



OPMS General Membership Meeting

**From Disaster to Recovery to Opportunity:  
Medicine's Challenges in the Post-Katrina Era**

Thursday, April 6 - Touro Infirmary Cafeteria

5pm Post-Katrina Legal & Tax Updates (optional sessions)  
 6pm Hors d'oeuvres & Visitation with Sponsors  
 7pm Annual Meeting: Greater New Orleans Medical Foundation  
 7:15 pm Meeting & Presentation

Sponsors  
(to Date)

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OPMS, JPMS & St.Benard  
Members: Complimentary

All Others: \$25 per person

To RSVP, call 523-2474 or  
by email to  
burke@opms.org or by fax  
reply at right.

*Guest Speaker:*

**Edward Hill, M.D., President  
American Medical Association**



J. Edward Hill, MD, a family physician from Tupelo, Mississippi, knows well the devastation caused by Hurricane Katrina on his home state and on Louisiana. Dr. Hill will discuss the AMA's role in disaster preparedness and response, and specific actions taken in the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina. Dr. Hill will also provide an update on the AMA's many initiatives to correct the Medicare reimbursement formula, reform medical liability laws, and on quality setting. Please join us for this timely and informative program.

Optional Sessions: Open to Physicians and Practice Staff  
 5pm Business and Personal Tax Implications of Hurricane Katrina

Presented by Ericksen, Krentel & LaPorte, CPAs

Legal Implications of Hurricane Katrina:  
 Medical Liability, Medical Records, Stark and More

Presented by a panel of noted health care attorneys

**RSVP FORM (please copy for each person attending)      RSVP by 4/4**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Address (if changed since 8/05):  
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OPMS Member     Prospective Member     Practice Staff     Guest

I will attend:

Tax Update (5pm) or     Legal Update (5pm)

6:00 pm Reception (Complimentary to physician members/prospective members;  
 \$25 all others)

7:00 pm GNOMF Meeting/OPMS Meeting & Presentation

Please email reply to burke@opms.org; fax to 522-3325 and/or mail to OPMS 400 Poydras Street, Suite 1350, New Orleans, LA 70130. Make check payable to OPMS.