12th Annual ATP Alumni Conference

QI Comes of Age: Health Reform Accelerates

February 15-17, 2017

At Newpark Resort in Park City, Utah
Intermountain Healthcare’s Institute for Healthcare Delivery Research is pleased to host our 12th Annual ATP Alumni Conference on February 15 - 17, 2017 at the Newpark Resort in Park City, Utah. This year’s theme is QI Comes of Age: Health Reform Accelerates.

Healthcare payment reform and its relation to “quality” is beginning to approach maturity as represented by the recent MACRA rules. During this ATP Alumni conference, we will explore the content of MACRA and its relationship to the fundamental principles of continuous quality improvement and process management. We will also link these ideas to other important and rapid developments in healthcare including the ongoing evolution and role of electronic health records. Under the direction of Dr. Brent James, and including other acclaimed national experts in policy and process management, the conference promises to be an enjoyable learning experience. We hope you will join us and invite you to bring your CIO, fellow alumni, or any of your colleagues from your organization to attend the conference. Group learning will facilitate organizational change as people throughout the organization gain a greater understanding and knowledge of quality.

We hope to see you in beautiful Park City, Utah. Sign up today for the 12th Annual ATP Alumni Conference, and join your fellow alumni and their colleagues in a profound and uplifting experience to acquire new knowledge, exchange encouragement and map plans for further progress in quality improvement.

Brent C. James, MD, MStat
Chief Quality Officer
Executive Director for the Institute for Healthcare Delivery Research

Natalie Soria, MBA
Education Manager for the Institute for Healthcare Delivery Research
Wednesday, February 15, 2017

1:30am – 5:00pm
Policy, Payment and Practice  Brent C. James, MD, MStat
Washington Policy and Direction  Governor Michael Leavitt

Thursday, February 16, 2017

8:00am – 5:00pm
Leading Healthcare Systems and Policy  Gary E. Bisbee, Jr, PhD & Nathan Bays
Broad Details of MACRA
Innovation in Healthcare  Spencer Nam
Population Health  TBA

Friday, February 17, 2017

8:00am – noon
Next Generation EHR  Todd Allen, MD and others TBA
Activity Based Design
Brent C. James, MD, MStat, is the Chief Quality Officer and Executive Director of Intermountain Health Care’s Institute for Health Care Delivery. He is a national leader in applying quality management principles to reduce costs by improving health care delivery. Dr. James is at the forefront of Intermountain Healthcare’s quality effort, adding a strong emphasis on patient care, clinical medicine, and the scientific method to Intermountain Healthcare’s management strategy. He has been instrumental in showing that quality improvement is a natural extension of clinical research and medicine’s long-standing commitment to patient care.

Dr. James received his M.D. Degree (1978) from the University of Utah School Of Medicine, followed by residency training in General Surgery. He is an Adjunct Professor at the University of Utah School of Medicine, Department of Family and Preventive Medicine, and holds a Visiting Lectureship in the Department of Health Policy and Management at the Harvard School of Public Health. His undergraduate degrees in Computer Science (1974) and Medical Biology (1975) supplement a Master of Statistics degree (1983), all from the University of Utah, with subsequent fellowship training in Biostatistics at the Harvard School of Public Health (1983).

Mike Leavitt is the founder and chairman of Leavitt Partners where he helps clients navigate the future as they transition to new and better models of care. In 1993, Mike was elected governor of Utah. He served three terms (1993-2003). In 2003, he joined the Cabinet of President George W. Bush, serving in two positions: first as administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency (2003-2005) and then as secretary of Health and Human Services (2005-2009). At HHS, he administered a $750 billion budget — nearly 25 percent of the entire federal budget — and 67,000 employees.

Mike’s strategic ability can be seen in his redesign of the nation’s system of quality and safety standards for imported goods. In the spring of 2006, President Bush assigned him to lead a government-wide response. Within months, he commanded a major strategic shift in U.S. policy on import regulation and trade. While at EPA he oversaw the implementation of the most protective ground-level ozone standards in our nation’s history and signed the Clean Diesel Rule, a landmark rule to cleanup nonroad diesel fuel. His service at HHS included the implementation of the Medicare Part D Prescription Drug Program and the planning and preparation for a pandemic flu.

