

Dear Met Net delegates:

In order for you to be fully prepared for this conference, we want to address a few issues regarding Met Net 2007:

(1) Dress Code: The daytime activities on Friday and Saturday (seminars, forums, etc.) are business casual. The night-time activities are casual. Sunday morning will also be casual dress.

(2) Best Practices: We encourage each delegate to come to the conference with at least one good idea or project that can benefit other JCI members. It does not have to be JCI specific, but the more ideas you arrive with at Met Net, the easier it will be for you to participate in the forums. If you don't have any ideas, grab a leadership book and flip through it until something strikes you as a good idea for you to share with others.

(3) Food: Lunch is included in your registration for Friday. Lunch on Saturday will be on your own at the food court next door to the hotel at Peachtree Center. You are on your own for breakfast & dinner each day. We will provide coffee and snacks during the afternoon breaks.

(4) Timeliness: The agenda is tight, so please arrive at each seminar or forum on time to ensure that you will have a seat in that particular session.

(5) Bring Resources to Share: Met Net is the best chance to share your handouts, manuals, brochures, podcasts, videos, power point presentations, etc. with other JCI leaders from many different cities. I would like to see delegates bring their resources on flash drives, CD's, or in hard copy. Bring your lap tops and thumb drives, so that you have an opportunity to download electronic resources from other delegates. In other words, come prepared to share resources and download resources.

(6) Trainer's Forum: This is open only to PRIME graduates and those who are taking PRIME in the next six months.

(7) Registration Check-In: If you arrive Thursday night, look for the registration table in the lobby of the hotel. On Friday, the registration table will be located near the International North conference room, so ask at the front desk where the conference rooms are located for the Met Net conference.

(8) Transportation to Hotel from Airport: As mentioned in prior e-mails, if you are flying into the Atlanta Airport, you will want to follow the signs to Ground Transportation / MARTA. You will want to purchase 3 rides (one for your trip to the hotel, one for your trip back to the airport, and one to get to the dinner/drinking establishments on Saturday night. Each ride is \$1.75 and there will be a \$.50 surcharge to get the card. You will go northbound to the Peachtree

Center Stop. This building is connected to the Hyatt via a skywalk. You will need to go up to the main food court level and follow signs to the Hyatt. Of course, you can also go outside and cross the street.

(9) Seeing Atlanta : If you arrive early on Thursday or if you have a late flight on Sunday, please take the time to visit the incredible sites of Atlanta . Not too far from the hotel, you have the CNN building and the Olympic park. You can also visit Turner Field (Home of the Atlanta Braves baseball team), the World of Coke and the new Georgia Aquarium.

(10) Networking: Met Net stands for “Metropolitan Networking”. We hope that you take the time to really meet as many delegates as possible rather than just hanging out with the people you already know from your own chapter. Bring business cards and actually give them out to other delegates.

We look forward to seeing all of you in a few days,

The 2007 Metro Team