HPN SPRINC 2017 APRIL 5-7 DUBUQUE, IOWA

GUEST SPEAKERS



Mary Tarbox, BSN, MSPH, EdD, Chair, Department of Nursing - Mt. Mercy University

Professor of Nursing Mary Tarbox has been on the Mount Mercy nursing faculty since 1977. She serves as the Nursing Department Chair. Prior to coming to Mount Mercy she worked as a pediatric nurse at the University of Chicago Hospitals and Clinics, and in various public health nursing roles. Dr. Tarbox belongs to the American and Iowa Nurses Association, the Association for the History of Nursing, Kappa Xi Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau, and is a member of the Board of Directors for Aging Services, and the Catherine McAuley Center in Cedar Rapids. She is also a member of the Nursing Interventions Classification research team at the University of Iowa.

She has been recognized as one of the 100 Great Nurses of Iowa for 2008, and was awarded the Iowa Nurses Association Region 2 Nurse of the Year award in 2007. She participates in a wide variety of service projects, including volunteering at the Catherine McAuley Center.



Marni Bussell - Iowa Medicaid Enterprise



Marni Bussell joined Iowa Medicaid Enterprise in 2010 and operates as the Project Director for the State Innovation Model (SIM) grant for the Medicaid office and leads health home, HIT, and ACO initiatives.

She has over sixteen years of experience in health information technology, working on both state and national level projects.

She earned her Project Management Professional certification in 2009.

John Colbert, Esq., JD - ASAHP



John became Executive Director of ASAHP in 2012 after the retirement of long time Executive Director Thomas W. Elwood, who stills serves as Editor in Chief of our Journal of Allied Health. Prior to becoming Executive Director, John was a consultant to ASAHP for many years and has nearly two decades of experience in both work force and higher education issues, serving in the Executive branch, as well as working with Congress.

As a senior official in the Clinton Administration, he served both as an agency Chief of Staff and legislative liaison with Congress. He has been instrumental in helping ASAHP expand the scope of allied health programming, activities, and loan forgiveness as part of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, as well as the array of funding activities for which ASAHP members are eligible at the federal level.

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Spring Meeting, 2017 | April 5-7 | AGENDA

11:30 am	Board of Directors Lunch	Grand River Center Meeting Room 4
12:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Board of Directors Meeting	
4:45 pm	Holiday Inn Guests Meet CVB Rep in Lobby Depart for Grand River Center & Grand Harbor Resort	
5:00 pm	Grand Harbor Guests Meet CVB Rep & Holiday Inn Guests in Lobby - tour of property	
6:00 pm	Welcome Reception - Hosted by Grand Harbor Resort	Grand River Center River Room
6:50 pm	Walk to Dinner - Dinner in the Grand Ballroom at Diamond Jo Casino	Grand Ballroom
Thursday, April	6, 2017 - HEALTHCARE ADVOCACY	
7:45 am	Holiday Inn Guests Meet in Lobby, Depart for Grand Harbor Resort	
8:00 am	Breakfast @ Grand Harbor Resort	
9:00 am	HPN Introduction & About HPN, HPN Business Meeting	Grand River Center Meeting Room 4
10:30 am	Break	
10:45 am	HPN Business Meeting—continued	
12:15 pm	Depart for Lunch	
2:30 pm - 5:00 pm	Board Coach Community Tours: Eagle Point Park - group to get our for photo op of Lock & Dam 11 & views of river / Tri-States, Highlight River Room for meeting space; Depart Eagle Point Park; Proceed to Historic Millwork District - a unique meeting venue; Hotel Julien Dubuque - afternoon refreshment/tour	
5:00 pm	Return to Hotel to refresh for Dinner	
6:00 pm	Board Shuttle for Dinner - Hosted @ L.May Eatery in Historic Downtown Dubuque; shuttle to return guests to hotel.	L.May Eatery
Friday, April 7, 2	017 - HEALTHCARE ADVOCACY	
7:45 am	Grand Harbor Guests Meet in Lobby - Depart for Holiday Inn	
8:00 am	Breakfast hosted by Holiday Inn	Holiday Inn
8:30 am	HPN Meeting Commences	
8:45 am	Kathy Cilia, American Medical Technologists - MACRA	
9:45 am	Marni Bussell, SIM Project Director Iowa Medicaid Enterprise State of Iowa, Department of Human Services	
10:30 am	Break	
10:45 am	John Colbert, JD, Association of Schools of Allied Health Professions (via tele- conference)	
11:45 am	Depart for Lunch	
1:00 pm	Holiday Inn Property Tour	
1:30 pm	Mary Tarbox, EdD., Chair, Department of Nursing, Mt. Mercy University	
2:30 pm	Center for Advocacy & Outreach, Blank Children's Hospital	
	Break	
3:15 pm	break	
	 "HPN" Talks" Rebecca Preddie, American Music Therapy Association - How to be an advocate on the Federal Level (via teleconference) Kerry Weinberg, American Registry for Diagnostic Medical Sonography Cameron Harris - Mayo Clinic Center for Sleep Medicine 	
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