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The Harmony Prenatal Test
is validated for pregnant
women of all ages*

*Both under 35 and over 35 age groups, studies have included women ages 18-48. This is a lab developed test and has not been cleared or approved by the US FDA.

Happy National Women's Health Week!

National Women's Health Week is an observance led by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services [Office on Women's Health](#). The goal is to empower women to make their health a priority. The week also serves as a time to encourage women to take steps to improve their health. The 18th annual National Women's Health Week kicks off on Mother's Day, May 14, and is celebrated through May 20, 2017.



APAOG Events at AAPA

Planning out your schedule at AAPA? Be sure to add these APAOG events to your calendar.

Thursday, May 18, 2017, 5-6 pm

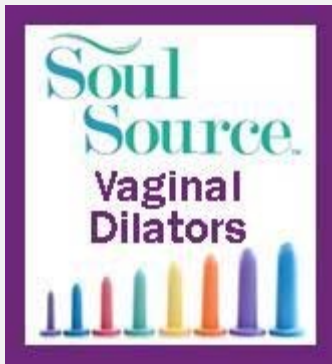
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Menopause: Where are we now?

June 20, 2017 - [Register today!](#)
5PM PT/7PM CT/8PM ET



Speaker: Elyse Watkins, DHSc, PA-C

- Describe the Women's Health Initiative study and its subsequent effect on exogenous hormone utilization during menopause.
- Discuss the current evidence-based guidelines on hormone therapy for menopausal women.
- Differentiate the various treatment options currently available for vasomotor symptoms and vulvovaginal atrophy due to menopause.
- Describe the risks and benefits of hormone therapy during menopause.

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Clinical Updates

Post-partum Depression

"Clinicians can expect to see identification and treatment of post-partum depression getting some much needed attention. According to *Prescriber's Letter*, 12% of moms will develop postpartum depression. Many of these women will avoid discussing these symptoms with their provider. Current recommendations are to screen post-partum women at least once with a standardized tool. Treatment of post-partum depression is the same as that for major depression with a few exceptions for women who are breastfeeding; it should start with nondrug measures such as counseling and support groups, then if needed SSRIs with SNRIs as alternatives."

CDC Hepatitis C One-time Testing Recommendation

In recent years Hepatitis C has received attention for rates of infection and associated morbidity and mortality. The CDC recommendations that adults born during 1945–1965 should receive one-time testing for HCV grew out of a 2012 recommendation report, available [here](#). This screening has since become common practice for many healthcare

providers, including Women's Health providers. On May 9th a study was published in the Annals of Internal Medicine that showed a two fold increase in the number of Hepatitis C infections in reproductive age women from 2006 to 2014. The study conclusion states "These data suggest a recent increase in HCV infection among reproductive-aged women and may inform deliberations regarding a role for routine HCV screening during pregnancy" indicating that future recommendations that impact Women's Healthcare may be forthcoming.

APAOG's Newest Members

Welcome to the APAOG's newest members in April:

Fellow

- Ceara Barmeier
- Aubrey Cox-Alarcon
- Anne Earsley
- Dionea Soares
- Sarah Winter
- Robin Kovatch

Affiliate

- **Joe Amprey**

Associate

- Arianna Schott
- Katie Tichenor

Student

- Leslie Nunez
- Victoria Utz
- Courtney Winterholler

Job Openings

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Nashua, NH

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Events

2017 AAPA Conference

May 15-19, 2017

- **Wednesday, May 17, 2017, 9-10 am**
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 - [SPARK Student Session - PAs in OBGYN](#)
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