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SUMMIT

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AN INTERNATIONAL THINK TANK ON INNOVATION AND THE FUTURE OF HEALTHCARE

JUNE 26-27, 2017 | THE DELTA GRAND OKANAGAN RESORT & CONFERENCE CENTRE | KELOWNA, BC, CANADA

Dear

The **17th Annual International Healthcare Summit** is taking place from June 26-27, 2017 in Kelowna, British Columbia. I am seeking approval to attend this summit as I see an opportunity to gain invaluable knowledge and network with industry influencers that will benefit our organization.

Policy makers and industry experts will discuss the rapidly growing developments in digital health, healthcare technology, and health IT. A main point of convergence will be the integration of disruptive technology that is driven by innovation, and the potential to revolutionize the healthcare industry by delivering personalized patient-centred care.

By attending the **17th Annual International Healthcare Summit**, I will be able to obtain high-level insight on pressing issues in the healthcare industry. This two-day event will allow me to attend panel sessions, keynote addresses, and networking events. Networking will foster new business opportunities and strengthen existing partnerships, and I will be able to share new insights, ideas and key takeaways with my coworkers when I return.

Summit topics include:

- Breaking Down the Silos of Healthcare: Crossing Ministry Opportunities and Challenges
- Road to Personalized Health Transformation: Issues and Considerations
- Shifting from Acute to Community Based Care: How Can Innovation Support Patient Care Closer to Home?
- Considerations and Solutions for Healthy Aging
- Can the Public Sector Innovate or Do We Need Disruption to Come from the Outside?

I have included a document with an expense breakdown of the summit for your review. I thank you for your consideration and look forward to discussing this opportunity further as I see great value in my attendance.

Best regards,

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Conference Expenses	Tips for Saving	Costs
Summit Registration	Register by April 28, 2017 for the early bird rate.	\$
Flights	Book your flight as early as possible to enjoy cheaper rates through Westjet & Air Canada.	\$
Lodging	The summit takes place at the Delta Grand Okanagan Resort & Conference Centre. Book your room before May 24, 2017 to enjoy a discounted rate of \$230/night.	\$
Transportation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Kelowna International Airport (YLW) is 14.9kms away from the Delta Grand Okanagan Resort & Conference Centre. Complimentary shuttle rides are provided by Let's Go Transportation Inc. The service is free to and from the hotel. A reservation is required: reservations@letsgotransportation.ca A taxi ride is approximately \$36. 	\$
Meals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The summit provides morning and afternoon coffee and lunch on both days. The Delta Grand has three restaurants with a wide variety of food selection. 	\$
Hotel and Convention Centre Parking	Regular parking is \$18 per day & valet parking is \$23 per day.	\$
TOTAL		\$