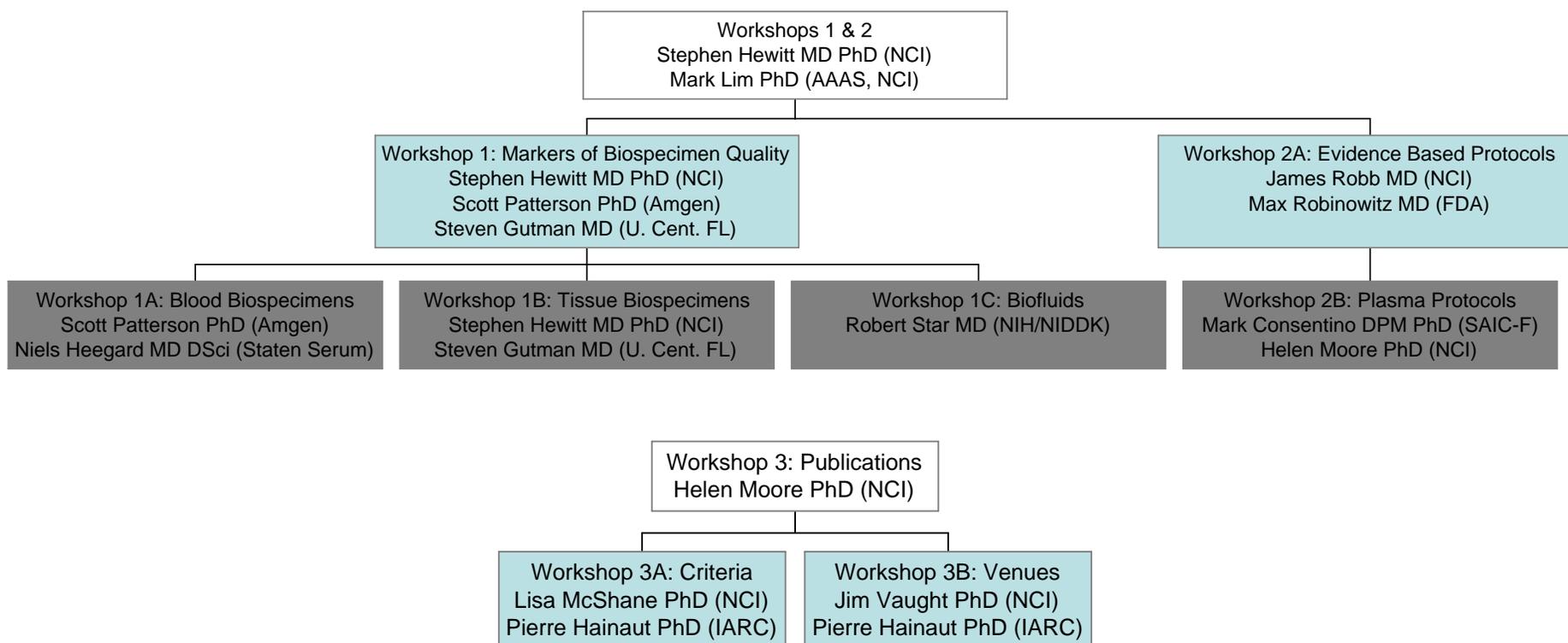




# BRN Symposium Workshops

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***Sign-up at the registration table!***



# Workshop 1: Markers of Biospecimen Quality

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9:30-9:45 am

The charge, purpose and organization of the workshops

**Stephen Hewitt MD, PhD (workshop co-chair)**

**Scott Patterson PhD (workshop co-chair)**

9:45-10:15 am

"Fit-for-purpose" and biospecimen quality: *Sifting for gold dust in a mine of coal*

**Steve Gutman, MD**

10:15-11:30 am

Discussion - *Open Mike*

**Chairs and Workshop Participants**

11:30-11:45 am

Session wrap-up, conclusions, next steps

Pick up lunch and proceed to Session 2



## Workshop 2: Evidence-based protocols

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9:30 – 10:00 am

Why are quality biospecimens absolutely necessary for personalized healthcare?

**James Robb MD**

10:00 – 10:30 am

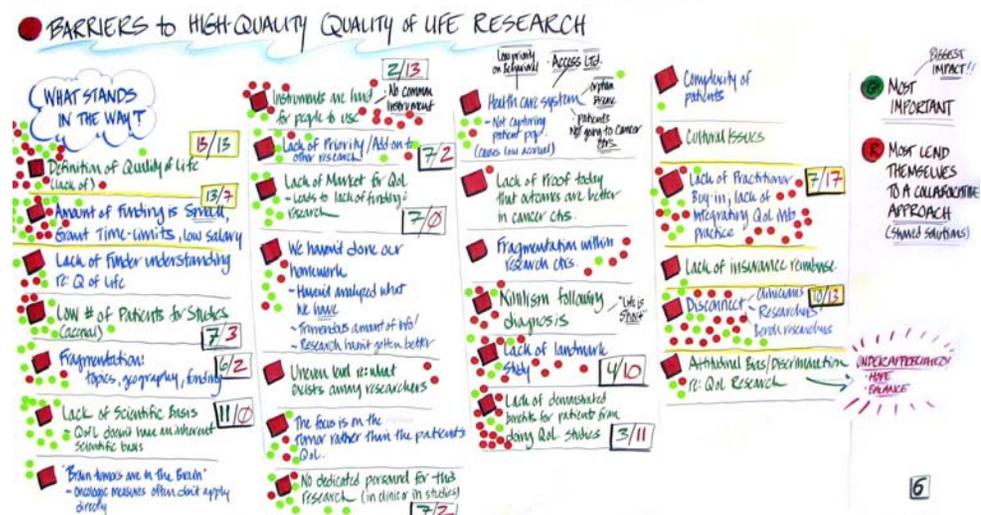
Why FDA Needs Evidence-based Biospecimen Protocols

**Max Robinowitz MD**

10:30 – 11:00 am

Discussion and development of protocol development standards - interactive ice cube tray protocol prioritization

**Workshop Participants**





## Workshop 2B and 3A

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### Workshop 2B: Plasma Protocols

11:30 am – 12:15 pm      Developing an evidence-based plasma protocol  
**Mark Cosentino DPM PhD & Helen Moore PhD**

12:15 – 1:45 pm      Discussion  
**Workshop Participants**

### Workshop 3A: Publications / Criteria

9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.      Process Followed To Develop REMARK and Potential  
Applicability to Other Guidelines  
**Lisa McShane, Ph.D.**

10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.      MCP Guidelines for Preparing Manuscripts Describing  
Research in Clinical Proteomics: Biospecimen Guidelines  
**Helen M. Moore, Ph.D.**

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.      Discussion  
**Chairs and Workshop Participants**



## Workshop 3B

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| 12 noon - 12:20 p.m.    | Challenges in Publishing Biospecimen Research<br><b>Pierre Hainaut, Ph.D.</b>                        |
| 12:20 p.m. - 12:40 p.m. | Current and Future Options for Publishing in the<br>Biospecimen Sciences<br><b>Jim Vaught, Ph.D.</b> |
| 12:40 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.  | Discussion<br><b>Chairs and Workshop Participants</b>  |