

# Right Care Initiative Agenda

May 18, 2009, 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Taking Action: Getting to Zero in Hospital Acquired Infections, and Achieving Safe Control Levels for Blood Pressure, Lipids, Blood Sugar - Implementation Strategies

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Phone Participants: (888) 921-8686 conference line (code 1 0 3 1 0 0 1 0 8 8)

9:30 Welcome and Introductions - Cindy Ehnes, Department of Managed Health Care

✚ Arnold Milstein, MD, MPH, U.S. Health Care Thought Leader, Mercer; and  
Medical Director, Pacific Business Group on Health

✚ Robert Kaplan, Professor and Chair of Health Services, UCLA School of Public Health

### 9:45-1:15- Heart & Diabetes Work Group

✚ Chair, Joseph Scherger, MD, MPH, Clinical Professor, UCSD, Medical Director, Lumetra

#### GOALS OF NATIONAL 90<sup>TH</sup> PERCENTILE PERFORMANCE (2009):

- 70% OF HYPERTENSIVE PATIENTS WITH BLOOD PRESSURE < 140/90 MMHG
- 70% OF PATIENTS WITH CARDIOVASCULAR CONDITIONS WITH LDL-C CONTROLLED < 100 MG/DL
  - 52% OF DIABETICS WITH LDL-C CONTROLLED < 100 MG/DL
  - 81% OF DIABETICS WITH BLOOD SUGAR HBA1C < 9

9:50 to 10:30- Interventions to help achieve 90th percentile in Cardiovascular Disease and Diabetes control measures by 2011 (Blood Pressure, Cholesterol and HbA1c).

#### 1) Partnering to Improve Hypertension Outcomes

✚ Anthony J. Yost, R.Ph, General Manager, West Operating Unit, Novartis Pharmaceuticals

✚ Kenneth S. Wong, Pharm.D., Director, Novartis Outcomes Research

2) Clinical Pharmacists, Key Component of Care Team- Demonstrations in Asheville, NC; Ten City Challenge; UCSF; and University of Southern California

✚ William Soller, Ph.D., University of California, San Francisco, School of Pharmacy

✚ Scott Sproull, Vice President, West Business Sector, GlaxoSmithKline

10:30 – 11:20 Subcommittees deliver recommendations

✚ Patient and Provider Messaging- Jerry Penso, MD, MBA, Sharp Rees-Stealy, Medical Director for Quality Improvement

✚ Refinement of Payments and Incentives- Jack Lewin, MD, MPH, President, American College of Cardiology

✚ Proactive Coaching and Outreach – Allen Fremont, MD, MPH, RAND, Director, Action Consortium to Accelerate Change (Agency for Health Care Research and Quality)

- o Stanford Model Patient Self Management Training- Wells Shoemaker, MD, Medical Director, California Association of Physician Groups

✚ Practice Redesign- Joseph Scherger, MD, MPH, Lumetra

11:20 to 1:15 - Interactive Discussion of Interventions and Action Steps to Reach 90<sup>th</sup> percentile of National Performance - Dr. Scherger

12-12:15 Break

12:15 to 1:15 Working Lunch

Continue discussion of action steps to enable reaching blood pressure, lipid and blood sugar control targets for patient safety, including demonstration project.

**1:30- 5 pm - Healthcare Acquired Infections Work Group (HAI) - Co-Chairs:**

- ✚ Helen Ann Halpin, PhD, MSPH, Professor of Health Policy; Director, Center for Health and Public Policy Studies University of California Berkeley School of Public Health
- ✚ Arnold Milstein, MD, MPH, U.S. Health Care Thought Leader, Mercer; and Medical Director, Pacific Business Group on Health

1:30 – 2:10 Professor Halpin- Preliminary Blue Shield of California Hospital Statewide Survey Results

2:10 to 3:20

Minimizing the exposure of HAIs with Minimally Invasive Surgery (MIS)

- Clinical evidence review and support for increased adoption of MIS
- Case study from employer/health plan

✚ [Introduction to the Value of Minimally Invasive Surgery \(MIS\) and its Effect on Patient Safety](#)

- Mark Talamini, MD, FACS; Professor and Chairman, Dept. of Surgery- UCSD, Past President of SAGES (Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons)

✚ [Women's Health and Minimally Invasive Surgery \(MIS\)](#)

- Warren Volker, MD, PhD, MS, FACOG; Director AI-MIS (American Institute for Minimally Invasive Surgery)

✚ [Two year employer/health plan case study and experience of MIS program implementation](#)

- Ken Detweiler, Colorado Springs School District 11

3:20- 3:30 Break

3:30 PM -4:00- CMS Regional Office Speaker on Never-Events

- ✚ David Sayen, Regional Director, CMS Region IX

4:00 – 5 pm Action Steps and Discussion - Arnold Milstein, MD