



DIALOGUE ON DIVERSITY

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Health Care Symposium 2014: Reform and an Age of Wellness

May 15, 2014, 8:30 am – 4:30 pm, Reception 4:30 – 6:30 pm

American Federation of Teachers, 555 New Jersey Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C.

9:30 Greeting – MA. CRISTINA CABALLERO, PRESIDENT, DIALOGUE ON DIVERSITY, CONVENOR

MARY LEHMAN MACDONALD, DIRECTOR, AFT HEALTHCARE, AMERICAN FEDERATION OF TEACHERS

9:45 THE NEW FACES OF HEALTH CARE – IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ACA REFORMS

Exchanges (“Marketplaces”) – Health Care Billing – Fees for Providers — Treatment Guidelines

MAYRA ALVAREZ, ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF MINORITY HEALTH, HHS

DANIA PALANKER, SENIOR COUNSEL, NATIONAL WOMEN'S LAW CENTER,

PROF. LEIGHTON KU, PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH POLICY, THE GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

10:45 PREVENTION ROUNDTABLE

Prevention and Health Care Costs – Statutory Aid – Research – Low-Tech and High-Tech Prevention

ROCIO MEDINA, M.D. VICE PRESIDENT, WORLDWIDE NUTRITION TRAINING, HERBALIFE

LINDA HARRIS, LEAD, HEALTH COMMUNICATION AND E-HEALTH, DISEASE PREVENTION AND HEALTH PROMOTION, HHS

PROF. FREYA SPIELBERG, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, PREVENTION AND COMMUNITY HEALTH, GWU

JOHN ABRAHAM, DIRECTOR, WORKER BENEFITS, AMERICAN FEDERATION OF TEACHERS

12:30 p.m. LUNCH SESSION – Featured Speakers:

HON. ELEANOR HOLMES NORTON, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, D.C. [Invited]

JOXEL GARCIA, M.D., DIRECTOR, D.C. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

ELENA RIOS HONOREE, PRESIDENT, NATIONAL HISPANIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, **HEALTH LEADERSHIP AWARD**

MARCOS PESQUERA, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, CENTER FOR HEALTH EQUITY AND WELLNESS, **HEALTH EQUITY AWARD**

ELAINE H. ELLIS, PRESIDENT, COMMUNITY HEALTH PARTNERSHIP, **COMMUNITY HEALTH AWARD**

1:30 DISPARITIES/CULTURAL COMPETENCY – ROUNDTABLE

Lead Speaker, Moderator: MALCOLM N. JOSEPH, III, M.D. MEDICAL DIRECTOR, CAREFIRST BLUECROSS BLUESHIELD

Disparities and access Subsidized insurance in “Marketplaces”; Nurses as Medical professionals

Cultural isolation: geography, region, social class, language, Migrants: Confronting Immigration Rules

MARCOS PESQUERA, CENTER FOR HEALTH EQUITY AND WELLNESS, ADVENTIST HEALTHCARE

DR. MARIA E. ROSA, DEAN OF NURSING, WEST COAST UNIVERSITY

DALE TREVINO, DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION, SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH, HARVARD UNIVERSITY

3:00 HEALTH CARE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Patient Electronic Health Records and Privacy – Interoperability of IT Systems,
Real Time Patient Histories – Medicine and IT Entrepreneurship

SCOTT WEINSTEIN, McDERMOTT WILL AND EMERY

JOSE BOLANOS, MANAGING DIRECTOR, VENTURE-MED

LUIS BELÉN, CEO, NATIONAL HEALTH IT COLLABORATIVE FOR THE UNDERSERVED

4:00 GLOBAL HEALTH

ANALIA PORRÁS, ADVISOR, TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATION FOR HEALTH, WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, PAN-AMERICAN
HEALTH ORGANIZATION, WASHINGTON, D.C.

CONCURRENT SESSION: 10:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.

The Affordable Care Act: What the Elderly Should Know The Chief Health Threats among
Minority Communities. Medicare and Medicaid. Wellness of Mind and Body

Screening Tests for common medical conditions, among these Diabetes, Hypertension, Glaucoma,
Memory, and more. Testing is sponsored by the District of Columbia Department of Health. This
service is free and available for the public. Testing conducted at the Program Site.