NEW YORK DOWNTOWN HOSPITAL'S SEVENTH ANNUAL EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS SYMPOSIUM

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2009, 8:30 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. The Goldman Sachs Conference Center, 32 Old Slip in Lower Manhattan

8:30 a.m. – 8:55 a.m. Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:00 a.m. – 9:10 a.m. Welcome

JEFFREY MENKES

President and Chief Executive Officer New York Downtown Hospital

BRUCE D. LOGAN, M.D.

Chair Emeritus
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Symposium Director

9:10 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

TOPIC: MODELING H1N1 PANDEMIC SPREAD SPEAKER: NATHANIEL HUPERT, M.D.

10:00a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

TOPIC: NEWYORK-PRESBYTERIAN HEALTHCARE SYSTEM RESPONSE TO H1N1 INFLUENZA PANDEMIC

SPEAKER: ALFRED A. VILLACARA, D.M.D.

10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. Coffee Break – Lobby

10:45 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

TOPIC: NEW YORK CITY RESPONSE TO H1N1 SPEAKER: MARCELLE C. LAYTON, M.D.

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

TOPIC: NEW YORK STATE RESPONSE TO H1N1 SPEAKER: GUTHRIE BIRKHEAD, M.D., M.P.H.

12:15 p.m. – 1:15 p.m. Lunch

1:15 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

TOPIC: ALL DISASTERS ARE LOCAL SPEAKER: STEPHEN GANYARD, M.I.P.P.

2:00 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.

TOPIC: INFLUENZA DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT

SPEAKER: MICHAEL TAPPER, M.D.

2:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Question and Answer Period – Auditorium Coffee Break – Lobby

3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

TOPIC: PERSONAL PROTECTION: KEEPING YOU AND YOUR FAMILY SAFE

SPEAKER: ELIOT LAZAR, M.D.

3:30 p.m. – 3:50 p.m.

TOPIC: LOCAL RESPONSE AS SYSTEM AFFILIATE SPEAKER: ANTONIO SUAREZ, M.S., NREMT-P, CIC

3:50 p.m.

Concluding Remarks:

BRUCE D. LOGAN, M.D.

Educational Goals:

To familiarize healthcare professionals with topics of readiness and response to large scale emergencies, such as pandemics, natural disasters and terrorist attacks.

Target Audience:

Primary care physicians and internists; RN's; all medical professionals involved with the delivery of emergency care; public health officials; emergency, safety, and corporate medical unit personnel; and government and community leaders and representatives.

Accreditation:

The Medical Society of the State of New York (MSSNY) accredits institutions for the provision of continuing medical education for physicians. New York Downtown Hospital, as an accredited provider, hereby designates this program for 6 category I continuing medical education credits for AMA/PRA™. Each physician may claim credit according to his/her participation.

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