Title: SPECIAL SESSION: Improving Patient Outcomes and Healthcare Systems of Care for Individuals With Sickle Cell Disease

Keywords: healthcare systems, pain and sickle cell disease

Description/Overview:
This session will review research to improve outcomes for individuals with sickle cell disease in the emergency department (ED) setting will be summarized. Interventions to improve treatment of vaso-occlusive episodes, and to identify unmet social behavioral health needs in the ED will be discussed.

References:

Organizer
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Author Summary: Dr. Tanabe is the Associate Dean for Research Development and Data Science and the Laurel Chadwick Professor of Nursing at Duke University. She is a clinical, health services, and implementation science researcher. Her research focuses on improving processes of care and clinical outcomes for individuals with sickle cell disease (SCD) with a strong focus on improving treatment of severe painful crisis for individuals with SCD who are treated in the emergency department.

Any relevant financial relationships? No

Signed on 03/23/2019 by Paula Tanabe