



**MHOEA Annual Fall Conference  
October 22-23, 2009**

It's that time of year again, the Annual MHOEA Conference. Your registrations must be in to MHOEA by **September 30, 2009**. The conference registration fee includes your 2009-10 dues. If you are unable to attend the conference send your membership application and dues to MHOEA. All conference information is also available on our website [www.mhoea.org](http://www.mhoea.org).

The conference is scheduled for October 22 and 23, 2009 in Traverse City, Michigan. This conference packet includes: registration form, membership application and a tentative agenda.

The conference location is the

Park Place Hotel  
300 East State Street  
Traverse City, MI 49684  
[www.park-place-hotel.com](http://www.park-place-hotel.com) (directions)

This is a great location with lots to do in the evening. The room rate is \$99.95 single or double per night. You can make your reservations by calling the Park Place Hotel at **231/946-5196**; ask for the MHOEA Conference rate. **Reservations must be made by September 21; our room block will be released after that date.** If you call the hotel after that date you may not get a room at our conference rate. It is suggested that you make your room reservation before September 21, then cancel if necessary, but you will at least have a reservation. Each year we get many calls a few days before the conference from individuals who waited to make reservations until they received administrative approval, which sometimes only comes a few days before the conference, and they have to pay a much higher room rate or have to go to another hotel. The hotel will not charge your credit card until you actually check in.

The Scholarship Committee will be sponsoring the **Silent Auction**. Remember to bring lots of items for the auction, this year we were able to give 2 scholarships in each region, because of your generosity at last year's conference.

**Conference Overview**

The Conference will provide MDE and HOSA updates along with information on the national cluster initiative.

Questions, suggestions and offers to help can be directed to Sherlene Kolberg at [skolberg@alleganaesa.org](mailto:skolberg@alleganaesa.org) or to [cstacy@mhc.org](mailto:cstacy@mhc.org) at 517-347-8091.