



QUEST
FOR RESEARCH EXCELLENCE

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**Quest for Research Excellence:
The Intersection of Standards, Culture and
Ethics in Childhood Obesity**

**Tuesday, April 20, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Wednesday, April 21, 8 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

**Keynote Speaker: Howard Koh, M.D., M.P.H. Assistant Secretary for Health,
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services**

Target Audience:

Researchers (PIs, graduate students, postdoctoral students)
Research support teams
Research administrators and educators (Deans, Chancellors, Provosts)
Compliance (RIOs, IRB)
Clinicians
Professional societies
Journal publishers/editors and other Press
Consumers and Families

Purpose: A dialogue on topics that can impact research integrity in childhood obesity research including:

Disclosure of Research Questions
Age of Assent/Dissent
Impact and Burden of Research on Families
Religious Issues in Childhood Obesity Research
Research Involving American Indian Populations
Research Involving Latino Populations

Special Presentation: Improvisation on the Role of Research Integrity in Childhood Obesity Research

Registration is Open! Registration is Free!
To register, go to
<https://www.regonline.com/questforresearchexcellence>
Please register by April 5 as space is limited!

Hotel: Westin Tabor Center
1672 Lawrence Street
Denver, CO 80202

A block of sleeping rooms is being held for the nights of April 19 and 20, 2010 until the release date of March 20, 2010. After March 20, reservations will be accepted on a space available basis.

Sleeping room rate is \$158.00 per night plus taxes for single or double occupancy. To make sleeping room reservations please contact the Westin at 1-888-627-8435. Please identify yourself as part of the Quest for Research Excellence Event.

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