

Wyoming Telehealth/Telemedicine Conference Agenda

8/20/08

8:00-8:15	<p>Jerry Calkins, MD, PhD, WyHIO Board Chairman</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome and introductions • Review purpose of meeting • Review agenda
8:15-8:25	History of Efforts in Wyoming – Rex Gantenbein, PhD, UW, Center for Rural Health Research and Education (CRHRE)
8:25-9:10	<p>Panel discussion of ongoing statewide efforts – Dana Barnett, Director of Regional Development – CRMC, moderator</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SEWTN – Dana Barnett, CRMC • FCC grant – Rex Gantenbein, PhD - UW, CRHRE • Tele-stroke program – Don Claunch, CIO - WMC • Other statewide efforts – Jim Bush, MD - Wyoming Medicaid Office
9:10-9:25	A regional and national perspective – Jonathan D. Linkous, CEO, American Telemedicine Association
9:25-9:40	Status of Telehealth/telemedicine reimbursements – Catherine Britain, Board member of Telehealth Alliance of Oregon and NRTRC
9:40-10:00	Break
10:00-11:00	<p>Discussion of needs and priorities - Jim Bush, MD, Wyoming Medicaid Office, moderator</p> <p>A panel discussion on telehealth needs and priorities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brent Sherard, MD – Director , Wyoming Department of Health • John Lucas, MD – VP, Medical Affairs, Cheyenne Regional Medical Center • David Birney, PhD – Director, Peak Wellness Center • Legislator – Representative Colin Simpson, House Majority Floor Leader • WHA member – Tom Nordwick, CEO, Memorial Hospital of Converse County • Wyoming Medical Society - Jerry Calkins, MD, PhD <p>Suggested topics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Obstacles to adopting telehealth/telemedicine in WY • Statewide telehealth/telemedicine network <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Value ○ Services ○ Funding and Sustainability • Short and long term goals
11:00-11:20	<p>Next Steps – Larry Biggio, Executive Director, WyHIO</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What? • Who?
11:20-11:35	Summary and wrap up – Dan Perdue, President WHA