

**Chicago Medical Society  
CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION  
FACULTY DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST POLICY**

In December 1999, the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) updated its Policies and ***Standards for Commercial Support of Continuing Medical Education***, stating that:

**Policy 94-C-05:** “For all CME activities, providers must disclose to participants prior to educational activities the existence of any significant financial or other relationship a faculty member or the provider has with the manufacturer(s) of any commercial product(s) or provider(s) of any commercial services discussed in an educational presentation.”

**Policy 99-C-07:** “the accredited provider shall require the speaker to disclose that the product is not labeled for the use under discussion.”

To be in compliance with the ***Policies and Standards***, the Chicago Medical Society, as an accredited provider, has developed the following disclosure of interest policy:

The Chicago Medical Society requires that faculty members of CME activities that CMS sponsors or joint sponsors, must disclose the existence ***and type*** of any significant financial interest or other relationship a faculty member has with a commercial entity that might have an impact on his or her presentation (such as consultant, speaker, investigator, grantee, researcher, major stock shareholder, etc.) In addition, a faculty member must disclose to the audience when a product is ***not labeled*** for the use under discussion. This disclosure must be made at the CME activity and, when possible, in all promotional material.

Having a declared financial relationship does not prevent the faculty member from making a presentation or CMS from sponsoring or jointly sponsoring a program; however, general information on such relationships will be communicated to participants, as specified in the ***Standards***.

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**DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST DECLARATION**

In accordance with the above-cited disclosure of interest statement, following are all **financial or significant relationships with commercial entities of which I am aware;**

List Company (ies) and **Type** (s) of Relationships (i.e. consultant, speaker, investigator, etc.):

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**Name (please print):**

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**CME Activity:**\_\_\_\_\_ **Activity Date:**\_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:**\_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_