



**Annual Meeting Agenda
Wednesday, December 6, 2006
Mercy Medical Center, Des Moines**

- 8:45 am **Registration/Continental Breakfast/Networking**
- 9:15 am **Welcome/Announcements**
Sue Freeman, Chair, Iowa Diabetes Network
- 9:25 am **“Diabetes? Vision Loss? Independence? The Iowa Department for
the Blind is your Resource”**
Elizabeth Soenen, MA, BS
- 10:25 am **Stretch Exercise/Break**
- 10:40 am **“Informational Session Panel Discussion”**
Moderator: *Shannon Heinen* Speakers: *Sandra Crandell, Barbara
Fatka, Cindy Horn, Marsha Menke and Marcia Rabe*
Report on the progress of the Network’s Wellmark grant to evaluate the Iowa Diabetes
Network and determine what changes could result in making it stronger and more
effective. During this first year, a strategic plan has been written, and several planning
sessions and six regional meetings were conducted. The panel will report suggestions,
comments, and recommendations that have been noted. Questions will be addressed.
- 11:40 am **Establishment of 2007 Iowa Diabetes Network Program Committee**
Sue Freeman, Chair, Iowa Diabetes Network
- 11:45 am **Networking Lunch/Exhibits**
- 12:50 pm **Vision Tool Update**
Jill Gonder, Iowa Optometric Association
- 1:00 pm **“Management of Inpatient Hyperglycemia”**
Anuj Bhargava, M.D., F.A.C.E.
- 2:00 pm **“Trim Kids Program for Overweight Children”**
Ron Askland, MSE, BA
- 3:00 pm **Closing and Evaluation**