

2025 OPIOID HARM PREVENTION SYMPOSIUM



November 19, 2025 9 am - 12 pm



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SPEAKER SPOTLIGHT

Framing the Statewide Mission



Darcy is the Senior Vice President for Safety and Quality at the Washington State Hospital Association. She previously served as Chief Nursing Officer at Harborview Medical Center and Co-Director of the UW Medicine Center for Scholarship in Patient Care Safety and Quality. A Robert Wood Johnson Executive Nurse Fellow and Fellow of the American College of Healthcare Executives, Darcy is board-certified in Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing. She currently serves on several statewide committees by appointment of Governor Inslee and has led numerous initiatives focused on behavioral health, patient safety, and healthcare quality.

Board & Leader Engagement



Kris Shera is Washington State's first State Opioid Administrator, with over 20 years of experience in behavioral health, policy, and government relations. A U.S. Army veteran, Kris has held roles in the Kentucky General Assembly and Cabinet for Health and Family Services, focusing on opioid treatment access and behavioral health integration. He now leads statewide coordination of opioid response efforts, including planning for opioid settlement funds. Kris lives in Olympia with his family and enjoys sailing in the South Salish Sea.

Opioid Trends in WA State



Dr. Lorna Gober is Chief Medical Officer for PeaceHealth's Northwest network, where she collaborates with executive and physician leadership to advance clinical excellence. She previously served as Medical Director for Sound Physicians across multiple PeaceHealth facilities and held executive roles at Family Care Network. A graduate of the University of Oregon and the University of Washington School of Medicine, Dr. Gober completed her residency at Tacoma Family Medicine and is known for her thoughtful leadership and dedication to community health.

Safety Story: Peer Led Impact



Tina Seery is the Senior Director of Clinical Excellence at the Washington State Hospital Association, with over 30 years of experience in clinical care, emergency services, and healthcare quality. A registered nurse and Lean Six Sigma Black Belt, she holds multiple certifications in patient safety and healthcare quality. Tina is the 2025 President of her local ACHE chapter and a Thomas C. Dolan Scholar, recognized for her leadership in equity and healthcare transformation. She actively mentors emerging leaders and has led statewide efforts in COVID-19 response and clinical excellence.

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