

**DOES SEXX REALLY MATTER?
WHAT A DIFFERENCE AN "X" MAKES!
2009 SPRING HEALTH LAW SYMPOSIUM**

**Presented by the Washington College of Law (WCL) Health Law Project,
Society for Women's Health Research, *Health Law and Policy Brief*, Health
Law and Justice Initiative, the Women and the Law Program and the
Women's Law Association**

March 3, 2009

9:30 am – 4:00 pm

**American University Washington College of Law
4801 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Room 603, Washington, DC**

This program will feature topical issues involving women's health care research, genetics, and sexuality. The program will feature leading speakers from academia, research institutions, government and private pharmaceutical and medical device industry companies.

9:30 am **Registration**

10:00 am **Welcome Remarks**

Phyllis Greenberger, President and CEO, Society for Women's Health Research

10:15 am **Will your Lawyer Deliver Your Next Baby? The Effect of Rising Malpractice
Insurance Costs on OB/GYNs**

Steve Pavsner, Partner, Joseph Greenwald and Laake

Sara Imershein, M.D., FACOG

Corrine Parver, Practitioner-in-Residence and Executive Director, Health Law Project,
Program on Law and Government, American University Washington College of Law

11:00 am **Your Mother's Medicine: a new approach to the health care of women throughout
their lifespan**

Suzanne Mintz, President and CEO, National Family Caregivers Association

Judith Waxman, Vice President of Health and Reproductive Rights, National Women's
Law Center

- Noon **Luncheon Keynote Speaker: Maureen A. McTeer, Professor of Law, University of Ottawa School of Law: "Women's Health is a Human Right"**
- 1:15 pm **The R_{xx} Factor: Different on the Outside. Different on Inside? Rethinking the Medical Model and Clinical Trials**
Katie O'Callaghan, Division of Cardiovascular Devices, US FDA
Kathleen Uhl, MD, US Food & Drug Administration, Assistant Commissioner for Women's Health
Rebecca Wolf, 3L, Washington College of Law
- 3:00 pm **When a Woman's Choice is Not a Choice**
Lisa Brown, Counsel, National Abortion Federation
Jill Morrison, Senior Counsel, National Women's Law Center
Dr. William Parker, MD, MPH, Director of Family Planning for Washington Hospital Center
- 4:00 pm **Reception**

General Registration – no charge, but required. CLE Registration (3 credits will be applied for) –\$55
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