**

- Describe the importance of determining "what matters most" with a geriatric patient.
- Discuss palliative care and advance care planning.

<u>Topics covered at WUGM will include</u>: geriatric preventive care, comprehensive geriatric assessment, immunizations in older adults, pain management, caring for older rural Veterans, management of common geriatric syndromes, late life PTSD, depression and managing behavioral & psychological symptoms of dementia.

#### More information:

- Lodging
- Registration



