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**Ethical and Legal Considerations in Mitigating Pandemic Disease**

**PAHO HEADQUARTERS – CONFERENCE ROOM A**  
525 23rd STREET, NW  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

**September 19th and 20th 2006**

**AGENDA**

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2006**

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**Session I: Understanding the Challenges of the Future by Examining the Past: Influenza/Smallpox/SARS**

**Moderator:** Ruth Berkelman, M.D., Emory University, Rollins School of Public Health

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<td>Contemplating Pandemics: The Role of Historical Inquiry in Developing Pandemic Mitigation Strategies for the 21st Century - Howard Markel, M.D., University of Michigan</td>
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<td>The Smallpox Eradication Campaign - D.A. Henderson, M.D. Center for Biosecurity, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center</td>
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<td>Lessons from SARS – David Heymann, M.D., World Health Organization</td>
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**Session II: Domestic, Regional and International Preparedness Planning**

**Moderator:** P. Frederick Sparling, M.D., Vice Chair, Forum on Microbial Threats

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<td>US Government Preparedness Plans - Bruce Gellin, M.D., Office of the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services</td>
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<td>Regional Planning Efforts – Dr. Otavio Oliva, Regional Advisor for Epidemic Alert and Response, Unit of Communicable Diseases – Pan American Health Organization</td>
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4:00 – 4:45: Ethical Considerations in International Preparedness Planning Efforts – Alexander Capron, University of Southern California

4:45 – 5:15: Open Discussion of Session II

5:15 – 6:00: Open Discussion of Day 1

6:00 p.m.: ADJOURN

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20TH, 2006

8:00: Continental Breakfast

8:30: Opening Remarks / Summary of Day 1: Margaret A. Hamburg, M.D., Vice Chair, Forum on Microbial Threats

Session III: Disease Mitigation Strategies – Quarantine, Containment & Modeling

Moderator: Gary Roselle, M.D., Program Director for Infectious Diseases, Department of Veterans Affairs Central Office

8:45 – 9:30: Martin Cetron, M.D., Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

9:30 – 10:15: Lawrence Gostin, J.D., Georgetown University School of Law

10:15 – 10:30: Discussion

10:30 – 11:15: The role of Modeling in Infectious Disease Mitigation and Containment, Joshua Epstein, Ph.D., The Brookings Institution

11:15 – 11:45: Discussion Panel:

Timothy C. Germann, Ph.D., Los Alamos National Laboratory
Jim LeDuc, M.D., Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Victoria Sutton, J.D., Ph.D., Texas Tech University School of Law

11:45 – 12:30: LUNCH

12:30 – 1:30: Harvey Fineberg, M.D., Ph.D., President, Institute of Medicine – luncheon remarks

Session IV: Ethical Issues in Pandemic Planning and Response

Moderator: Stanley M. Lemon, M.D. Chair, Forum on Microbial Threats

1:30 – 2:15: Bernard Lo, M.D., University of California San Francisco

2:15 – 3:00: Ruth Faden, Ph.D., Berman Bioethics Institute, Johns Hopkins University

3:00 – 3:45: Discussion Panel:

Steven Bice, Battelle, Atlanta, Georgia
DA Henderson, M.D., Center for Biosecurity, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center
Shelley Hearne, DrPH, Johns Hopkins University

3:45 – 4:30: ---Open Discussion---

4:30 – 4:45: Closing Remarks/Adjourn