

# 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Oregon Rural Health Conference

Wednesday, October 18

## Pre-conference Meetings and Workshops

7:30 am	Registration Table Opens	Great Hall Foyer
8 am – 2:30 pm	Critical Access Hospital Quality Officer Workshop (separate registration required)	Homestead II
8 am – 12 pm	Statewide Area Health Education Center (AHEC) Advisory Board (invitation only)	Homestead III
9 am – 3 pm	Rural Health Clinic (RHC) Workshop (separate registration required)	Homestead I
12 – 1:30 pm	OAHHS, AHEC, Quality & RHC Workshops Networking Buffet Lunch	Great Hall
1 – 3 pm	Oregon Association of Hospitals & Health Systems (OAHHS) Rural Health Reform Initiative (RHRI) Small and Rural Hospital Meeting (invitation only)	Fireside
1 – 3:15 pm	Statewide AHEC Directors Only Meeting	Homestead III

## Conference

3:15 – 3:30 pm	Welcome & Opening Remarks Scott Ekblad, Director, Oregon Office of Rural Health	Great Hall
3:30 – 4:30 pm	<b>CONCURRENT SESSIONS</b>	
Session 1	<b>Community Water Fluoridation: the Science, Citizen Beliefs and Politics</b> Kurt Ferré, DDS, board member Oregon Public Health Association; Charles Haynie, MD, rural Oregon surgeon	Homestead I
Session 2	<b>Obstetric Safety Bundle Implementation in a Rural CAH</b> Dale Robinson, MD, Women’s Clinic, Grande Ronde Hospital	Homestead II
Session 3	<b>Mental Health Crisis Case Management in a Rural Emergency Department</b> Allison Whisenhunt, LCSW, Manager, Care Management, Providence Seaside Hospital	Homestead III
4:30 – 5:30 pm	<b>PLENARY SESSION</b> <b>Prepared Not Scared: Getting Ready for Disasters in Oregon</b> Andrew Phelps, Director, Oregon Office of Emergency Management; Matthew Eschelbach, DO, Emergency Medicine Physician, St. Charles Health System	Great Hall

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<b>5:30 – 7 pm</b>	<b>Conference Reception/View Exhibits</b> Featuring Bluegrass Music by Hardshell Harmony	<i>Heritage/Landmark Galleries</i>
<b>7 – 8:30 pm</b>	<b>Oregon Rural Health Association (ORHA) Board Meeting</b>	<i>Fireside</i>

## Thursday, October 19

<b>7 am</b>	<b>Registration Table Opens</b>	<i>Great Hall Foyer</i>
<b>7:30 – 8:30 am</b>	<b>Breakfast and Oregon Rural Health Association Annual Meeting</b>	<i>Great Hall</i>
<b>8:30 – 8:45 am</b>	<b>Announcements and Introduction</b> Scott Ekblad, Director, Oregon Office of Rural Health	<i>Great Hall</i>
<b>8:45 – 9:30 am</b>	<b>PLENARY SESSION</b> <b>Next Steps for Health Reform in Rural Oregon</b> John Saultz, MD, Emeritus Professor of Family Medicine, OHSU	<i>Great Hall</i>
<b>9:30 – 10 am</b>	<b>Refreshment Break/View Exhibits</b>	<i>Heritage/Landmark Galleries</i>
<b>10 am – 12 pm</b>	<b>CONCURRENT SESSIONS</b>	
<b>Session 1a</b> 10 - 10:50	<b>OHP Back Pain Policy: Tools for Oregon Rural Health Care Providers to Manage Patients' Pain with an Integrative Approach</b> Catriona Buist, PsyD, Assistant Professor Anesthesiology, Perioperative Medicine & Psychiatry Oregon Health & Science University; Nora Stern, MS, PT, Program Manager, Persistent Pain Project, Providence Health & Services Oregon; Samantha Simmons, MPH, President, Oregon Collaborative for Integrative Medicine	<i>Homestead I</i>
<b>Session 1b</b> 11 - 11:50	<b>Oregon's Opioid Crisis- Solutions for Low Resource Settings</b> Andrew Suchocki, MD, MPH, Medical Director, Clackamas County Health Centers; Heather Whetstone, MD, Family Practice Physician, Oregon City, Oregon	
<b>Session 2a</b> 10 - 10:50	<b>Roadmap to Dementia Diagnosis and Management: the State Plan for Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias in Oregon</b> Sarah Goodlin, MD, Chief Geriatrics, VA Portland Healthcare System; Patrick Gillette, MD, Former Medical Director at the Integrative Health Center & previous Chief Medical Officer, Rogue Community Health	<i>Homestead II</i>
<b>Session 2b</b> 11 - 11:50	<b>Using Telehealth to Provide Caregiver Support</b> Allison Lindauer, PhD, NP, Asst Professor of Neurology, OHSU Layton Aging and Alzheimer's Disease Center; Nicole Bouranis, MA, doctoral student, OHSU-PSU School of Public Health	

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**10:00 am – 12 pm** CONCURRENT SESSIONS (cont.)

