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Our annual "Contemporary Pharmacology and Prescribing in Older Adults" conference is being held in Atlanta, GA on April 1 & 2. Don't miss your opportunity to earn CE for premier pharmacological education with a gerontology focus. Register today!

#### Learn more

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Every quarter, GAPNA recognizes an outstanding member who is up and coming in their specialty and in leadership within the organization. Click below to read more about Lacey.



## **GAPNA Consensus Statement on**

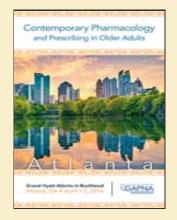
#### **Career Opportunity**

#### MD/DO Opportunity in Michigan

Bronson Methodist Hospital, Kalamazoo, Michigan, is seeking to hire a Board Certified MD/DO to work with the Bronson Geriatric Medical Service. Physician will collaborate with nurse practitioners covering area skilled nursing facilities in Kalamazoo and Battle Creek overseeing the medical care of our patients after hospital transfers.

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## Upcoming Events



#### Mid-Year Pharmacology Conferencee Contemporary Pharmacology and Prescribing in Older Adults April 1-2, 2016 Grand Hyatt Atlanta in Buckhead Atlanta, GA

## **Proficiencies for the APRN** Gerontological Specialist

We hope that all members make time to read GAPNA's consensus statement, and we encourage you to share the link with your colleagues.

Read the statement

## AMDA Futures Foundation Award Winner Announced

Congratulations to current Georgia GAPNA President-Elect Brette Winston on being awarded a scholarship from the AMDA Futures Foundation. Read more below!

#### Read more

## More Patients Getting Effective Treatment, but Progress Lags for Managing Chronic Diseases

More patients are getting the right treatment at the right time for their health conditions, but progress remains modest for patients with chronic diseases such as diabetes and asthma, according to Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality's (AHRQ) recently released <u>Chartbook on Effective Treatment</u>.

#### Read more

## **Getting Social with GAPNA**

Social media is not the way of the future; it is the reality of the present. GAPNA is active on Facebook and Twitter, with an emerging presence on LinkedIn. A primer has been developed for you to better understand these platforms, why they are used, and how you can join the conversations happening online. Check it out!

#### Read More

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Strategies for Improving Adherence: Meeting Our Patients Where They Are (session captured at the GAPNA 2014 Annual Conference)

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