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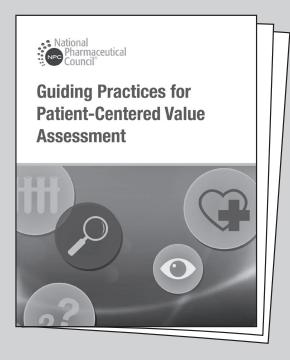




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**HCCS** Health Care Costs and Spending

**HCCA** Health Care Coverage and Access

**HCPR** Health Care Payment and Delivery System Reform

**SDPH** Social Determinants, Population Health and Health Equity

**COEX** The Consumer Experience

**OTH** Other



# Mark Your Calendar for Upcoming AcademyHealth Events



March 27-28, 2019 | Washington Hilton, Washington D.C.



Since its inception a decade ago, the Health Datapalooza has become the gathering place for people and organizations creating knowledge from data and pioneering innovations that drive health policy and practice. More than a meeting, Health Datapalooza is a diverse community of big thinkers and roll-up-our-sleeves-and-get-it-done problem solvers who share a mission to liberate and use data to improve health and health care.

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#### **Register Today**

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#### **MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4**

7:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m. **Registration** 

Liberty Ballroom Salons I/J (Meeting Level 4)

7:15 a.m.–8:15 a.m. Meet-the-Experts Student Breakfast

Georgetown (Meeting Level 1)

8:00 a.m.—9:00 a.m. **Continental Breakfast** 

Meeting Level 4 Foyer

8:30 a.m.–8:40 a.m. **Opening Welcome** 

Independence Ballroom (Meeting Level 4)

**Speakers: Karen Minyard,** Georgia Health Policy Center;

Lisa Simpson, AcademyHealth

8:40 a.m.–9:10 a.m. **Keynote Address** 

Independence Ballroom (Meeting Level 4)

**Speaker: Alex M. Azar II**, Secretary of Health and Human Services

9:10 a.m.-10:30 a.m. HCCA Health Policy in Washington and the States: A Look Ahead

Independence Ballroom (Meeting Level 4)

Moderator: Joanne Kenen, POLITICO Pro

**Speakers: Melinda Buntin**, Vanderbilt University School of Medicine; **Len Nichols**, George Mason University; **Hemi Tewarson**, National Governors

Association; Grace-Marie Turner, Galen Institute

**Plenary Description:** Using an "armchair conversation" style, national experts will examine the outlook on federal health policy for the year ahead as well as state

health policy, given the recent number of gubernatorial elections.

10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. **Networking Break** 

Meeting Level 4 Foyer

11:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m. **Concurrent Sessions** 

FSI Partners in Innovation: What States and the CMS Innovation Center Accomplish Together

Archives (Meeting Level 4)

**Moderator: Rivka Friedman**, Center for Medicare and Medicaid Innovation

**Panelists: Ena Backus**, Vermont Agency of Human Services; **Heather Beil**, RTI International; **Katie Wunderlich**, Maryland Health Services Cost Review

Commission

**Policy Roundtable:** This presentation will give states a playbook for advancing value-based payment models. We will identify lessons for state and Federal government agencies interested in implementing these payment models, and give insight into evaluation strategies used to examine the impact of these models in complex policy environments.

#### **AGENDA**

# HCPR The Missing Piece in Value-Based Payment Reform: Consumer Engagement

Capitol/Congress (Meeting Level 4)

**Moderator: Charlene Wong**, Duke Children's Health and Discovery Initiative

Panelists: David Asch, University of Pennsylvania; Patrick Conway, Blue Cross Blue Shield of North Carolina; Mark McClellan, Duke University; Charlotte Yeh, AARP Services, Inc.

**Policy Roundtable:** As value-based payment models are increasingly adopted, we present a critical view of a missing complement to these payment reforms — consumer engagement — and recommend policy prescriptions grounded in behavioral economic principles to address the gap.

