

IACME Board of Directors meeting April 15, 2010

The Iowa Association of County Medical Examiners Board of Directors held its regular spring meeting Thursday, April 15, 2010 at 1 p.m. at the Iowa Office of the State Medical Examiner in Ankeny.

The Board welcomed Sheila Holcomb, MD of LeMars, who was elected in November, 2009 to a 2-year term on the Board. The Board also welcomed Staci Olson, RN of Fort Dodge. Ms. Olson was appointed to temporarily fill the new Board investigator position until elections are held this November.

The Board reviewed the current financial report and a membership report showing 100 IACME members, a substantial increase compared with April of 2009 when there were 62 members.

The Board discussed the upcoming IACME Fall Meeting and Education Expo, which will be held Friday and Saturday, November 5 and 6, 2010 at the West Des Moines Sheraton. Dr. Dennis Klein, program chair, led a discussion of 2009 meeting evaluations and possible program topics for 2010.

The Board reviewed plans for a new IACME newsletter and the new IACME web site, *iacountyme.org*. Dr. Greg Schmunk, Polk County Medical Examiner, and Dr. Marcus Nashelsky, University of Iowa Department of Pathology, were appointed web site editors.

The Board's next meeting will be held Friday, November 5 in conjunction with the 2010 IACME Fall Meeting and Education Expo.