<p>Session 3a 10 - 10:50</p>	<p><b>Funder Presentation 1—Cambia Health Foundation</b> <i>Homestead III</i>  <b>Oregon-Washington Health Network (telehealth project)</b>          Steve Lesky, Senior Program Officer, Cambia Health Foundation; Dan Peterson, Oregon Washington Health Network</p>
<p>Session 3b 11 - 11:50</p>	<p><b>Funder presentation 2 –The Oregon Community Foundation</b>  <b>Protect the Teeth: Preventing Disease and Improving Lives in Rural Communities</b>          Melissa Freeman, MPH, Director of Strategic Projects, The Oregon Community Foundation; Trina McClure-Gwaltney, RN, Healthy Kids Outreach Program Manager, Mercy Foundation; Annette Leong, Dental Health Educator and Consultant, Oregon Community Foundation</p>

**12 – 1:15 pm** **Awards Luncheon—Hero of the Year and Hospital Quality** *Great Hall*

**1:15 – 1:30 pm** **Break**

**1:30 – 2:30 pm** **PLENARY SESSION** *Great Hall*

**Putting the Community in Community Benefit: Investment Strategies in Social Determinants**  
 Gustavo Morales, Executive Director, Euvalcree; Vanetta Abdellatif, Board Chair, Northwest Health Foundation & Executive Director of Integrated Clinical Services, Multnomah County Health Department ; Sheri Ainsworth, Director, Mission Integration & Community Health & Well Being, St. Alphonsus Medical Center ; Moderator: Jesse Beason, Vice President of Public Affairs, NW Health Foundation

**2:30 – 3 pm** **Refreshment Break/View Exhibits** *Heritage/Landmark Galleries*

**3 – 5 pm** **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**

<p>Session 1a 3:00 - 3:55</p>	<p><b>Primary Care Transformation Across Rural Oregon</b> <i>Homestead I</i>          Evan Saulino, MD, PhD, Family Physician; Chris Carrera, MPA, Program Manager, OHA</p>
<p>Session 1b 4:05 - 5:00</p>	<p><b>Finding Success in Emergency Department Diversion through Team-Based Care and the Patient-Centered Medical Home in Prineville, Oregon</b>          Paul Gratton, DBA, Director of Adult and Graduate Business Programs, Montreat College</p>
<p>Session 2a 3:00—3:55</p>	<p><b>Supervision of Physician Assistants: Are You Missing an Opportunity?</b> <i>Homestead II</i>          Nicole Krishnaswami, JD, Operations and Policy Analyst, Oregon Medical Board; Gary Plant, MD, Family Physician, Madras Medical Group</p>
<p>Session 2b 4:05 - 5:00</p>	<p><b>Recruiting and Retaining our Healthcare Workforce: An Update on Oregon’s Incentive Programs</b> <i>Homestead II</i>          Robert Duehmig, Deputy Director, Oregon Office of Rural Health; Bill Pfunder, Program Manager—Incentive Programs, Oregon Office of Rural Health</p>

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Session 3a  
 3:00 - 3:55

**Funder presentation 3—Northwest Health Foundation** *Homestead III*  
 Gustavo Morales, Executive Director, Euvalcree; Jesse Beason, Vice President of Public Affairs, Northwest Health Foundation

Session 3b  
 4:05 - 5:00

**A Conversation with Funders**  
 Steve Lesky, Senior Program Officer, Cambia Health Foundation, Facilitator; Melissa Freeman, MPH, Director of Strategic Projects, The Oregon Community Foundation; Jesse Beason, Vice President of Public Affairs, Northwest Health Foundation

## Friday, October 20

7:30 am

**Registration Table Opens** *Great Hall Foyer*

8 – 9:15 am

**Breakfast & Research Project: COMP-NW Students Address 30-day Readmission Rates at Lebanon Community Hospital** *Great Hall*  
 Mary Herberger & Monica Thurston, second year medical students, Western University of Health Sciences-College of Osteopathic Medicine of the Pacific Northwest

9:15 – 10:15 am

### CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Session 1

**Access to Care for Rural Latinos: Challenges and Potential Solutions** *Homestead I*  
 Maria Elena Castro, M.Ed, MBA, Rural and Migrant Health Coordinator, Oregon Health Authority; Leda Isabel Garside, RN, BSN, MBA, Clinical Services Manager for ¡Salud! Services, Tuality Healthcare Foundation; Daniel López-Cevallos, PhD, MPH, Assistant Professor of Ethnic Studies and Adjunct Professor of International Health, Oregon State University

Session 2

**How Good are Rural Ambulance Protocols for STEMI, Stroke and Cardiac Arrest?** *Homestead II*  
 Paul Rostykus, MD, MPH, EMS Physician, Jackson County

Session 3

**A Comparative Analysis of the Rural and Urban Nursing Workforce in Oregon** *Homestead III*  
 Rick Allgeyer, Research Director, Oregon Center for Nursing

10:15 – 10:30 am

**Break** *Great Hall Foyer*

10:30 – 11:30 am

**PLENARY SESSION** *Great Hall*  
**The Latest from Washington DC and What it Means for Rural Oregon**  
 John Williams, JD, Attorney, Hall, Render, Killian, Heath & Lyman, PC

11:30 – noon

**Wrap-up, Prizes, & Adjourn** *Great Hall*