# OTH Exploring the Opioid Epidemic Using a Systems Approach: Prevention, Treatment, and Recovery

Chinatown (Meeting Level 3)

Moderator: Onaje Salim, SAMHSA

**Speakers: Mary Applegate**, Ohio Department of Medicaid; **Karen Drexler**, Department of Veterans Affairs; **Roshni Ghosh**, Premier; **Brigitte Manteuffel**, Georgia Health Policy Center

**Description:** Panelists will explore the evolving policy landscape at the national, state, and local levels to combat the opioid epidemic, using an opioid systems map as a framework for discussion. After a brief overview of the opioid crisis and introduction to the systems map, national experts on prevention, treatment, and recovery will address current policy efforts to address the opioid epidemic in the context of the broader systems that have shaped it. Time will be given for an informal discussion and audience questions.

# HCCS Stabilizing and Strengthening the Individual Health Insurance Market

Shaw/LeDroit Park (Meeting Level 3)

**Moderator: Mark Hall**, Wake Forest University

**Panelists: Jean Abraham**, University of Minnesota; **Randy Pate**, Center for Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight; **Brad Wilson**, Wake Forest University and Formerly, Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina

**Policy Roundtable:** This panel will address a full range of issues related to (de)stabilization of the individual health insurance market, including: drivers and effects of insurers' market entry and exit; effects of political and actuarial uncertainty on insurer pricing and participation decisions; and promising measures for states to stabilize the market.

11:00 a.m.-11:45 a.m.

#### HCCA Rapid Fire Session 1A: Lessons from State and Local Efforts to Increase Health Insurance Coverage

Liberty Ballroom Salons N-O (Meeting Level 4)

Moderator: Gregg Margolis, National Academy of Medicine

Speakers: David Mevers. Brown University

The Association of State Consumer Protections in the Medigap Market with Medicare Advantage Re-Enrollment

Patrick Wightman, University of Arizona

Medicaid Eligibility and Healthcare Utilization in Arizona: A Natural Experiment

**Sonal Parasrampuria**, Johns Hopkins

Using Employer Mandates As a Tool for Expanding Insurance Coverage and Improving Health Outcomes

11:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (This session immediately follows the 11:00 a.m.-11:45 a.m. session in this room.)

#### HCCA Rapid Fire Session 1B: Simulation and Variation to Identify Coverage and Access Effects

Liberty Ballroom Salons N-O (Meeting Level 4)

Moderator: Gregg Margolis, National Academy of Medicine

**Speakers: Jodi Liu**, RAND Corporation

Impacts of Single-Payer Health Care in New York State Paul Shafer. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Is All Marketplace Advertising Created Equal?

**Rachel Donlon**. National Academy for State Health Policy State Strategies to Advance Palliative Care Policies for Older Adults: A 50 State Analysis

12:30 p.m.-2:30 p.m.

#### Lunch Plenary: Technology, Innovation, and the Future of Health Care

Independence Ballroom (Meeting Level 4)

Moderator: Rasu Shrestha. Atrium Health

Speakers: Bechara Choucair, Kaiser Permanente; Christopher Coloian,

Cotiviti: Naomi Fried. Health Innovation Strategies

**Plenary Description:** In a "fireside chat," hear from leaders in the field who are transforming health care through innovations in data, social determinants of health, and technology.

2:30 p.m.-2:45 p.m.

**Break** 

2:45 p.m.-4:15 p.m.

**Concurrent Sessions** 

#### OTH Future Directions in Regulatory Policy: The Role of Real World Evidence

Archives (Meetina Level 4)

Moderator: Tanisha Carino. FasterCures

Speakers: Jeff Allen, Friends of Cancer Research: Rachael Fleurence, Medical Device Innovation Consortium, National Evaluation System for Health Technology Coordinating Center; **Sean Khozin**, Food and Drug Administration; **Jeremy** 

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**Description:** This session with explore regulatory and policy opportunities and challenges related to increased availability of real world data and further uses of real world evidence in decision-making.

#### **AGENDA**

# HCPR Can CMS Payment and Delivery Reforms Transform the U.S. Healthcare System?

Capitol/Congress (Meeting Level 4)

Moderator: Robert Mechanic, Brandeis University

Panelists: Michael McWilliams, Harvard Medical School; Divya Paliwal, Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey;

**Denise Prince**, Mount Sinai Health System; **Glenn Steele**, Health Transformation Alliance

**Policy Roundtable:** CMS has implemented a vast array of payment and delivery reforms. A growing body of evidence shows some quality gains and modest savings. Private payers have been slow to implement similar reforms. Should Medicare payment policy stay the course or change direction? Public and private policy leaders debate the future.

