

# Massachusetts Health Council, Inc.

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## 14<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL PHARMACY PUBLIC HEALTH POLICY SYMPOSIUM

Thursday, January 19, 2012

Waltham-Westin Hotel 70 Third Avenue Waltham, MA 02451

7:30 a.m. – 8:25 a.m. **Registration and Coffee**

8:25 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. **Welcome and Remarks**

**Susan Servais**

*Executive Director, MA Health Council*

**Katherine Keough**

*Co-Chair MHC Pharmacy Access Committee  
Government Relations Manager, Atrius Health*

**Robert Paone, PharmD**

*Co-Chair MHC Pharmacy Access Committee  
Director, Emergency Preparedness Bureau, MA Depart. of Public Health*

8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. **ACO's and Medical Homes:**

**The New Health Care Landscape**

**Richard Lopez, MD**

*Chief Medical Officer, Atrius Health*

**Tara Higgins, RPh, CDOE**

*Clinical Pharmacist, Provider Regions  
BlueCross & BlueShield of RI*

9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

**Update on antipsychotics and adherence in psychotic disorders**

**Oliver Freudenreich, MD**

*First Episode and Early Psychosis Program, Massachusetts General Hospital*

10:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

**Break**

10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

**Game Changing New Therapies**

**Maria M. Ousterhout, PharmD**

*Clinical Consultant Pharmacist, UMass Medical School Clinical Pharmacy Services*

12:00 noon – 1:00 p.m.

**Lunch/Exhibits**

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

**Understanding Cultural Diversity – Patients and Their Families**

**Anita Young, MEd, RPh**

*Northeastern University School of Pharmacy*

**Donney John, RPh**

*Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences*

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

**Regulatory/Legislative Update**

**J.D. Coffey**

*Executive Director, Board of Registration in Pharmacy*

**Paul Jeffrey, PharmD**

*Deputy Director, Office of Clinical Affairs, Commonwealth Medicine  
Director of Pharmacy, MassHealth*

**Madeleine Biondolillo, MD**

*Director, Bureau of Health Care Safety and Quality,  
Massachusetts Department of Public Health*

**Grant Carrow, PhD**

*Director, Drug Control Program, MA Department of Public Health*

3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**Continuous Quality Improvement**

**Leo McKenna, PharmD**

*Quality Assurance Coordinator, Board of Registration in Pharmacy*

4:05 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.

**Awarding of Certificates – You must be present to receive certificates. Certificates will not be mailed.**

Total C.E.U. Credits Approved = 0.65 Contact Hours (Includes .2 Live Law)

For further information call the MHC office at 617-965-3711

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This conference is for pharmacists and those health care providers and advocates interested in pharmacy access issues.

The MA Health Council's annual pharmacy public health symposium provides the most timely, updated information about the role of pharmacists and other allied health professionals in the health care arena. Topics include the roles for allied health professionals in the ACO/medical home new health care environment, understanding cultural diversity in one's patients, game changing new therapies; everything from diabetes care to pain management and much, much more.

The Massachusetts Health Council is a nonprofit, nonpartisan, statewide organization of more than 150 governmental and voluntary agencies, consumer and advocacy groups, professional societies and businesses committed to improving and protecting the health of the residents of the Commonwealth. The Council is a forum for health care leaders to come together to make a difference in improving health. Since it's founding, the Massachusetts Health Council has served to protect and improve individual and community health in the Commonwealth. Our advocacy work includes issues of access, quality, cost, and prevention as well as publishing a nationally recognized Massachusetts health status report, "Common Health for the Commonwealth: MA Trends in the Preventable Determinants of Health".



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