

# Administrative Data in Health Research: An International Symposium

**Monday, May 12, 2008**

**8:00 AM-12:30 PM**

**Clara Christie Theatre**

Health Sciences Centre

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3330 Hospital Drive NW

**Calgary, Alberta**

**National and International Guest Speakers**

**Of International Methodology Consortium for Coded Health  
Information (IMeCCHI)**

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Time	Presentation	Speaker
8:00-8:15	Opening Remarks	
8:15-8:50	Update on the AHRQ Patient Safety Indicators (PSIs) and recent PSI validation efforts in the USA	Patrick Romano University of California Davis, USA
8:50-9:10	Defining PSIs in ICD Data	Hude Quan University of Calgary
9:10 – 9:30	Initial measures in Switzerland and methodological approach for their validation	Bernard Burnand University of Lausanne, Switzerland
9:30-10:00	Cross national application of PSI- results from an OECD pilot among seven countries	Saskia Drosler Niederrhein University of Applied Sciences, Germany
10:00 – 10:30	Break	
10:30 – 11:20	Digitalization of Health Information Systems: Avoiding an e-Tower of Babel	Bedirhan Ustun Family of Classification Network, WHO
11:20 -11:40	Challenges to the international comparability of ICD-10 morbidity data	Nathalie Jette University of Calgary
11:40-12:00	Canada's contribution to the WHO – FIC network	Lori Moskal Canadian Institute for Health Information
12:00-12:30	International Methodology Consortium for Coded Health Information	William Ghali, MD MPH University of Calgary