

PROGRAM TITLE **Breathe Easier: Care for Patients with COPD**

(An educational program for pharmacists and pharmacy technicians)

LOCATION

Mill Street Grill
1 Mill St.
Staunton, VA, 24401
(540)-886-0656

For directions to the Mill St. Grill go to the web site:

<http://www.millstreetgrill.com/directions.htm>

DATE/ TIME

Tuesday, October 12, 2004

Registration: 6:30 – 7:00 PM

Program/ Dinner: 7:00 – 8:30 PM

COORDINATING ORGANIZATION

Region I, Virginia Society of Health-System Pharmacists

Sponsor: Pfizer Incorporated (Bill Copenhaver)

MEETING

Free to VSHP members only/ \$20 for guests/ nonmembers

LOCAL CONTACT

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RSVP by Friday, October 1, 2004 w/ dinner selection

Dinner selection: Specialty Ribs, Chicken or Vegetarian

Speaker

Ralph E. Small Pharm.D.

Professor of Pharmacy and Medicine

Virginia Commonwealth University Medical Center

Richmond, Virginia

Objectives:

Learning objectives

Upon completion of this program, the participant will be able to:

- 1) Describe COPD, its prevalence and burden of illness.
- 2) Describe the new GOLD guidelines for managing COPD.
- 3) Discuss current treatment options via an evidence-based management approach.
- 4) Provide an overview of traditional, new and investigational medications for the management of COPD.
- 5) Demonstrate proper use of the various devices for drug therapies for COPD.



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