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May News Flash

IS HEALTH CARE MAKING GOOD ON ITS PROMISES?



Princeton University economist Uwe Reinhardt challenged NEHI's community of innovators to do more than talk about creating value in health care at NEHI's Annual Meeting on May 10. Reinhardt emphasized using innovation as a key driver to improving quality for patients and reducing health care costs.

[Watch Uwe Reinhardt's keynote presentation](#)

[View the event program](#)

[View photos from the event](#)

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LAST CHANCE TO REGISTER: COMPARATIVE EFFECTIVENESS ROUNDTABLE



Tomorrow, May 25, NEHI will convene a roundtable at the National Press Club in Washington, DC to explore and debate a national strategy for disseminating the findings of comparative effectiveness research. Hear perspectives from top experts including: **Dr. Carolyn Clancy**, director of the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality; **Dr. Sharon Levine** of the Permanente Medical Group and the PCORI Board of Governors; and **Dr. Jack Lewin**, CEO of the American College of Cardiology. [Click here to register.](#)

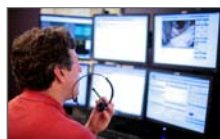
[Read NEHI's Health Affairs Blog post on comparative effectiveness](#)

[Download NEHI's white paper](#)

[See what NIH said about our CER work](#)

[Click here for a preview of the event](#)

TELE-ICU STUDY RESULTS APPEAR IN JAMA



Dr. Craig Lilly, the UMass Memorial Medical Center physician who was the principal researcher on NEHI's recent tele-ICU demonstration project, has authored an article in the [Journal of the American Medical Association \(JAMA\)](#) on the clinical benefits of using telemedicine in intensive care units.

[Click here for JAMA article on tele-ICUs](#)

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UPCOMING EVENTS

June 17: [Register now](#) for "On Call," a teleconference with **Dr. Michael McGinnis** of the IOM who will lead this call on "Improving Clinician-Patient Communication."

September 22: Save the date for NEHI's [conference](#) "Roadmap to Improved Patient Medication Adherence" in Washington, DC.

November 9: Save the date for NEHI's [Innovators in Health Awards](#) in Boston.

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP

Valerie Fleishman, Executive Director, will present on patient medication adherence at CVS Caremark's [Advancing Adherence & the Science of Pharmacy Care](#) live webcast on May 26.

Tom Hubbard, Senior Program Director, will present on comparative effectiveness research at the [Health Economics and Outcomes Research Congress](#) in Philadelphia, PA on June 14.

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NEHI'S WELLNESS CAMPAIGN GAINS MOMENTUM



Executive Director Valerie Fleishman testified at a legislative hearing at the Massachusetts State House on behalf of NEHI's Healthy People/Healthy Economy initiative on the heels of a new poll showing broad voter support for measures to curb obesity.



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