

**DRAFT Agenda – 2007 Institute for Critical Issues in Health Laboratory Practice:
Managing for Better Health**

Note: Opening and closing sessions will be web-cast. Breakout sessions are by invitation only.

September 23, 2007

6:00 pm – 8:00 pm Orientation/Networking

September 24, 2007

8:00 am – 8:15 am Welcome –
Dr. Joe Boone, CDC/NCPDCID/DLS

8:15 am – 8:30 am The 2007 Institute: Meeting Goals and Objectives
Robert Mittman, Facilitator

8:30 am – 9:00 am Opening Discussion

9:00 am – 9:20 am Keynote Address –
Dr. Brent James, Intermountain Healthcare Inc.

9:20 am – 9:40 am Q & A

9:40 am – 10:00 am Break

10:00 am – 10:20 am Report on the Status of Laboratory Medicine
Dr. Clifford Goodman, The Lewin Group

10:20 am – 10:40 am Q & A

10:40 am – 11:00 am NQF Report: Identification of Performance Measures of
Importance for Quality in Laboratory Medicine
Raj Behal, M.D., M.P.H.

11:00 am – 11:30 am Q & A

11:30 am – 1:00 pm Future of U.S. Healthcare
Dr. Gail Wilensky, Project Hope
Lunch

1:00 pm – 1:10 pm Theme Group sessions –
Charge to participants - Robert Mittman

1:15 pm – 3:15 pm Breakout Session #1

3:15 pm – 3:30 pm Break

3:30 pm – 5:30 pm Breakout Session #2

September 25, 2007

8:00 am – 8:45 am	Highlights from September 24 Breakout sessions – theme group reports
8:45 am – 9:00 am	Break and Move to Breakouts
9:00 am – 11:00 am	Breakout Session #3
11:00 am – 12:30 pm	Lunch (Lunch will be served at 11:30 – allowing time for checkout)
12:30 pm – 2:30 pm	Breakout Session #4
2:30 pm – 2:45 pm	Break
2:45 pm – 4:30 pm	General Session/Final Reports/Future charge

September 26, 2007

8:00 am – 12:00 pm	“Next Steps” meeting
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http://www.cdc.gov/mlp/QIConference/Abstracts/abstract_21.aspx