



# NCSMA Summer Seminar 2024 August 9 – 11, 2024

Hosted by the Gaston County Chapter of Medical Assistants

Courtyard by Marriott, Gastonia, NC *(Ask for NCSMA for discount rate)*  
704.852.4411 Single: \$99 Double: \$109  
(HOTEL DEADLINE: July 9, 2024)



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## Friday, August 9, 2024

6:00 – 8:30 pm Early Registration at Courtyard Marriott

## Saturday, August 10, 2024 FIRESTONE WESLEYAN CHURCH, 1700 Union Road, Gastonia, NC 28054

- 8:00 – 8:15 Registration
- 8:15 – 8:30 **Welcome & Announcements**
- 8:30 – 9:30 *More Than a Diagnosis: How Alzheimer's Affects the Community* - Stephanie Robinson
- 9:30 – 10:00 **BREAK**
- 10:00 – 11:00 *What is a Child Advocacy Center?* – Sherry Reinhardt
- 11:00 – 12:00 *Hypothyroidism, Hyperthyroidism, Pathophys/Labs/Treatment* - Dorothy Kodzwa, MD
- 12:00 – 1:30 **LUNCH on your own**
- 1:30 – 2:30 *Healthcare Finance Simplified* – Heather Ray Callahan, CPC
- 2:30 – 2:45 **BREAK**
- 2:45 – 3:45 *Leadership Styles in the Medical Office* – Shannon W. Thomas, CMA (AAMA)
- 3:45 – 4:45 *Making a Difference, One Patient at a Time* – Rebecca Walker, CMA (AAMA), BS
- 4:45 – 5:00 Final Announcements

## SUNDAY, August 11, 2024

NCSMA Post-Seminar Board Meeting - Courtyard by Marriott

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**Registration Information**

Name/Credentials: \_\_\_\_\_ AAMA# \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address/City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Fees (Please Check)		√			√
AAMA Member	\$40.00		Non-Member	\$55.00	
Student	\$10.00		Late Fee (After August 5)	\$10.00	
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Total AAMA Member/Student	\$		Total Non-Member	\$	

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE: AUGUST 5, 2024**      **NO REFUNDS AFTER August 1, 2024**

*NOTE: If you choose to register online, additional fees charged by PayPal will be added to the registration fee at the time of checkout. You will have an option to opt out before final checkout.*

Please make checks payable to: **NCSMA Summer Seminar**  
 Mail registration form to: **Tracy Stiwalt, CMA (AAMA)**  
 1850 Puetts Chapel Rd  
 Bessemer City, NC 28016-9575

**OR Complete online registration at:**  
[www.ncsma.org](http://www.ncsma.org) (preferred)

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