

AMERICAN BALINT SOCIETY AND THE  
CREDENTIALLING COORDINATING COMMITTEE

# Credentialed Leaders Weekend

## JOIN US...

to revitalize your Balint Leadership and experience the support and fellowship of other credentialed leaders.

## Goals for the Weekend

Use the Balint method to identify and work through issues that arise when leading Balint groups.

Become aware of the concept of parameters: What are the fundamentals of Balint work which are immutable? What are the features of Balint work which can vary according to circumstances or are open to innovation?



## AMERICAN BALINT SOCIETY

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October 2-4, 2009  
Eagle Crest Resort  
Ann Arbor/Ypsilanti, Michigan

Join us for the inaugural Credentialed Leaders Weekend held in a relaxing resort setting just outside Ann Arbor, Michigan



## SCHEDULE

### Friday evening

2:00-4:30 – Reflections on ABS origins (optional)

5:30-6:30 - Registration and light dinner

6:30-7:00 - Opening

7:15-9:00 – Balint Groups (2)

### Saturday morning

8:30-10:00 – Balint Groups (2)

10:15-11:00 – Debrief in Balint Groups

11:00-12:30 – Large group. Define parameters and redistribute into discussion groups

Lunch – 12:30-2:00

### Saturday afternoon

2:00-4:00 - Balint Groups (2)

Saturday evening – Dinner in Ann Arbor

### Sunday morning

8:30-10:00 – Balint Group (1) and closing in small group

10:15-11:30 – Large group and redistribute to discussion groups

11:45-12:15 - Large group Closing



## FEES

- Conference Registration - \$150
- you must be a current ABS member
  - Please [click](#) to access our registration on the ABS website.
- Hotel Rate - \$99.00 per night

## RESERVATIONS

Marriott Eagle Crest Resort  
1275 S Huron Street  
Ypsilanti, Michigan 48197 USA  
Phone: 1-734-487-2000

Request the American Balint Society Conference rate.

## CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT

12 Credit hours have been applied for through the American Academy of Family Physicians.

### Transportation:

Air travel to Detroit Metropolitan Airport - 14 miles east of Eagle Creek  
Amtrak to Ann Arbor - 15 miles northwest of Eagle Creek

What does this patient need and what can this particular doctor do?

**-MICHAEL BALINT**