



Register Now for Healthcare's Premiere Patient Flow Event

About the Patient Follow Summit

Each year the Patient Flow Summit brings together hospital leaders and patient flow experts to share experiences, teach methodologies, build relationships, and inspire positive change. The event provides both insightful presentations and valuable networking opportunities.

Summit presenters focus on driving operational efficiencies, improving the quality of patient care, and increasing hospital fiscal performance. Presentations cover a broad range of patient flow related topics such as: capacity management, patient placement, transfer centers, readmission reduction, ED throughput, hospital operations, population health, and healthcare reform.

Attendees have come from a wide range of hospitals including Cleveland Clinic, HCA, Mayo Clinic, Cedars-Sinai, Memorial Hermann, UCLA Health, Dartmouth-Hitchcock, Children's Hospital Boston, New York Presbyterian, and Kaiser Permanente.



For a complete list of 2015 presenters and venue information, as well as content from previous events, please visit:

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May 4 - 7, 2015
JW Marriott Resort & Spa
Las Vegas, NV

Networking Opportunities

Whether it's at the opening reception on the beautiful grounds of the JW Marriott resort or on top of the Stratosphere Tower during the Wednesday night excursion to the world-famous Las Vegas Strip or the meals & activities in between, the Summit provides many opportunities to talk flow with other hospital leaders.

Special PreConference Workshop

The Institute for Healthcare Optimization (IHO) is hosting a half-day workshop, **Applying Queuing Theory to Health Care: A Necessary Step Toward Improving Quality of Care and Margin** taught by Dr. Eugene Litvak, who has been teaching queuing theory to clinicians for many years. Several different queuing theory models will be introduced and accompanied by extensive exercises.

CNE Contact Hours

Nurses can earn up to 17.48 CNE contact hours by attending both the Summit and the pre-conference workshop. These learning activities were approved by the Utah Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.



Hear from hospital leaders on a wide range of patient flow topics

**Joseph Mott
Intermountain
Healthcare**

The Princess Bride Meets
Healthcare Reform

**Eugene Litvak
Institute for Healthcare
Optimization**

The Necessary and
Sufficient Steps in Patient
Flow Management

**Barbara Sommer;
Maria Ferlita
Maimonides
Medical Center**

Out of the Gate and
Running! A Transfer
Center Startup Story

**Dennis Weaver
The Advisory Board
Company**

Accountable for Progress:
Best Practices in Population
Health Management

**Mark Kestner
Community Regional
Medical Center**

The Command Center
and the Patient Story

**David Yu
Presbyterian
Medical Group**

Patient Flow Process
in the New
Reimbursement Reality

**David Fernandez
Robert Wood Johnson
University Hospital**

Let My Patients Flow!
Streamlining the OR Suite

**Marcia Colone
UCLA Health**

Reducing Readmissions
Through a Thriving
Post-Acute Care Network

**Norm Dinerman
Eastern Maine
Medical Center**

Leveraging Work Force
Cultural Determinants:
Forging a More Effective
Partnership between Tribes

**Celeste Kallenborn;
Melissa Cole; David Wien
Tampa General Hospital**

Improving Patient Flow
with ED Process Redesign

**Jeff Hintz; Deb Hassler
Legacy Health**

Running a Transfer Center
with Non-Clinical Staff.
It Can Be Done!

**Paula Doering
The Ottawa Hospital**

A Path to Financial Health
by Reducing Surgical
Variability

**Emily Lowder
The University of
Chicago Medicine**

Discharge Process
Reengineering to Enhance
Organizational Throughput

**Lisa Woodward;
David Wilcher;
John Hoffman
UW Health**

EMR + RTLS =
Enhanced Patient Flow
and Care Coordination

**Mary A. Ditrí
New Jersey Hospital
Association (NJHA)**

A Patient Throughput
Collaborative: Lessons
Learned from Across
New Jersey

**John Pennington
New York Presbyterian**

Achieving Zero
Dead Bed Time

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