# OTH How Washington is Responding (or Not) to Data, Technology, Patient Access, and Privacy

Chinatown (Meeting Level 3)

Moderator: Jodi Daniel. Crowell & Moring, LLP

**Speakers: Marissa Gordon-Nguyen**, U.S. Department of Health & Human Services Office for Civil Rights; **Tom Leary**, HIMSS; **Suzanne Schrandt**, Arthritis Foundation

**Description:** The health care delivery system is undergoing immense transformation and much of it is being facilitated by data-driven decisions that leverage new opportunities and overcome major barriers to change. Hear from national leaders who play major roles in the uses of data for the framing of public policies that catalyze the forces of change.

# SDPH Addressing Social Determinants of Health within the Healthcare System: Current Approaches and Future Directions Shaw/LeDroit Park (Meeting Level 3)

**Moderator: Nancy Delew**, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Panelists: DaShawn Groves, D.C. Department of Health Care Finance; John Lovelace, UPMC Center for High-Value Health Care; Mat Reidhead, Missouri Hospital Association; Laurel Rose, Health Partners;

**Policy Roundtable:** This panel will describe and share promising efforts by providers and payers in developing innovative ways to identify patients' social needs and address social determinants of health within the health care system. Panelists will share current approaches to data, provision and referral to services, and discuss potential future policy directions.

2:45 p.m.-3:30 p.m.

#### HCPR Rapid Fire Session 2A: New Healthcare Payment Models: **Outcomes. Challenges. and Potential Solutions**

Liberty Ballroom Salons N-O (Meeting Level 4)

Moderator: Andreea Balan-Cohen, IMPAQ International

Speakers: Kathleen Carev. Boston University

Outpatient Joint Replacement: Does Setting Matter for Patient Safety?

William Gold, Gold Health Strategies, Inc.

A Perspective on Provider Participation in Commercial ACO Programs

Leif Wellington Haase, LWH Consulting

Waking the Sleeping Giant: Employers Tackle Health Care Costs in Earnest

3:30 p.m.–4:15 p.m. (This session immediately follows the 2:45 p.m.-3:30 p.m. session in this room.)

#### HCPR Rapid Fire Session 2B: How Can New Data Inform Health Care Delivery? Medicare Advantage, Alternate Sites of Care, and **Mental Parity Laws**

Liberty Ballroom Salons N-O (Meeting Level 4)

Moderator: Andreea Balan-Cohen, IMPAQ International

Eva DuGoff, University of Maryland

Complex Patients and Quality of Care in Medicare Advantage

Christine O'Donnell, FAIR Health

Changing Venues of Healthcare Delivery: How Claims Data Can Inform Policy

Making and Affect Consumer Access

Elizabeth Messenger-Jones. IMPAQ International

Using Form Filing Reviews to Enforce Mental Health Parity Regulations

4:15 p.m.-4:30 p.m.

**Break** 

4:30 p.m.-5:45 p.m.

#### HCCS Tackling Healthcare Costs: Is There Anything New Under the Sun?

Independence Ballroom (Meeting Level 4)

**Moderator: Dan Gorenstein**, Tradeoffs – a Health Policy Podcast

**Speakers: Shonta Chambers**, Patient Advocate Foundation;

Michael Chernew, Harvard Medical School; Reed Tuckson, Tuckson Health

Connections, LLC; Gail Wilensky, Project HOPE

**Plenary Description:** Amidst exciting improvements and new developments in health care, challenges remain in the areas of health care costs and spending. Panelists will share insights into these issues and recommendations on how to address them.

5:45 p.m.-6:45 p.m.

#### Poster Session A\* and Reception

Liberty Ballroom Salons L/M (Meeting Level 4)

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\*see page 19 for a list of poster presenters

#### **AGENDA**

#### **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 5**

7:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

#### Registration

Liberty Ballroom Salons I/J (Meeting Level 4)

7:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m. (Separate Registration Required)

State Policy Breakfast: Using Medicaid 1115 Demonstration Waivers to Address Public Health and Policy Priorities: Updates from States in the Field\*

Georgetown (Meeting Level 1)

\*see page 17 for more information.

