



PLUGS[®] SUMMIT

April 2-4, 2025 | Seattle, WA and virtual

PROGRAM

Wednesday, April 2nd, 2025

All times are in Pacific Time

5:30 pm **Pre-Summit Welcome Reception*†**
Pioneers and Giants: Celebrating Genetic Counselors in Lab Stewardship

Thursday, April 3rd, 2025

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7:00 am **Check-in and breakfast for in-person attendees**

8:00 am **Opening Remarks***
Jane Dickerson, PhD

8:15 am **The Secret Language of Doctors**
Brian Goldman, MD

9:30 am **Break***

10:00 am **Quantifying Waste in Laboratory Testing: An Analysis of 1 Billion Claims Covering a Full Year of Medicare and Commercial Reimbursements**
Ila Singh

11:00 am **On the Frontier of Precision Medicine: Aligning Clinical Actionability and Utilization in Pharmacogenomics**
Ashley Rackow, PhD

12:00 pm **Lunch***

12:30pm **Poster Session 1†**

1:30 pm **Lightning Session 1:**

1:30 pm **Utilization of Peripheral Blood Flow Cytometry**
Kathryn Golab, DCLS, MLS(ASCP)CM, SH-CM

1:55 pm **Computerized Provider Order Entry (CPOE) Decision Support Tool for Monoclonal Gammopathies Screening**
Elsie Yu, PhD

2:20 pm **Implementation of first-tier rapid genome sequencing in pediatric wards**
Tara Wenger, MD, PhD

2:45 pm	Break*
3:15pm	Insurance Roundtable: How to improve payment and decrease conflicts with payers* <i>Speakers TBA</i>
4:45 pm	Close of Day 1*
6:00 pm	Hosted Banquet Dinner at The Edgewater Hotel*†

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Friday, April 4th, 2025

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- 7:00 am** **Check-in and breakfast for in-person attendees**
- 8:15 am** **Overdiagnosis: When The Lab Goes Too Far**
Benjamin Mazer, MD
- 9:30 am** **Break***
- 10:00 am** **Caring for Ourselves: Professional Burnout in Laboratory Care**
Krista Redlinger-Grosse, PhD, LP, ScM, CGC
- 11:00 am** **The collection and use of patient sex, gender, race, ethnicity, and ancestry data among US based clinical genomics laboratories**
Malia Fullerton, DPhil
Katie Golden-Grant, MS, CGC
Linda Hasadsri, MD, PhD
- 12:15 pm** **Lunch***
- 12:45pm** **Poster Session 2[†]**
- 1:45 pm** **Lightning Session 2**
- 1:45 pm** **An LIS Solution to Reduce the Volume of CBC Differentials Performed in Inpatients**
Tracey Polsky, MD, PhD
- 2:10 pm** **A celiac testing algorithm impacts biopsy rate and positivity**
Lee Schroeder, MD, PhD
- 2:35 pm** **Urine Drug Testing: Optimize to Strategize**
Kevin Foley, PhD
- 3:00 pm** **Closing Remarks***
Michael Astion, MD, PhD

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