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Dear Health Economist:

Planning is now underway for the 10th Annual Southeastern Health Economics Study Group Conference to be held on October 26th and 27th in Fairfax, Virginia. Last year's conference in Memphis, Tennessee received great reviews and we hope to match that success this year. The sponsor for this year's event will be George Mason University.

Ten papers will be accepted for presentation. The conference will consist of a full day of presentations on Friday, October 26th and a half-day of presentations on Saturday, October 27th. Each paper will be allotted one hour, including 30 minutes for presentation, and 30 minutes for discussant comments and discussion from the floor. The number of participants in the conference will be limited. It is expected that participants will read the papers prior to the conference, and attend all sessions. While submissions are invited from any geographical location, preference will be given to presenters from the Southeastern region of the United States.

If you would like to participate in this invitational conference, please submit an abstract (maximum of two pages) in electronic format (pdf preferred) to aevanscu@gmu.edu by **June 30th, 2012**. Submissions may be on any aspect of health economics and may be empirical or theoretical, but should not have been accepted for publication prior to presentation at the conference. Authors will be notified of acceptance on or before July 30th. Please do not hesitate to contact Alison Cuellar (703-993-5048; aevanscu@gmu.edu) with any questions.

Sincerely,

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Call for Abstracts
for the
10th Annual
Southeastern Health Economics Study Group Conference

George Mason University
Fairfax, VA
October 26 and 27, 2012

The purpose of this invitational conference is to present and promote active exchange and discussion of the latest health economics research among senior and junior economists. Some meals will be provided. All other expenses, including transportation and lodging, are the participants' responsibility.

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Decisions will be made by July 30th; completed papers must be received by the conference organizers by August 31st. For further information, please contact Alison Cuellar (703-993-5048; aevanscu@gmu.edu).

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