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8:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

#### Poster Session B\* and Continental Breakfast

Liberty Ballroom Salons L/M (Meeting Level 4)

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\*see page 22 for a list of poster presenters

9:45 a.m.-10:00 a.m.

#### **Keynote**

Independence Ballroom (Meeting Level 4)

Speaker: Congresswoman Rosa DeLauro (D-CT) - U.S. House of

Representatives

10:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

#### Capitol Hill Staffers: Perspectives from the Inside Independence Ballroom (Meeting Level 4)

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Moderator: Cheryl Jaeger, Williams & Jensen, PLLC

**Speaker: Katie Meyer**, Office of Republican Leader, U.S. House of Representatives; **Wendell Primus**, Office of the Speaker, U.S. House of Representatives

**Plenary Description:** Current congressional staffers will speak to the inner workings of Congress and where we can expect movement on health policy in the year ahead.

10:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

#### **Networking Break**

Meeting Level 4 Foyer

11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

**Concurrent Sessions** 

HCCS The New Norm? Value Frameworks Based on Cost-Effectiveness Determining Who Gets What?

Archives (Meeting Level 4)

Moderator: Robert Dubois, National Pharmaceutical Council

Panelists: Amir Bassiri, Office of Governor Andrew M. Cuomo;

Elisabeth Oehrlein, National Health Council; Steven Pearson, Institute for

Clinical and Economic Review; Surya Singh, CVS Health

**Policy Roundtable:** The use of "value frameworks" seeks to bring more consistency and transparency to payer decision-making. However, CVS' decision to utilize ICER's value assessments in its formulary management appears to be an import-ant milestone in the cost-effectiveness debate. A multi-stakeholder roundtable will take on this new branch of the value discussion.

### HCCA National Coverage Debate: Move Toward Medicare, States, or Consumer Control?

Capitol/Congress (Meeting Level 4)

**Moderator: Jeanne Lambrew**, Formerly with The Century Foundation

Speakers: James Capretta, American Enterprise Institute; Christopher Jennings, Jennings Policy Strategies, Inc.; Rohini Kosoglu, Senator Kamala Harris

**Description:** With midterm voters naming health care as their number one priority, 2020 presidential candidates will probably debate major proposals to improve the affordability and accessibility of health coverage. Proposals will likely include expanding Medicare-like elements or options, devolving funding and control to states, and giving consumers accounts or tax breaks for health plans. This panel of experts advising candidates on both sides of the aisle will explore the coverage, cost, and policy implications of competing approaches.

#### **SDPH** Exploring Rural Health Policy Opportunities

Chinatown (Meeting Level 3)

Moderator: Karen Minyard, Georgia Health Policy Center

**Speakers: Roxanne Elliott**, First Health of the Carolinas; **Bill Finerfrock**, National Association of Rural Health Clinics; **Mark Holmes**, UNC Gillings School of Global Public Health; **Thomas Morris**, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

**Description:** This session will explore the various factors affecting rural health in the United States, using a ten factor module as a framework for discussion. Panelists representing government, research, and health care will speak about current efforts and future opportunities to improve rural health within the context of the factors that shape it. Time will also be given for an informal discussion between the panelists and the audience.

#### HCCA Impact of Medicaid Policy on the Availability and

#### Organization of Health Services

Shaw/LeDroit Park (Meeting Level 3)

**Moderator: Tara Oakman**, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Panelists: Derek DeLia, MedStar Health Research Institute; Anne Markus, George Washington University; David Wallace, University of Pittsburgh

**Policy Roundtable:** Drawing on research supported by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, this policy roundtable will explore how Medicaid policies (implemented and proposed) affect the availability of services from hospitals, health centers, and physicians. Issues explored include providers' capacity, financial stability, and accessibility. Audience questions and discussion will follow panelists' remarks.

#### **AGENDA**

11:00 a.m.-11:45 a.m.

11:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

(This session immediately

follows the 11:00 a.m.-11:45 a.m. session in this room.)

