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DAY 1

Afternoon Sessions

January 23, 2006

Please choose **one session per time slot.**

1:45–2:25 p.m.

- Public Health Reform: The Place of Research
- The Evidence-to-Practice Gap: What it is, What it isn't, What we might be able to do with it

2:30–3:10 p.m.

- Saskatchewan's Largest Quality Improvement Project: A Collaborative to Improve Chronic Disease Management and Access to Primary Care
- Combining Data Sources to Create More Informative Quality Indicators

3:30–4:10 p.m.

- The Role of a Stroke Registry in Supporting Accountability and Improvement
- How Often to Test? The Difficulties and Opportunities in Evaluating Diagnostic Imaging

4:15–4:55 p.m.

- The Development of a Health Human Resources Strategy for Ontario
- Organizing to Learn: Cherishing Variation

DAY 2

Morning Workshops

January 24, 2006

Please choose **one workshop per time slot.**

9:00–10:30 a.m.

- 1. Developing Ontario's Health System Performance Measurement Scorecard
- 2. Syndromic Surveillance in the Acute Care Sector: A Dual-Use Application of Real-Time Monitoring
- 3. Propensity Score Methods
- 4. Using the National Ambulatory Care Reporting System (NACRS) for Emergency Department Services Research
- 5. Fun with LHIndicators: Building Population and Health Profiles for Local Health Integration Networks (LHINs) from the Ground Up
- 6. Evidence-Based Advice: Going Beyond the Traditional Clinical Practice Guideline
- 7. Critical Appraisal of Literature for Health Technology and Policy Assessments (HTPAs) in Ontario

10:50 a.m.–12:20 p.m.

- 1. Navigating the *Producing Better Data Stream*
- 2. Grading Quality of Evidence and Strength of Recommendations
- 3. New Directions in Drug-Related Epidemiological Research: Emerging Methodologies, Myths, and Marvels
- 4. Introduction to Decision-Analytic Modeling for Health Economic Evaluations and Decision-Making
- 5. Applying a Population Health Perspective to Health Planning and Decision-Making
- 6. Unlocking the Value of Operations Research (OR) in Health Care
- 7. Lessons Learned in Establishing a Registry