

## Healthcare at a Crossroads: Where Do We Go From Here?

Understanding challenges within the U.S. healthcare system and the potential effects of policies and regulations designed to address them

A conference sponsored by the MSU Initiative for Regulation and Applied Economic Analysis  
**April 5-6, 2018 | Montana State University, Bozeman, MT**

### Keynote Lecture

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**April 5, Linfield Hall 125, 6-7 p.m.**

*"Making Competition in the Healthcare Sector Work: What Would It Take?"*

*James Capretta, American Enterprise Institute Resident Fellow and Milton Friedman Chair*

Moderated Q&A: Vince Smith, Co-Director, IRAEA

### Conference

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**April 6, Procrastinator Theater, Room 237 Strand Union Building, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.**

8-8:30 a.m. Coffee and check-in

8:30-9 a.m. Welcome: Wendy Stock, Co-Director, IRAEA

Conference Overview: Stephen Parente, University of Minnesota

Conference Sessions, each followed by moderated Q&A

- **Session 1: Consumer-Centric Healthcare, 9-10 a.m.**
  - Presenter: Lucy Liu, Oliver Wyman
  - National-level expert: David Auerbach, Massachusetts Health Policy Commission
  - Local-level expert: Bryce Ward, MT Bureau of Business and Economic Research

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- **Session 2: Evolving Federal Healthcare Policy, 10:15-11:15 a.m.**
  - Presenter: Arnold Epstein, Harvard School of Public Health
  - National-level expert: James Capretta, American Enterprise Institute
  - Local-level expert: Lander Cooney, CEO, Community Health Partners

- **Session 3: Enhancing Behavioral Health Integration, 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.**
  - Presenter: Angela Beck, Director, University of Michigan Behavioral Health Workforce Research Center
  - National-level expert: Claire Brindis, Director, Philip R. Lee Institute for Health Policy Studies, University of California-San Francisco
  - Local-level expert: Earl Sutherland, Chief of Clinical Operations, Big Horn Valley Health Center, Hardin, MT

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- **Lunch, Ballroom A, 12:15-1:15 p.m.**
  - Speaker: Jay Bhattacharya, Director, Center on the Demography and Economics of Health and Aging, Stanford University
  - Presentation: "Share-out from Bozeman's Elevating Behavioral Health Community Collaboration," Vickie Groeneweg, Chief Nursing Officer, Bozeman Health

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- **Session 4: Promoting Community Health, 1:15-2:15 p.m.**
  - Presenter: Claire Brindis, Director, Philip R. Lee Institute for Health Policy Studies, University of California-San Francisco
  - National-level expert: Arnold Epstein, Harvard School of Public Health
  - Local-level expert: Matt Kelley, Gallatin City-County Board of Health

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- **Session 5: Ensuring Healthcare for Aging and Vulnerable Populations, 2:30-3:30 p.m.**
  - Presenter: Karen Donelan, Harvard Medical School and Massachusetts General Hospital
  - National-level expert: Jay Bhattacharya, Director, Center on the Demography and Economics of Health and Aging, Stanford University
  - Local-level expert: Renee Reijo Pera, Vice President of Research and Economic Development, Montana State University

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- **Session 6: Maintaining a Robust Healthcare Workforce, 3:30-4:30 p.m.**
  - Presenter: David Auerbach, Massachusetts Health Policy Commission
  - National-level expert: Angela Beck, Director, University of Michigan Behavioral Health Workforce Research Center
  - Local-level expert: Peter Buerhaus, Director, Center for Interdisciplinary Health Workforce Studies, Montana State University

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- **Conference Wrap Up and Reflections, 4:30-4:50 p.m.**
  - Speaker: Jon Skinner, Dartmouth College