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12:00 pm  Welcome, Introductions
Fred Sanfilippo, MD, PhD
Director, Emory-Georgia Tech Healthcare Innovation Program

12:05 - 12:45 pm  Keynote Presentation
Patient-Centered Outcomes Research
Joe Selby, MD, MPH
Executive Director, Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute

12:45 - 1:30 pm  Panel Presentations
Elizabeth Corwin PhD, RN, FAAN
Professor, Associate Dean for Research, Office of Nursing
Nell Hodgson Woodruff School of Nursing, Emory University

Benjamin Druss MD, MPH
Professor and Rosalynn Carter Chair in Mental Health
Rollins School of Public Health, Emory University

Li Xiong MS, PhD
Winship Distinguished Professor
Mathematics & Computer Science, Emory University

Grayson Norquist MD
Professor and Vice-Chair, Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences
Chief of Psychiatry Service, Grady Memorial Hospital

1:30 - 2:00 pm  Open Discussion, Q&A
After obtaining his MD Degree from Northwestern, Dr. Selby moved to Northern California for internship and a family medicine residency and eventually an MPH at UC Berkeley. His fellowship project concerned Behavioral Factors in Cardiovascular Disease. He stayed in the bay area at Kaiser Permanente for 27 years, including 13 as Director of Research supervising up to 50 investigators and 500 staff members. He has had academic appointments at UC Berkeley, UCSF and Stanford.

Dr. Selby has authored more than 200 peer reviewed articles on far ranging topics such as quality measurement and improvement, primary care delivery, colorectal cancer screening and many studies that could be classified under the heading of “comparative effectiveness” – largely in the areas of diabetes, HTN and cardiovascular disease. He has received honors from the Public Health Service, the American Epidemiological Society, Kaiser Permanente and in 2009 he was elected into the Institute of Medicine. In July 2011 Dr. Selby became the first Executive Director of the Patient-Centered Outcome Research Institute (PCORI). PCORI’s mandate is to improve the quality and relevance of the evidence available in order to help patients, caregivers, employers, insurers and policy makers make informed healthcare decisions.
Elizabeth Corwin PhD, RN, FAAN
Professor and Associate Dean for Research
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Elizabeth Corwin is the Associate Dean for Research and Professor at the Nell Hodgson Woodruff School of Nursing at Emory University. Dr. Corwin received her PhD in Physiology from the University of Michigan Medical School, later becoming a nurse and a family nurse practitioner. As Associate Dean, Dr. Corwin has contributed to the transformation of the nursing school’s research enterprise, resulting this year in the Emory University School of Nursing being ranked number one in the country in NIH funding, and 4th in the country in the U.S. News and World Report.

Dr. Corwin remains an active researcher, serving as a Principal Investigator on several current interdisciplinary NIH studies, including exploring the biobehavioral determinants of the microbiome and preterm birth in African American women (R01NR014800) and a separate study (R01MD009746) that follows the microbiome, stress exposure, and neurodevelopmental outcomes of the infants born to the mothers in the prenatal study. She also is one of the Principal Investigators on Emory’s new ECHO award (UG30D023318) studying the impact of the environment on children’s health through 5 years of age.
As the first Rosalynn Carter Chair in Mental Health at Emory University, Dr. Benjamin Druss is working to build linkages between mental health, physical health, and public health. At Emory, he works closely with the Carter Center Mental Program, where he is a member of the Mental Health Taskforce and Journalism Advisory Board. Dr. Druss serves on the Editorial Boards of JAMA Psychiatry, the American Journal of Psychiatry, and General Hospital Psychiatry, and edits Psychiatric Services' Integrated Care Column. He is a member of NIMH’s National Advisory Mental Health Council.

Li Xiong is Professor of Computer Science and Biomedical Informatics and holds a Winship Distinguished Research Professorship at Emory University. She has a PhD from Georgia Institute of Technology, an MS from Johns Hopkins University, and a BS from University of Science and Technology of China, all in Computer Science. She and her research group, Assured Information Management and Sharing (AIMS), conduct research that addresses both fundamental and applied questions at the
interface of data privacy and security, spatiotemporal data management, and health informatics. Li has published over 100 papers in premier journals and conferences and has received four best paper awards. She currently serves as associate editor for IEEE Transactions on Knowledge and Data Engineering (TKDE) and numerous program committees for data management and data security conferences. She is a recipient of a Google Research Award, IBM Smart Healthcare Faculty Innovation Award, Cisco Research Award, and Woodrow Wilson Fellowship. Her research is supported by NSF (National Science Foundation), NIH (National Institute of Health), AFOSR (Air Force Office of Scientific Research), and PCORI (Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute).

Grayson Norquist, MD, MSPH
Vice-Chair & Professor
Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences
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Grayson Norquist, MD, MSPH, is Vice-Chair, Emory University Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, and Chief of Psychiatry Service at Grady Health System in Atlanta. Before joining Emory, he was professor and chair, Department of Psychiatry and Human Behavior, at the University of Mississippi School of Medicine. He served in a number of leadership positions at the National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH), including director of the Division of Services and Intervention Research, a division responsible for clinical, prevention, and services research at NIMH. Gray Norquist also is Chair of the PCORI Board of Governors.

Norquist has been a member of several journal editorial boards, including Psychiatric Services, Archives of General Psychiatry and Journal of Mental Health Policy and Economics, and received various national government and public awards, including the NIH Director’s Award, the NIH Special Service
Award, and the National Alliance for the Mentally Ill Exemplary Psychiatrist Award. He received a BA from the University of Mississippi, a MPH from the UCLA School of Public Health, and a MD from the University of Mississippi Medical Center. His research has focused on improving mental health services for underserved populations and development of quality measures.

Fred Sanfilippo, MD, PhD
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Fred Sanfilippo, MD, PhD directs the Emory-Georgia Tech Healthcare Innovation Program, which has a mission to accelerate innovation in healthcare research, education, and service. For over 30 years he has been an academic leader at Duke, Johns Hopkins, Ohio State and Emory; serving as a division chief, department chair, program/center director, dean, medical center CEO, university senior/executive VP, health system board chair and academic health center CEO. During that time he has led organizational and cultural changes yielding improved academic, clinical, and financial performance at each institution. He also led the creation of the US Scientific Registry of Transplant Recipients; Johns Hopkins Medical Labs; a personalized health plan (YP4H) at OSU; and novel departments and centers in areas ranging from biomedical informatics to personalized and integrative health.

Sanfilippo received his BA and MS in physics from the University of Pennsylvania, and his MD and PhD in immunology from Duke, where he also did his residency training, receiving board certification in Anatomic & Clinical Pathology, and Immunopathology.
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