# HCCS Rapid Fire Session 3A: Money and Medicaid: A Close-Up Look at Drug Costs and Spending

Liberty Ballroom Salons N-O (Meeting Level 4)

Moderator: Andrew Barnhill, GlaxoSmithKline Speakers: Sean Dickson, Pew Charitable Trusts Aligning Incentives in the Medicaid Drug Rebate Program

Alice Burns, Congressional Budget Office

Using Medicaid Enrollment Duration to Understand Potential Effects of Time-Limited Enrollment

**Erica Eliason**, Columbia University

Can Medicaid Expansion Prevent Housing Eviction?

# Rapid Fire Session 3B: The Potential Impact of Consumer Engagement on Healthcare Quality and Costs

Liberty Ballroom Salons N-O (Meeting Level 4)

**Moderator: Dora Hughes**, George Washington University **Speakers: Lee Thompson**, American Institutes for Research *Engaging Patients and Families to Improve Hospital Safety* 

Adam Block, New York Medical College The Impact of Terrible Yelp Reviews on New Patient Volume

**Grace Kim**, New York University Wagner School
Lessons Learned from the Launch of a Consumer Facing Outpatient Charge

Transparency Tool

12:30 p.m.-2:30 p.m.

#### **Lunch Plenary**

Independence Ballroom (Meeting Level 4)

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Speaker: Congressman Michael C. Burgess, M.D. (R-TX) - U.S. House of Representatives

Politics. Health Care, and the Elections

Moderator: Julie Rovner, Kaiser Health News Speakers: Stephanie Armour, *The Wall Street Journal*; Lara Brown, Graduate School of Political Management, George Washington University; Jennifer Haberkorn, *Los Angeles Times* 

**Plenary Description:** This session will analyze the role health care played in the 2018 midterm elections and how the election results are likely to impact health policy debates in the year ahead.

2:45 p.m.-4:15 p.m.

#### **Concurrent Sessions**

HCPR Healthcare Transformation & Health Equity: A Framework to Make the Dream Work for Communities of Color

Archives (Meeting Levels 4)

Moderator: Sinsi Hernández-Cancio, Families USA

**Speakers: Marshall Chin**, University of Chicago; **Daniel Dawes**, Health Equity Leadership and Exchange Network; **Sarah de Guia**, California Pan-Ethnic Health Network; **Cara James**, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services - Office of Minority Health

**Description:** Health care transformations efforts to date have largely not considered the need to reduce persistent health and health care inequities that undermine the health of communities of color, rural communities, and other disadvantaged groups. While system transformation could be leveraged to target the reduction of these inequities, so far, many of the programs in value-based care have actually made things worse. The Health Equity Task Force on Delivery and System Transformation, comprised of leading experts in the field, has developed a policy options paper and a national policy agenda to address this gap. We will present a framework of six policy domains requiring action to achieve an equitable, high value health care system, and specific concerns and recommendations around the research needed to support this work.

#### FSI Medicaid Buy-in Proposals: The Next Wave of State Innovation

Capitol/Congress (Meeting Level 4)

**Moderator: Dan Meuse**, Princeton University

Panelists: Emma Sandoe, Harvard University; Tim Sweeney, Oregon Health

Authority; Marie Zimmerman, Hennepin Healthcare

**Policy Roundtable:** This panel will analyze the insurance markets in the states and describe the goals and policy considerations that states are currently examining when developing a Medicaid buy-in proposal. Panelists will present their research on proposed models and describe the current landscape of future and existing policies in their respective states.

#### **SDPH** Pushing System Change for Women's Health Equity

Chinatown (Meeting Level 3)

**Moderator: Emily Stewart**, Planned Parenthood Federation of America

**Panelists: Tekisha Dwan Everette**, TDE Consulting Group; **Julia Kohn**, Planned Parenthood Federation of America; **Laurie Zephyrin**, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

**Policy Roundtable:** While there has been increased attention around maternal mortality, data from the CDC shows that pregnancy-related deaths are an indication of a larger women's health crisis. In this session, experts will discuss what work can be done during this time of transformation to address the broader issues around women's health.

