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The MedBiquitous® Community Connection newsletter shares ongoing activities for community members and features updates, as well as a list of future engagements. For more information about MedBiquitous, please visit medbiq.org/about_us.

MedBiquitous 2021 - Save the Date!

We are excited to announce that the MedBiquitous annual conference is confirmed for Sept. 20-21, and will be 100% virtual.

Please save the date!

Details regarding the agenda and registration will be shared soon. Please visit https://medbiq.org/medbiq2021 in the coming weeks for updates.

MedBiquitous Call for Proposals

To celebrate the return of the MedBiquitous annual conference and to launch a new method of engaging with the community, we will be offering an open call for content for multiple MedBiquitous platforms.

The call will be used primarily to offer the community an opportunity to present content they are passionate about at either the annual conference or the monthly webinars. We will also be offering a variety of new ways for the community to interact over the coming months, and we will be looking for content for those opportunities as well.

Information on how to submit your proposals can be found here.

Join MedBiquitous Working Groups

The MedBiquitous Activity Report and Professional Profile working groups recently launched and are still accepting new members. If you would like to participate in work related to either of these data standards, please contact medbiq@aamc.org.
**Cast Your Ballot: Open Ballot Reminder**

This is a reminder to all voting body representatives that we have an active ballot that will close on July 2 at 11:59 PM ET. Please refer to your email for more instructions. If you are the voting representative for your organization and did not receive the ballot email, please contact medbiq@aamc.org.

**Update to MedBiquitous Fee and Proration Schedule**

As of July 1, 2021, the MedBiquitous fee schedule will be updated to the model in the table below. Proration occurs at the mid-point of the fiscal year, on January 1, 2022. Those fees are represented in the column next to the full amount.

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Emails were sent to existing MedBiquitous participants to inform them of the changes as we begin preparation for fiscal year 2022.

We are happy that we were able to offer the prior, introductory fee schedule during such an unprecedented time in our recent history.

Future fees are subject to change. Any updates to the fee and proration schedule will be announced in advance of the next fiscal cycle in which they will occur.

**MedBiquitous 2030 Update**

Last month, the white paper “MedBiquitous 2030: Building the Digital Ecosystem for Health Professions Education” was posted in our public comment forum for feedback. The public comment period lasted 30-days and closed on May 13. All submitted comments will now be collected and integrated into a version that will be published on our website.

The MedBiquitous 2030 initiative was the subject of our MedBiquitous Community Connection webinar on April 20. If you were unable to join us, the recorded presentation may be watched here.
Participate in the MedBiquitous ThinkTank

The MedBiquitous ThinkTank is our forum on the AAMC virtual community platform. We will use this space for discussions related to our community activities, like webinars, and our standards development efforts.

Your voice is vital in the data standards community and needs to be heard. What are some education technology challenges you are trying to solve, and how can MedBiquitous help? Your ideas might spark a new project!

If you would like to join the MedBiquitous ThinkTank, email medbiq@aamc.org with the below information:

- First name
- Last name
- Email address
- Professional title
- Institution name
- Institution street address

MedBiquitous Community Connection Webinar Recordings

The catalog of recorded presentations from the entire 2020 season is available here. Viewing the MedBiquitous Community Connection webinar recordings is free, but registration is required. Please use your primary AAMC account login and password to access the content.

Additional presenters for our 2021 webinar season are still being announced. Details related to speakers and topics will be updated at https://www.medbiq.org/mediapublications.

Interested in presenting a webinar topic for MedBiquitous Community Connection? Proposals may be sent to medbiq@aamc.org with the following details:

- Title of presentation
- Speaker(s) name, title, and institution
- 2-3 learning objectives and/or goals for webinar attendees
- Short description of presentation (200 words or less)
- Short description of speaker(s) background (200 words or less)

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Please be safe and healthy.

Best regards,
Johmarx Patton, MD

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