The 2013 Colorado Quad-Regulator Conference

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Minutes
Ralph L Carr Colorado Judicial Center
1300 Broadway, Room 1D
Denver, Colorado 80203

Conference Participants

NPATCH
Mary M. Ciambelli, PhD, RXN
Donna M. Baldwin, DO
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Patricia McGuire Cullen, PhD, CPNP
Steven C. Holt, MD
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Board of Dental Examiners
Steven A. Tilliss, DDS
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Colorado Medical Board
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Steven V. Berson, JD
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Jose Melendez, MD
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Lynn Parry, MD
Donna Baldwin, DO

State Board of Nursing
Victoria Erickson, PhD, RN, NP
Theresa Cure, RN
Lisa Davis, RN
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Colorado Pharmacy Board
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Jeannine Dickerhofe, RPh
Wesley Hunter, RPh
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Attorneys General
Diana Black, Deputy AG
David Blake, Deputy AG
Eric Maxfield, First AAG
Pamela Jackson, First AAG
Robert Shapiro, First AAG

Other Attendees
Katherine Blair
Richard C Dart, MD, PhD
Patrick Fox
Barbara Gabella
Eric Maxfield
Kathryn Mueller, MD
Kelly Perez
Jeanne Smith
Cathy Traugott
Rob Valuck, PhD, RPh
Blair Witaker

DORA and DPO Directors and Staff
Barbara Kelley
Lauren Larson
Cory Everett
Ronne Hines
Maureen Hartlaub
Mo Miskell
Georgia Roberts
Lisa Cornett
Annadella Duran
Kim Jones
Rita Postolowski
Janina Rivera
Leanne Duffy

The conference was convened at 8:31 am by Lauren Larson

Welcome

Barbara Kelley, Executive Director, DORA , and Lauren Larson, Director, Division of Professions and Occupations, convened the conference.

Goals of Conference, Overview of NPATCH

Mary Ciambelli, NPATCH Co-chair, and Steven Holt, NPATCH Member, gave an overview of NPATCH and the conference goals.

Governor Hickenlooper's Strategic Action Plan to Reduce Prescription Drug Abuse

Kelly Perez, Policy Advisor, Office of the Governor, and Robert Valuck, PhD, RPh provided an overview of the Strategic Plan.

Educational Overview of Prescription Drug Abuse

Richard Dart, MD, PhD, Director of RADARS, Denver Health, and Professor, University of Colorado School of Medicine, gave an educational presentation.

Individual Board status reports

Each Board President described the history and status of their regulation of opioid prescribing/dispensing.

Steven Tillis, DDS, MS, President, Board of Dental Examiners
Mark Watts, MD, Colorado Medical Board
Victoria Erickson, RN,NP, PhD, President, State Board of Nursing
Luis Rivera-Lleras, RPh, President, Colorado Pharmacy Board

Board Considerations for Future Policy

Attendees discussed issues in small break-out groups
Lauren Larson and Ronne Hines, Deputy Director, Healthcare Branch, facilitated.

Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PDMP)

PDMP Presentation and Discussion of Issues
Chris Gassen, Colorado Pharmacy Board Program Director

Board Considerations for Future Policy – Remarks from Board Presidents

Steven Tillis, President, Board of Dental Examiners
Luis Rivera-Lleras, President, Colorado Pharmacy Board
Victoria Erickson, President, State Board of Nursing
Mark Watts, Colorado Medical Board

Open Forum- How can regulatory boards collaborate to improve healthcare in Colorado?

The discussion was facilitated by Lauren Larson and Ronne Hines.

Summary and Closing remarks

Lauren Larson, Director
Mary Ciambelli, NPATCH
Steven Holt, NPATCH

Adjourn, 3:57 pm

Approved by: Mary Ciambelli

Susan Fowgerd