### HCPR Accelerating Care Integration: Successful Payer-Provider Strategies

Shaw/LeDroit Park (Meeting Level 3)

Moderator: Ceci Connolly, Alliance of Community Health Plans

Panelists: Anna Bavykina, Permanente Medical Group; Daniel Duhigg, Presbyterian Medical Group; Mark Huth, Group Health Cooperative of South Central Wisconsin

**Policy Roundtable:** When health plans and providers collaborate closely, care improves, costs go down, patients experience better outcomes—and entire communities benefit. This panel presents specific payer-provider partnerships from across the country as models that health plans and policymakers can emulate in their own regions for sizable and lasting results.

#### **AGENDA**

2:45 p.m.-3:30 p.m.

# SDPH Rapid Fire Session 4A: Improving Population Health: Opportunities for Cross-Cutting Policies

Liberty Ballroom Salons N-O (Meeting Level 4)

**Moderator: Deena Chisolm**, Research Institute at Nationwide Children's Hospital

**Speakers: Naomi Seiler.** George Washington University

Improving Population Health Outcomes through Medicaid: A Case Study of HIV Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis

**Thomas Hagerman**, University of Pittsburgh

Disproportionate Exposure to Adverse Household Circumstances among Children with Disabilities in the United States

Cecilia Echeverria. Kaiser Permanente

Addressing the Behavioral Health Needs of Low-Income Populations: Crowdsourcing Wisdom across Sectors

3:30 p.m.-4:15 p.m.

(This session immediately follows the 2:45 p.m.-3:30 p.m. session in this room.)

### SDPH Rapid Fire Session 4B: Tackling Social Determinants: Building Context and Communication into Policy

Liberty Ballroom Salons N-O (Meeting Level 4)

Moderator: Deena Chisolm, Research Institute at Nationwide Children's Hospital

**Speakers: Lanlan Xu**, IMPAQ International

Race, Place and Opioid Utilization: The Complex Relationships among Community Racial/Ethnic Composition, Individual Race/Ethnicity, and Opioid Utilization

Megan McHugh, Northwestern University

The Link between Community Health and Productivity in US Manufacturing Plants

Taletha Derrington, American Institutes for Research

Cross-System Relationship Building Enhances Clinical Support Services for Drug-Exposed Infants and Their Families

4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m.

#### **SDPH** Public and Population Health and Health Equity

Independence Ballroom

**Moderators: Pamela Aaltonen**, American Public Health Association; **Lisa Simpson**, AcademyHealth

Speakers: Garth Graham, Aetna Foundation; Gloria Wilder,

Centene Corporation; **Kimberlydawn Wisdom**, Henry Ford Health System

**Plenary Description:** In a joint closing session with the American Public Health Association (APHA), national leaders will share how they are using innovative strategies in public and population health to address health disparities and to improve health equity.

5:30 p.m.

#### **Conference Concludes**

#### ADJUNCT MEETINGS

#### **MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4**

7:15 a.m.-8:15 a.m.

#### **Meet-the-Experts Student Breakfast**

Georgetown (Meeting Level 1)

Open to all students attending the NHPC. No prior registration required.

The Meet-the-Experts Student Breakfast provides students with the opportunity to network with seasoned health policy professionals and health services and policy researchers. Through informal discussion, students will learn more about the experts' achievements and current work, as well as gain valuable insight for shaping their own careers.

6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

#### AcademyHealth Student Networking Happy Hour

High Velocity Sports Bar at Marriott Marquis - Lobby Level

Open to all students attending the NHPC. No prior registration required.

This annual networking event brings together students and young professionals in health policy.

Co-Hosted by the Society for Health Policy Young Professionals

#### **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 5**

7:00 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

#### State Policy Breakfast: Using Medicaid 1115 Demonstration Waivers to Address Public Health and Policy Priorities: Updates from States in the Field

(Separate Registration Required)

Georgetown (Meeting Level 1)

According to CMS, 36 Section 1115 waivers are currently approved across the U.S. These demonstration waivers are policy laboratories allowing states to test changes to covering, delivering, and financing Medicaid services. A number of states are using 1115 waivers to alter Medicaid and address pressing public health and policy priorities in their states. This policy breakfast will feature an overview by Patrick McGowan, the Administrator of New Hampshire's Medicaid Quality Program, on policies that are authorized by 1115 waivers and how evaluations are employed to understand demonstration project success and failures. This will be followed by a discussion of Virginia's 1115 waiver evaluation to expand substance use treatment by Lauryn Walker, Senior Economic Advisor, Virginia Medicaid, The breakfast panel will be moderated by Georgia Health Policy Center's Director, Angela Snyder, with introductions by AcademyHealth's Senior Manager of State Health Policy, Susan Kennedy.

