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CONFERENCE AGENDA

7:00 AM Registration and Coffee/Tea with a Light Breakfast

General Session 1 **Circulatory Analysis of Pulmonary Hypertension** **Chair: Nicholas S. Hill, M.D.**

7:45–8:00 AM	Welcome and Announcements	
8:00–8:30 AM	Cardiac Echocardiography in Evaluating Pulmonary Hypertension	<i>Paul Forfia, M.D.</i>
8:30–9:00 AM	Right Ventricular Imaging in Pulmonary Hypertension	<i>Michael McGoon, M.D.</i>
9:00–9:30 AM	Hemodynamic Analysis of Pulmonary Hypertension	<i>William Hopkins, M.D.</i>
9:30–10:00 AM	Exercise to Assess Pulmonary Hemodynamics	<i>David Systrom, M.D.</i>
10:00–10:30 AM	Refreshment Break and Exhibits	

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

General Session 2	Non-Pharmacologic interventions Chair: Kari Roberts, M.D.	Nursing Sessions Moderator: Karen Visnaw, R.N., B.S.	Patient Sessions
10:30–11:00 AM	Managing Pulmonary Hypertension in Congenital Heart Disease <i>Michael Landzberg, M.D.</i>	Current Drug Therapies for PAH <i>Laurie Lawler, R.N.</i>	Pulmonary Hypertension Association Update <i>Rino Aldrighetti, President Pulmonary Hypertension Association</i>
11:00–11:30 AM	Lung Transplantation for PAH <i>Steven Nathan, M.D.</i>	Depressive Symptoms in Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension: Prevalence and Impact on Functional Status <i>Deborah McCollister, R.N., B.S.N.</i>	Patient Q & A <i>David Roberts, M.D.</i>
11:30–12:00 PM	Stem Cell Therapy in PAH <i>James Klinger, M.D.</i>	IV Infusion Pumps—Teaching for Nurses and Their Patients <i>Marguerite Bilodeau, R.N., A.D.N.</i>	Pulmonary Hypertension – A Patient’s Story <i>Kirsten Larson, PH Patient & Advocate</i>

Lunch and Case Presentation

12:00–12:45 PM	Know Your PH: Online Interactive Teaching Tool for PH Patients and Practitioners	<i>David Roberts, M.D.</i>
12:45–1:30 PM	Case Presentation	<i>Elizabeth S. Klings, M.D.</i>
		Discussants: <i>Edward Catherwood, M.D.</i> <i>Raymond Foley, M.D.</i> <i>Michael Marmulstein, M.D.</i>

General Session 3 **Therapeutic Update** **Chair: Ioana Preston, M.D.**

1:30–1:50 PM	Prostacyclins—Inhaled and Oral	<i>Raymond Foley, M.D.</i>
1:50–2:10 PM	Prostacyclins—Intravenous/Subcutaneous	<i>Joel Wirth, M.D.</i>
2:10–2:30 PM	Phosphodiesterase—5 Inhibitors in Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension	<i>Ioana Preston, M.D.</i>
2:30–2:50 PM	Endothelin Receptor Antagonists	<i>Kari Roberts, M.D.</i>
2:50–3:20 PM	Refreshment Break and Exhibits	

The Debate

3:20–4:00 PM	The Great Debate: Our Pulmonary Hypertension Endpoints Are No Good	Pro: <i>Harrison Farber, M.D.</i> Con: <i>Nicholas S. Hill, M.D.</i>
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Perspective

4:00–4:30 PM	What We Have Learned From The REVEAL Registry	<i>Michael McGoon, M.D.</i>
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Posters, Wine and Cheese

4:30–6:00 PM	Facilitators: <i>Terrence Trow, M.D., Joel Wirth, M.D., David M. Systrom, M.D.</i>
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