

7:00 AM-5:00 PM	Registration /Ortho Expo	Foyer/Salon 9
7:00 AM	Continental Breakfast	Salon 9
7:30 AM	Interactive Clinical Forum	
7:55 AM	Welcome/Daily Announcements	Basil Besh, M.D., President Russell Nord, M.D., Program Chair
	Apportionment	Moderator: Lawrence Feiwell, MD
8:00 AM	Thoracic Outlet Syndrome Fibromyalgia	
8:45 AM	Expert Panel Discussion / Q&A	
	Apportioning to Genetic Disease	
9:10 AM	Why Orthopaedic Surgeons Need to be Thinking About This –Legislation Pending in Sacramento Genetics May be a Factor- What Does the Literature Say? How to Determine the Percentage of Impairment Can We See Low Back Pain? Do Pathologic Changes on Imaging Studies Make Spines More Vulnerable to Injury?	Gideon Baum, M.D., Consultant Senate Labor & Industrial Relations Committee Jeffrey Coe, M.D. Eugene Carragee, M.D., Stanford *
9:50 AM	Expert Panel Discussion / Q&A	
10:00 AM	How to Apportion Bi-Lateral Injuries - Kite Case Legal Update	Sean Morrisroe, Esq. Bradford & Barthel, LLP
10:30 AM	Q&A	
10:40 AM	Coffee Break / Ortho Expo	Salon 9
	Epidemiology of Cumulative Trauma	
11:10 AM	Q&A	
11:45 AM	Working Lunch	
12:10 PM	Why 400 QMEs Have Been Removed from the QME System	Bill Tappin, Esq., Tappin and Associates
12:30 PM	Q&A	
12:40 PM	How to Write Like an Attorney	Sue Honor-Vangerov, Esq.
	Mechanics of Writing a Medical-Legal Report What Makes a Report Rateable? How to Write a Better Report	
1:10 PM	Q&A	
	Challenging QME/AME Reports	
1:25 PM	Defense Strategies Applicant Strategies What to do if your Report is Thrown Out?	
1:45 PM	Expert Panel Discussion / Q&A	
2:00 PM	Pain Management Treatment Options	Stephen Feinberg, M.D. Feinberg Medical Group
	Subscribing Opioids – How Long and How Many Pills? Alternative Treatment Modalities to Opioids How Can the CURES Database Help?	
2:30 PM	Q&A	
2:45 PM	Coffee Break / Ortho Expo	Salon 9
3:15 PM	DWC 2018 Priorities	George Parisotto, Esq., AD * Division of Workers' Compensation
3:35 PM	Q&A	
3:50 PM	A Walk Through an Efficient Medical-Legal Office	
	Intake Form Review and Organizing Medical Records Evaluation of Patient Writing the Report	
4:05 PM	Q&A	
4:15 PM	What's Changing in Workers' Compensation in 2018 Affecting Orthopaedic Practices?	Sue Honor-Vangerov, Esq.
4:45 PM	Q&A	
5:00 PM	Adjournment	
5:30 PM	Exhibitor Educational Sessions	