



## Joint Johns Hopkins University and University of Maryland Pepper Centers Symposium on Clinical and Comparative Effectiveness Research

**Monday, May 24, 2010  
9:00AM - 12:00PM**

Allied Health Building, Room 219, 100 Penn St., Baltimore, MD 21201

### Meeting Agenda

- 8:30AM      Arrival / Light breakfast provided
- 9:00          Welcome / Introduction
- 9:05          Session One: Introduction to Causal Inference in Clinical Research  
*Presenter: Karen Bandeen-Roche, PhD (Johns Hopkins)*
- 9:40          Session Two: Pilot Studies  
*Moderator: Linda Simoni-Wastila, PhD*  
*Presenter: Michael Terrin, MD (University of Maryland)*
- 10:20        Break
- 10:30        Session Three: Comparative Effectiveness Research (CER)  
*Moderator: Ravi Varadhan, PhD (Johns Hopkins)*
- CER Overview and Pragmatic Trials (30 minutes)  
*Presenter: Jodi Segal, MD, MPH (Johns Hopkins)*
- Secondary Data Analysis in CER: A Case Study (30 minutes)  
*Presenter: Amy Davidoff, PhD, MS (University of Maryland)*
- Discussion (15 minutes)
- 11:45        Social Time
- 12:00        Adjourn