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## National Emergency Care Enterprise Workshop Agenda

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The National Emergency Care Enterprise:  
Advancing Care Through Collaboration

## DRAFT AGENDA

May 21-22, 2009

Embassy Suites  
900 10th Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20001

## DAY 1: THURSDAY, MAY 21, 2009

7:30 a.m.– 8:30 a.m. Workshop Registration

8:30 a.m.– 8:45 a.m. Welcome and Workshop Overview

Art Kellermann (Workshop Chair)  
Professor and Associate Dean for Health Policy  
Emory School of Medicine

8:45 a.m. – 9:15 a.m. Keynote Address

Jeff Runge  
President, Biologue, Inc.  
Former Assistant Secretary for Health Affairs  
Department of Homeland Security  
Former Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration  
Department of Transportation

9:15 a.m.– 10:30 a.m. Status Reports: Federal Progress Since the IOM Report Releases  
(2006)

Hospital-Based Emergency Care

Mike Handrigan  
Acting Director, Emergency Care Coordination Center  
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response  
Department of Health and Human Services  
Chair, Council on Emergency Medical Care

Prehospital EMS

Drew Dawson  
Director, Office of Emergency Medical Services  
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration  
Department of Transportation  
Chairman, Technical Working Group  
Federal Interagency Committee on Emergency Medical Services

Emergency Care for Children

Dan Kavanaugh  
Senior Program Manager  
Emergency Medical Services for Children Program  
Maternal and Child Health Bureau  
Health Resources and Services Administration  
Department of Health and Human Services

OR

David Heppel  
Director, Division of Child, Adolescent, and Family Health  
Maternal and Child Health Bureau  
Health Resources and Services Administration  
Department of Health and Human Services

10:30 a.m.– 10:45 a.m. Break

10:45 a.m.– 12:15 p.m. How Federal Policy Affects Emergency Care at the Community Level

Facilitator: Mary Jagim  
Client Engagement Manager, Intelligent InSites  
Senior Health Policy Analyst, Emergency Nurses Association

Participants will provide input on how the policies implemented by the various federal agencies are impacting emergency care systems throughout the United States. A facilitator will direct questions to the audience and solicit their feedback. Topics will include: (1) EMTALA (e.g., changing on-call staffing requirements); and (2) EMS and trauma systems planning and development (history of federal involvement).

12:15 p.m. – 1:15 p.m. Lunch

#### FOCUS AREAS

Objective: The workshop will focus on four areas that are of central concern for policymakers and stakeholders: quality and patient safety, research, workforce training, and financing and reimbursement.

Each of these sessions will last an hour and 45 minutes. Representatives from 5 disciplines will provide introductory remarks (5 minutes each), and then the session chair will engage them in interactive discussions.

The chair will also invite the participation of the audience for their questions and comments. A central theme throughout the discussions will be finding areas where coordinated efforts from the federal partners would be especially useful.

1:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Focus Area #1: Quality and Patient Safety

Session Chair: Michael Rapp  
Director, Quality Measurement and Health Assessment Group  
Office of Clinical Standards and Quality  
Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services  
Department of Health and Human Services

Panelists:

Ron Anderson  
President and CEO  
Parkland Health & Hospital System

Susan Nedza  
Vice President, Clinical Quality and Patient Safety  
American Medical Association

John Fildes  
Chief, Division of Trauma & Critical Care

University of Nevada School of Medicine

Dia Gainor  
Chief, Bureau of EMS  
Idaho Department of Health

Charlotte Yeh  
Chief Medical Officer  
AARP Services

3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. Break

3:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Focus Area #2: Enhancing Emergency Care Research

Session Chair: Tom Scalea  
Physician-in-Chief, Shock Trauma Center  
University of Maryland Medical Center

Panelists:

Roger Lewis  
Professor, Department of Emergency Medicine  
Harbor-UCLA Medical Center

Walter Koroshetz  
Deputy Director  
National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke  
National Institutes of Health  
Department of Health and Human Services

Richard Hunt  
Director, Division of Injury Response  
National Center for Injury Prevention and Control  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
Department of Health and Human Services

Ryan Mutter  
Economist, Center for Delivery, Organization, and Markets  
Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality  
Department of Health and Human Services

Gregory "Jerry" Jurkovich  
Chief of Trauma and Surgical Critical Care  
Harborview Medical Center  
President, American Association for the Surgery of Trauma

DAY 2: FRIDAY, MAY 22, 2009

7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Coffee and Refreshments

8:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. Focus Area #3: Health Professions Training

Session Chair: Jon Krohmer  
Assistant Secretary (Acting) and  
Chief Medical Officer  
Office of Health Affairs  
Department of Homeland Security

Panelists:

Kate Heilpern  
Chair, Department of Emergency Medicine  
Emory University  
President, Society for Academic Emergency Medicine

Wayne Meredith  
Chair, Department of Emergency Medicine  
Emory University  
President, Society for Academic Emergency Medicine

Patricia Kunz Howard  
Operations Manager, Emergency and Trauma Services  
University of Kentucky Chandler Medical Center

Dan Manz  
Director, Emergency Medical Services  
Vermont Department of Health

Sue Prentiss  
Chief, Bureau of Emergency Medical Services  
Division of Fire Standards & Training  
New Hampshire Department of Safety

10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Break

10:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. Focus Area #4: Emergency Care Economics

Session Chair: Guy Clifton  
Professor and Runnells Distinguished Chair  
Department of Neurosurgery  
University of Texas Health Science Center, Houston

Panelists:

Marc Hartstein  
Deputy Director, Hospital and Ambulatory Policy Group  
Center for Medicare Management  
Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services  
Department of Health and Human Services

Catherine Hoffman  
Senior Researcher and Associate Director  
Kaiser Commission on Medicaid and the Uninsured

Gary Little  
Medical Director  
George Washington University Hospital

William Schwab  
Chief of Trauma and Surgical Critical Care  
University of Pennsylvania Medical Center

Kurt Krumperman  
Clinical Assistant Professor  
Emergency Health Services Department  
University of Maryland, Baltimore County

Michael A. Granovsky  
Vice President  
Medical Reimbursement Systems, Inc

12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m. Lunch

1:15 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Federal Partners Roundtable

The federal partners will discuss issues raised by stakeholders during the course of the workshop. Panelists include the Federal partner panelists from Day 1 and the four session chairs.

Session Chair: Art Kellermann  
Professor and Associate Dean for Health Policy  
Emory School of Medicine

Panelists:

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Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Response  
Department of Health and Human Services

Drew Dawson  
Director, Office of Emergency Medical Services  
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration  
Department of Transportation

Dan Kavanaugh or David Heppel  
Maternal and Child Health Bureau  
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Department of Health and Human Services

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3:00 p.m.      Adjourn

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