



SPECIAL COLLOQUIUM
Minority-Serving Hospitals as Clinical Trial Sites:
The Opportunities and Challenges

April 29, 2014		
7:00 AM	Registration & Breakfast	Ritz-Carlton Ballroom Foyer
9:30 AM	Welcoming Remarks and Introductions: Gary Puckrein, PhD, National Minority Quality Forum Meeting Objectives: Bill Griffith, National Minority Quality Forum	Plaza Ballroom
9:45 AM	National Strategies to Improve Recruitment of Minority Investigators and Minority-Serving Hospitals Jonca Bull, MD, Director, Office of Minority Health, FDA Edith Mitchell, MD, Director, Center to Eliminate Cancer Disparities	Plaza Ballroom
10:00 AM	An Overview of the Clinical Trial Engagement Network Gary Puckrein, PhD, National Minority Quality Forum Salvo Alesci, MD, PhD, Vice President, Scientific and Regulatory Affairs, PhRMA	Plaza Ballroom
10:15 AM	<p style="text-align: center;">Panel Discussion</p> <p><i>Moderator: Luther T. Clark, MD, Global Director for Scientific Affairs, Cardiovascular & Atherosclerosis, Office of the Chief Medical Officer, Merck & Co</i></p> <p><i>Panelists:</i> Lori Abrams, Director of Advocacy, Global Development Operations, Bristol-Myers Squibb Richard Beswick, PhD, MBA, Sr. VP for Research, Scott & White Healthcare Icilma Fergus, MD, Director of Cardiovascular Disparities, Mount Sinai Medical Center Charles Howell, MD, Chair, Howard University Department of Internal Medicine Maria Gilliam, Clinical Research Unit Head - General Medicine, Novartis Nawar Shara, PhD, Director DBPS-CTSA, Medstar Health Research Institute Lisa Treviño, PhD, VP of Research and Development, Doctors Hospital at Renaissance</p> <p>Discussion 1: Defining the challenges that minority-serving hospitals face in conducting clinical trials Discussion 2: Tactics that hospitals are enlisting to increase ethnic diversity in clinical trials Discussion 3: Industry perspective on recruiting clinical investigators from minority-serving hospitals to participate in clinical trials – challenges and opportunities</p>	Plaza Ballroom
12:30 PM	Lunch	Ritz-Carlton Ballroom Foyer
1:00 PM	Industry Perspective: Recruiting Minority Investigators and Minority-Serving Institutions Allicia Girvan, PhD, Sr. Research Scientist, Oncology Global Health Outcomes, Eli Lilly Rose Blackburne, MD, Sr. Medical Director, Global Medical Head, Quintiles	Plaza Ballroom
1:30 PM	Discussion and Summary	Plaza Ballroom
2:30 PM	End of Colloquium	Plaza Ballroom