

Summit on the New Laboratory Director Accreditation Guidelines:

Information Every Hospital Administrator Needs to Know

Thursday, May 11th » Day One Morning

7:30 am – 8:30 am **Registration and Continental Breakfast**

8:30 am **Welcoming Remarks and Industry Overview**

- Describe industry factors that influenced expansion of accreditation guidelines for Laboratory Directors.
- Review how Laboratory Director delegated responsibilities affect hospital laboratory organizational reporting relationships.
- Summarize potential liability and contract issues that impact hospitals and pathology groups.

Mr. Barry Portugal

President

Health Care Development Services, Inc.

**The Accreditation Organizations' Perspective:
Laboratory Director Accreditation Guidelines**

- Describe factors that influenced expanding criteria for Laboratory Director role and responsibilities.
- Explain how surveyors will evaluate the effectiveness of Laboratory Director delegated responsibilities.
- Summarize key Laboratory Director responsibility deficiencies found during inspections, and give examples of successful plans of correction.

9:15 am **The CLIA Experience With Laboratory Director
Role and Responsibilities**

Ms. Judy Yost

Director, Center for Laboratories

US Department of Health & Human Services

10:00 am **Break**

10:30 am **College of American Pathologist's Accreditation
Guidelines: Laboratory Director Role
and Responsibilities**

Bruce Williams, MD

Chair, Commission on Laboratory Accreditation

College of American Pathologists

11:15 am **The JCAHO Perspective:
Laboratory Director's Role and Responsibilities**

Ms. Margaret Peck

Executive Director of Laboratory Accreditation

Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations

12:00 pm **Lunch and Speaker**

Fred Rodriguez, MD

President, American Society for Clinical Pathology

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Thursday, May 11th » Day One Afternoon

- 1:30 pm** **Laboratory Directorship:
A Functional Approach To Role and Responsibilities**
- Review CLMA's position statement on laboratory managerial functions and duties.
 - Review the relevancy of CLMA's position statement and functional approach to today's regulatory and operational environment.
 - Identify alternatives in selecting an appropriate framework for laboratory directorship.
- Ms. JoAnne Milbourn**
President Elect
Clinical Laboratory Management Association
- 2:15 pm** **The Role of PhDs as Laboratory Directors**
- Cite the professional qualifications required for PhD scientists to serve as Laboratory Directors of laboratories performing high complexity testing.
 - Describe the approximate size of the resource pool and the key sources to use when a hospital administrator wishes to appoint a PhD as Laboratory Director of their institution's laboratory.
 - Explain the necessary areas of experience and expertise of PhDs who are professionally qualified to serve as Laboratory Directors of laboratories performing high complexity testing.
- Stephen Kahn, PhD**
Director of Laboratories
Loyola University Medical Center
- 3:00 pm** **Break**
- 3:30 pm** **The Hospital Laboratory Management Team:
A Challenged Future**
- Understand the future challenges to laboratory technology, workforce, demand, and financial issues.
 - Describe the alignment of professional, programmatic, and system needs.
 - Crafting of win-win-win solutions.
- Mr. John Duval**
Chief Executive Officer
Medical College of Virginia
- 4:15 pm** **Question and Answer Session**
- 5:00 pm** **Adjourn**
- 5:30 pm** **Reception**

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Friday, May 12th » Day Two

7:00 am **Continental Breakfast**

8:15 am **Day One Review | Mr. Barry Portugal**

8:30 am **Notes From a Traveling Pathologist:
When You've Seen One Lab, You've Seen One Lab**

- Recognize the role of the Laboratory Director in assuring compliance with accrediting and regulatory requirements.
- Understand the importance of effective, active communication between the Laboratory Director and hospital administrators, and between the Laboratory Director and the laboratory staff to achieve quality and regulatory compliance.
- Understand the need to identify institutional impediments that interfere with quality services or accreditation requirements and identify processes to remove impediments.

Stanley Geyer, MD

Chairman of Pathology
Intermountain Healthcare
Urban Central Region Hospitals

9:30 am **Administrative Directors' Perspectives:
Delegated Laboratory Director Responsibilities**

- Describe the negotiation process with the Laboratory Directors and hospital administrators.
- Differentiate Laboratory Director delegated responsibilities.
- Summarize an approach to trust building.

Ms. Irina Lutinger

Senior Administrative Director, Clinical Laboratories
New York University Medical Center

Mr. Paul Spivey

Administrative Director of Pathology,
Laboratory Medicine, Imaging, and Infusion Clinic
Saint Mary's Hospital and Medical Center

10:30 am **Break**

11:00 am **Contract and Liability Issues Between
Hospitals and Laboratory Directors**

- Understand current regulatory context within which clinical laboratory leadership issues arise.
- Understand liability risks and regulatory compliance. Focus includes understanding of continuing government focus on false claims liability, self-referral, anti-kickback, intermediate sanctions and whistleblower activity.
- Understand essential contractual issues that must be negotiated and memorialized in Laboratory Director relationships.

Mr. Fred Entin

Partner
Foley & Lardner

12:00 pm **Question and Answer Session**

1:00 PM **Adjourn**