Collaborator is a word that comes up repeatedly when one examines Leavitt’s background. His skill led colleague governors to elect him as chairman of the National Governors Association, the Republican Governors Association and Western Governors’ Association. He is a seasoned diplomat, leading U.S. delegations to more than 50 countries, conducting negotiations on matters related to health, the environment and trade.
Gary E. Bisbee, Jr., PhD is co-founder, Chairman and CEO of The Health Management Academy. He has a long-standing professional involvement in this area, which includes being a faculty member in graduate management programs at Yale and Northwestern Universities, President of the Hospital Research and Educational Trust, and as the research and educational affiliate of the American Hospital Association. He has served as CEO for an HMO, practice management, information services and medical device company, as well as Director of the Healthcare Services Group of Kidder Peabody & Co. Gary earned his M.B.A. in finance from The Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania and his Ph.D. is from Yale University in chronic disease epidemiology, with an emphasis on survey research. His dissertation was a key part of the development of DRGs.

Nathan Bays is an experienced attorney and health care executive. He has worked as legal counsel to hospitals and health systems, also serving as a strategic advisor on policy, governance, and health care innovation. In his role as General Counsel and Executive Director to The Health Management Academy (The Academy), Nathan advises the senior management team on corporate and governance matters and serves as a strategic advisor to Leading Health System executives. As Executive Director of The Academy Advisors, Nathan works closely with the C-suite executives of health system partners on health policy and strategy. Prior to joining The Academy, Nathan served as legal counsel to hospitals, health systems, and corporate clients on regulatory and transactional matters. He also worked with health systems and other health care providers on issues ranging from Stark and Anti-Kickback compliance to capital markets financing and mergers & acquisitions.

Nathan is a frequent speaker to hospitals, health systems, and the health care investment community on topics such as the impact of federal health policy on new delivery models.

Nathan received a juris doctor from Wake Forest University School of Law, and a bachelor’s degree in finance from East Tennessee State University.

Spencer Nam’s research at the Christensen Institute focuses on disruptive innovations in the healthcare industry. Spencer has over 15 years of professional experience working with U.S. and international healthcare enterprises, most recently as an equity research analyst covering more than 50 medical technology companies. He also has advised numerous privately owned MedTech companies as well as the South Korean government on the future of the global telemedicine industry. Spencer’s Wall Street career included tenures at Cowen & Company, Summer Street Research Partners where he served as Director of Research, Madison Williams and Company, ThinkEquity, and Janney Montgomery Scott. Prior to his career in equity research, he was a consultant at Bain & Company advising senior management teams of Fortune 500 technology and financial services companies. As a member of the investment team at Technology Directors, he researched early-stage venture capital financed technology and life science companies. Prior to Bain, Spencer advised Partners Healthcare System in Boston on post-merger integrations. Spencer holds a BA in mathematics from Harvard University and an MBA from the Harvard Business School.
ATP Alumni Reunion Registration Form

Fees are due at the time of registration and can be paid by either check or credit card. Checks should be payable to “Intermountain Healthcare” and sent with the registration form; credit cards are accepted by calling (801) 442-3717.

To register:

By Email: Complete and email this form to: institute@imail.org

By Mail: Complete and mail this form along with check to:

Intermountain Healthcare Institute for Healthcare Delivery Research
Attn: Natalie Soria, MBA, Education Manager
36 South State Street, 16th floor
Salt Lake City, UT 84111

For registration questions, call 801-442-3623

Alumni Reunion Registration – $1,000.00
Wednesday, February 15, 2017 from 1:30 PM – 5:00 PM
Thursday, February 16, 2017 from 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM
Friday, February 17, 2017 from 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Name: ___________________________________________ Credentials: _______________________

Title or Position: ________________________________________________________________

Company or Organization: __________________________________________________________

Graduating Course (ATP/miniATP & year): ___________________________________________

Mailing Address: __________________________________________________________________

City: ___________________________ State: __________________ Zip Code: ____________

Phone: ___________________________ E-mail: ___________________________
HOTEL INFORMATION

The 12th Annual ATP Alumni Conference will be held at the Newpark Resort in Park City, Utah.

A specially priced block of rooms has been reserved at the Newpark Resort until January 15, 2017 (discounted rate of $169.00 per night plus tax and a resort fee). To make reservations, please call the Newpark Resort at (435) 649-3600 and identify yourself as part of the “Intermountain Healthcare ATP” group. You may also email directly for reservations and details reservations@newparkresort.com.

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Airport Transportation:

Newpark Resort is ideally located in Park City, Utah, just 35 minutes outside of Salt Lake City and 40 minutes from the Salt Lake City International Airport.