

American Society of Health Economists Conference (ASHEcon) | June 21–23, 2021

Penn LDI Affiliated Participants Schedule

MONDAY, JUNE 21, 2021

11:00am–12:30pm

[Rapid Session - Current Issues for Prescription Drugs](#)

Abby Alpert (Chair)

[Sources of Racial Disparities in Hospitalizations for Ambulatory Care Sensitive Conditions in Medicare Advantage](#)

Norma B. Coe (Author), Rachel M. Werner (Author)

[The Impact of New York's Surprise out-of-Network Billing Law on Payment Rates to Emergency Physicians](#)

Benjamin Chartock (Discussant)

12:45–2:15pm

[The Optimal Role of Government in U. S. Healthcare](#)

Atul Gupta (Chair and [Presenting Author: The Decline of Public Hospitals in the US](#))

[Merger and Advertising in the Pharmaceutical Industry: A Structural Model Estimation](#)

Matthew Grennan (Discussant)

2:30–4:00pm

[Picking Your Patients: Selective Admissions in the Nursing Home Industry](#)

Atul Gupta (Discussant)

2:30–4:30pm

[Pharmaceutical Promotion Physician Response and Opioid Abuse: Identifying the Role of Physicians in the Opioid Crisis](#)

Abby Alpert (Discussant)

TUESDAY, JUNE 22, 2021

11:00am–12:30pm

[The Role of Private Equity Ownership in Healthcare](#)

Atul Gupta (Chair and [Presenting Author: Does Private Equity Investment in Healthcare Benefit Patients? Evidence from Nursing Homes](#))

[Opioid Treatment for Pain and Work and Disability Outcomes: Evidence from Health Care Providers' Prescribing Patterns](#)

Atheendar Venkataramani (Discussant)

[Are Nursing Home Preferred Networks Good for Patients' Outcomes? Evidence from the Veterans Health Administration](#)

Rachel M. Werner (Discussant)

[Emerging Scholar: Physician Responses to Federal Programs](#)

Daniel Polsky (Discussant)

12:45–2:15pm

[Network Breadth and Quality Ratings in the Medicare Advantage Program](#)

Daniel Polsky (Author)

[The Role of Schedule Volatility in Employee Turnover: The Case of Home Health Care](#)

Hummy Song (Author)

[Last Wishes? Dissecting Medicare Spending at End of Life](#)

Atul Gupta (Author)

[The Impact of the Patient Driven Payment Model on Skilled Nursing Facility Therapy Use](#)

Liisa T. Laine (Discussant)

[The Role of Schedule Volatility in Employee Turnover: The Case of Home Health Care](#)

Alon Bergman (Presenting Author), Guy David (Author), Hummy Song (Author)

2:30–4:00pm

[The Future of Health Economics: COVID-19 and Beyond](#)

Hanming Fang (Presenter)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23, 2021

11:00am–12:30pm

[Effects of Generics and Biosimilars on Competition and Choice](#)

Abby Alpert (Chair)

[Information Disclosure Consumer Choice and Market Outcomes](#)

Benjamin Chartock (Chair, [Presenting Author: Provider Ratings New Patient Volume and the Effects of Information Disclosure](#), [Discussant: Patient Reviews and Provider Behavior](#))

[Targeting Efficiency in the U.S. Health Care Safety Net: Evidence from the Dsh Programs](#)

Paula Chatterjee (Author)

12:45–2:15pm

[Medicaid Expansion and Hospitals' Financial Status: National and State-Level Estimates Using IRS and CMS Data, 2011-2016](#)

Tatiane Santos (Presenting Author)

[The Economics of the Public Option Evidence from Local Pharmaceutical Markets](#)

Juan Pablo Atal (Presenting Author)

[Physician Learning and Forgetting: Evidence from Military Doctors](#)

Atul Gupta (Presenting Author)

[Soft Consolidation in Medicare ACOs: Potential for Higher Prices without Mergers or Acquisitions](#)

Genevieve Kanter (Discussant)

[Learning in a New Market: The Case of the ACA Exchanges](#)

Claudio Lucarelli (Author)

[Competition in Employer Sponsored Health Insurance: Implications for a Public Option](#)

Stuart V. Craig (Presenting Author)

[Opioid Abuse and Employment Outcomes: Evidence from the US Military](#)

Abby Alpert (Author)

4:15–5:45pm

[Coverage Policy in Government-Administered and Privately-Administered Medicare](#)

Aaron Schwartz (Presenting Author)

[Effects of Informal Care Vs. Formal Care in the Home](#)

Norma B. Coe (Author)

[Improving Bundled Payments in Medicare](#)

Atul Gupta (Chair, and Presenting Author: [Voluntary Payment Incentives and Targeting: Evidence from Bundled Payments in Medicare](#)), Diane Alexander (Discussant: [Voluntary Payment Incentives and Targeting: Evidence from Bundled Payments in Medicare](#))

[Emerging Scholar: Physician Learning and Adaptation in the Professional Environment](#)

Rachel M. Werner (Chair)