Registrations are now being accepted for the upcoming: *Using Law, Policy, and Research to Improve the Public’s Health: A National Conference* that will take place September 13-15, 2010 in Atlanta, GA. This conference is sponsored by the American Society of Law, Medicine & Ethics (ASLME) and the Public Health Law Association (PHLA) and generously funded in part by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation.

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**Conference Goals:** The goals of this national conference are to (1) examine the role of law and policy in promoting, protecting, and improving global and domestic public health; and (2) help build effective partnerships to accomplish public health law and policy objectives.

**Content:** In addition to plenary and training sessions, an array of concurrent sessions during the conference are designed to address the major themes in communicable and chronic disease prevention and control (including lessons learned from H1N1 influenza); global, national, tribal, state, and local health law and policy; research in public health law and policy, relationships among public and private partners, and critical, emerging issues in public health law, policy, and ethics.

**Who Should Attend?:** This conference is intended for international, national, state, tribal, and local individuals who are:

- Elected and appointed officials involved in creating or enforcing international or domestic public health laws;
- Public health practitioners and legal counsel in the public sector;
- Lawyers in the private sector who represent health care providers, health advocacy organizations, or other clients that have a significant interest in the public’s health;
- Physicians, nurses, and other health care workers in public health and clinical practices;
- Judges, clerks, and their staffs active in public health and health care issues;
- Scholars, educators, researchers, and students with focus areas in health care, public health science or practice, or public health law, ethics, or policy; and
- Anyone interested in the use of law as a tool for improving the public’s health.
For more information about the conference, including a current agenda, or to register please visit [http://www.aslme.org/Calendar](http://www.aslme.org/Calendar) or email Katie Johnson, Conference Director at ASLME at [kjohnson@aslme.org](mailto:kjohnson@aslme.org).

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