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Northern Colorado Health Research Coalition

Translational Research – Emergence of Drug Resistant Infectious Diseases

Wednesday, February 04, 2009

Evening Agenda

5:00 p.m.

Drinks/Appetizers Served

5:30 p.m. – Introduction

Ruth Lytle-Barnaby, Executive Director, Poudre Valley Health System Foundation

5:40 p.m. – Speakers

Indira Gujral, M.S., Ph.D., Infection Control Coordinator

Medical Center of the Rockies, Poudre Valley Health System

Topic: *MRSA Surveillance, Research, & Collaboration in Northern Colorado*

John H. Wheeler, V.P. Business Development

MicroPhage, Inc.

Topic: *Rapid Bacterial Diagnostics: Identifying and Testing for Methicillin-Resistant Staphylococcus Aureus (MRSA)*

John T. Belisle, Ph.D., B.S., Director of the Rocky Mountain Regional Center of Excellence, Professor, Dept. of Microbiology, Immunology and Pathology

Colorado State University

Topic: *Emerging Challenges with Antimicrobial Resistance*

Herbert P. Schweizer, Ph.D., Associate Program Director of the Rocky Mountain Regional Center of Excellence, Associate Department Head, Professor, FAAM

Colorado State University

Topic: *Emerging Challenges with Antimicrobial Resistance*

Questions

Closing Comments

Hank Gardner, MSPH, DrPH

**Next Northern Colorado Health Research Coalition Meeting:
March 31, 2009 – Gerontology**