



2026 BASIC EDUCATION SEMINAR

SEPTEMBER 9-11, 2026
WESTIN HOTEL DIA
DENVER, CO

*ALL TIMES LISTED IN MDT

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2026

4:00PM -
6:00PM

EARLY REGISTRATION - *REGISTRATION DESK*

4:00PM -
5:00PM

SPEAKERS MEETING - *SPRUCE*

6:30PM -
9:30PM

HIMS CHAIRS DINNER - *INVITATION ONLY - OFFSITE*

DAY 1 - WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2026

7:00AM -
8:00AM

BOAF MEETING (CLOSED) - *MAPLE*
BOAF AL ANON MEETING (OPEN) - *BOXELDER*

7:00AM -
9:00AM

BREAKFAST - *ALDER*

7:00AM -
9:00AM

CHECK IN - *REGISTRATION DESK*

9:00AM -
9:15AM

WELCOMES, INTRODUCTIONS, THANK YOU'S
CPT. PETERSEN, CPT. JONES, DR. SNYDER

9:15AM -
9:50AM

HIMS OVERVIEW, DATABASE AND HIMS WEBSITE TOUR
CPT. PETERSEN, CPT. JONES, DR. SNYDER

9:50AM -
10:35AM

THE DISEASE ADDICTION
DR. BEDI

10:35AM -
11:00AM

NETWORKING BREAK - *SPRUCE FOYER*

11:00AM -
11:45AM

TREATMENT
DR. BEDI

11:45AM -
12:00PM

HIMS TIMELINE
DR. SNYDER

12:00PM -
12:30PM

FAA PROCESS
DR. GIOVANETTI, DR. DUMSTORF



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DAY 1 - WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2026 CONT

12:30PM -
12:40PM

AVIATION FAMILY FUND
CPT. ARCHIBALD

12:40PM -
2:00PM

LUNCH BREAK - ALDER - SPEAKER TBD

2:00PM -
2:30PM

DUAL DIAGNOSIS
DR. BURGDORFF

2:30PM -
3:00PM

INITIAL NEUROPSYCHOLOGIC & PSYCHIATRIC EVALUATIONS
DR. SARGENT, DR. DASILVA

3:00PM -
3:15PM

CME/AME TESTING - CONCURRENT WITH THE BREAK
MS. CHRISTI RISLEY

3:00PM -
3:45PM

NETWORKING BREAK - SPRUCE FOYER

3:45PM -
5:00PM

BREAKOUT SESSIONS*

GROUP 1 - PILOTS UNION (OPEN TO ALL ATTENDEES) - SPRUCE
CPT. PETERSEN, CPT. JONES, CPT. MAHONEY

GROUP 2 - PILOTS MANAGEMENT, AIRLINE STAFF - ALDER
CPT. DEJEAN, CPT. OHMSIEDER

GROUP 3 - NEUROPSYCHOLOGISTS (RESTRICTED) - BOXELDER
DR. DASILVA, DR. FOWLER

GROUP 4 - PSYCHIATRISTS (RESTRICTED) - ASPEN
DR. BURGDORFF, DR. SARGENT

3:45PM -
5:30PM

GROUP 5 - AMES (RESTRICTED) - MAPLE
DR. KRAMER, DR. GORDON, DR. ROGERS

5:30PM -
7:00PM

BOAF AL-ANON ATL MEETING - TBD

5:30PM -
7:00PM

ADVISORY BOARD DINNER (INVITATION ONLY) - BOXELDER

END OF DAY 1



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DAY 2 - THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2026

7:00AM - 8:00AM	BOAF MEETING (OPEN) - MAPLE
7:00AM - 8:30AM	BREAKFAST - ALDER
8:30AM - 9:00AM	DOT DRUG TESTING - LEGAL ASPECTS <i>MS. KALFUS, ESQ</i>
9:00AM - 9:30AM	ABSTINENCE TESTING <i>DR. SNYDER</i>
9:30AM - 10:00AM	AA, BOAF, AND SELF HELP RECOVERY PROGRAMS <i>CPT. JONES</i>
10:00AM - 10:30AM	FINDING TREATMENT CENTER AND AFTERCARE <i>MS. WOODS, LCSW</i>
10:30AM - 11:00AM	NETWORKING BREAK - SPRUCE FOYER
11:00AM - 11:15AM	THE FAMILY ROLE IN RECOVERY <i>MS. WOODS, LCSW, MS. SCHROEDER</i>
11:15AM - 11:45AM	MONITORING LETTERS <i>CPT. OHMSIEDER</i>
11:45AM - 12:15PM	WHAT DOES RELAPSE LOOK LIKE <i>CPT. MAHONEY</i>
12:15PM - 12:30PM	HIMS IN THE GENERAL AVIATION WORLD <i>MS. DAY</i>
12:30PM - 2:00PM	LUNCH BREAK - ALDER - SPEAKER TABLES FOR Q&A
2:00PM - 5:00PM	BREAKOUT SESSIONS
GROUP 1	PILOTS- HIMS PROGRAMS BEST PRACTICES - SPRUCE <i>CPT. PETERSEN, CPT. JONES, CPT. MAHONEY, DR. DASILVA</i>
GROUP 2	PSYCHIATRISTS/NEUROPSYCHOLOGISTS - BOXELDER <i>DR. DASILVA, DR. FOWLER, DR. BURGDORFF, DR. SARGENT</i>
3:30PM - 4:00PM	NETWORKING BREAK FOR GROUPS 1 AND 2



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DAY 2 - THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2026 CONT

2:00PM -
3:30PM

AMES BREAKOUT - (RESTRICTED) - MAPLE
HUDDLE TRAINING - MS. ADKINS
AME HIMS CASE #1 - "SUBSTANCE ABUSE"

3:30PM -
3:45PM

NETWORKING BREAK

3:45PM -
5:30PM

AMES BREAKOUT - (RESTRICTED) - MAPLE
AME HIMS CASE #2 - "WHAT DO YOU MEAN I NEED TREATMENT"
AME HIMS CASE #3 "DUAL DIAGNOSIS"
WRAP UP

DAY 3 - FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2026

7:00AM -
8:00AM

BOAF MEETING (CLOSED) - MAPLE
BOAF AL- ANON MEETING (OPEN) - BOXELDER

7:00AM -
9:00AM

BREAKFAST - ALDER

9:00AM -
9:05AM

9/11 REMEMBRANCE

9:05AM -
9:30AM

NON-FAA SPEAKERS Q&A

9:30AM -
10:30AM

FAA Q&A
FAA SPEAKERS

10:30AM -
11:00AM

NON - AMES - BEST PRACTICES AND COURSE FEEDBACK

10:30AM -
11:30AM

HIMS AME PROFICIENCY/CME EXAM
MOVE TO MAPLE- CLOSED BOOK

11:00AM -
11:30AM

PSYCHIATRISTS- CME EXAM - OPEN BOOK

11:00AM -
12:00PM

FAA AND HIMS STAFF
COURSE MATERIALS/EXAM TURN IN, UPDATE CONTACT INFO

2026 HIMS BASIC EDUCATION SEMINAR CONCLUDED
THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION - SAFE TRAVELS