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## Executive Leadership Group for Legal Counsel

October 16 & 17, 2007  
Beacon Hotel  
Washington, DC

### Agenda

#### *Tuesday, October 16, 2007*

- 8:30 AM Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 9:00 AM **Welcome and Introductions**  
Steven A. Wartman, MD, PhD, MACP  
President & CEO  
Association of Academic Health Centers
- Barbara Atkinson, MD  
Executive Vice Chancellor and  
Executive Dean, School of Medicine  
University of Kansas Medical Center  
Co-Chair, AAHC Executive Leadership Group for Legal Counsel  
AAHC Board Liaison
- Charles E. Reiter III, JD  
Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary  
Loyola University Health System  
Co-Chair, AAHC Executive Leadership Group for Legal Counsel
- 9:15 AM **A Dialogue with the Department of Veterans Affairs:  
Malpractice and Other Matters of Interest**  
*Barbara Atkinson, MD, moderator*
- E. Douglas Bradshaw, Jr., Esq.  
Assistant General Counsel  
Department of Veterans Affairs
- Discussion*
- 10:30 AM Break
- 11:00 AM **Debrief from Dialogue with the Department of Veterans Affairs**  
*Discussion – ELG Members only*
- 12:00 PM Lunch

- 1:00 PM                    **Report from the Workgroup on Affiliation Agreements**  
Rebecca Hutton, JD, MS  
University Legal Counsel  
University of Wisconsin - Madison  
Chair, Workgroup on Affiliation Agreements
- Discussion*
- 2:00 PM                    **New Rules for Electronic Discovery**  
Edward F. Shay, Esq.  
Post & Schell PC
- Discussion*
- 3:00 PM                    Break
- 3:30 PM                    **Hearing from Legal Counsel: What's New at Your Academic Health Center?**
- Discussion*
- 5:00 PM – 6:00 PM    Reception

***Wednesday, October 17, 2007***

- 8:30 AM                    Continental Breakfast
- Clinical Trials***
- 9:00 AM                    **A View from the AAHC Forum on Regulation**  
Elaine R. Rubin, PhD  
Vice President for Policy and Program  
Association of Academic Health Centers
- 9:15 AM                    **Informed Consent: Through the Regulatory Thicket**  
Theresa J. Colecchia, JD  
Associate General Counsel  
University of Pittsburgh
- Ann N. James, PhD, JD  
Senior University Counsel  
Office of the General Counsel  
Stanford University
- Judith E. Leonard, JD  
Vice President for Legal Affairs and General Counsel  
The University of Arizona
- Discussion*
- 10:00 AM                    Break
- 10:30 AM                    **Informed consent: Additional Views and Issues**
- 11:45 AM                    **Next Steps**
- 12:00 PM                    Adjourn