Moderation and discussion will also focus on how researchers can support their states in developing and implementing 1115 evaluations, especially in light of the recent mid-term elections. Additional considerations can be given to what additional information could be useful for researchers and policymakers as they consider waiver design modifications and implications on evaluations, data limitations, and dissemination via research, community, and policy channels.

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#### **SESSION TYPES**

#### **Main Events**

This year's plenaries will provide an extensive overview of the nation's 2019 health policy agenda as well as offer clarity on the issues facing health care in the United States.

#### **Policy Roundtables and Concurrent Sessions**

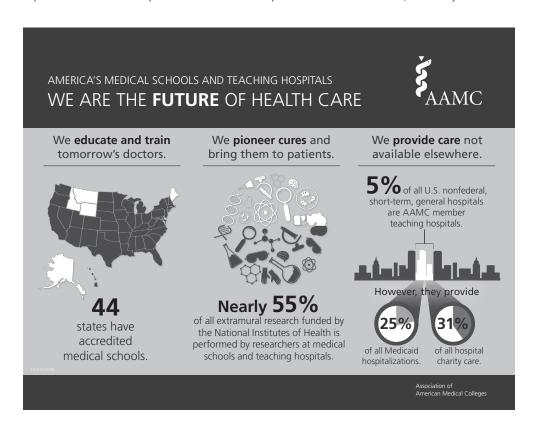
Policy roundtables and concurrent sessions are 90 minutes and will feature a moderator and up to four panelists around a single policy topic or opportunity. Each panelist will offer a different perspective on the topic.

#### **Posters**

Posters highlight how evidence was used or could be used to inform policy development, implementation and/or evaluation. Poster presenters will share this information during their dedicated poster session.

#### **Rapid Fire Presentations**

Rapid Fire presentations will be featured in dedicated rapid fire concurrent sessions organized around a theme. Rapid Fire sessions will allow presenters seven minutes to present their work on 12 slides, followed by Q&A.



#### **POSTER SESSION A**

Monday, February 4, 5:45 p.m.-6:45 p.m.

**Themes Featured:** Federalism and State Innovation (A1–A4); Health Care Costs and Spending (A5–A11); Social Determinants, Population Health and Health Equity (A13–A30); The Consumer Experience (A31–A35)

KEY: Poster Session (A or B) Poster Number (1-35) - Presenter Name, Organization, Poster Title

#### **Federalism and State Innovation**

**A1 - Daenuka Muraleetharan**, Texas A&M University Economic Implications of Medicaid Innovations: Evaluating the Cost-Effectiveness of Wisconsin's Section 1115 Demonstration

**A2 - Mary Saxon**, Arizona State University Individual Rights Vs. the Public Good: How Do Permissive State Policies Impact Childhood Vaccination Rates?

#### A3 - Sara Drake, Mercer

Intersection of Federal and State Medicaid Pharmacy Programs: Innovative Approaches for Addressing Regulations, High Cost of Drugs and Federal Requirements

**A4 - Emma Sandoe**, Harvard University
The Politics Driving Home Care Worker Wage Increases

#### **Health Care Costs and Spending**

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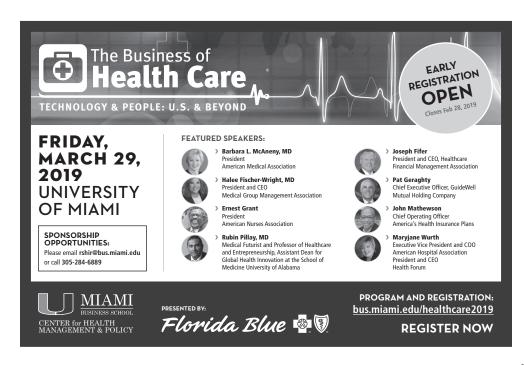
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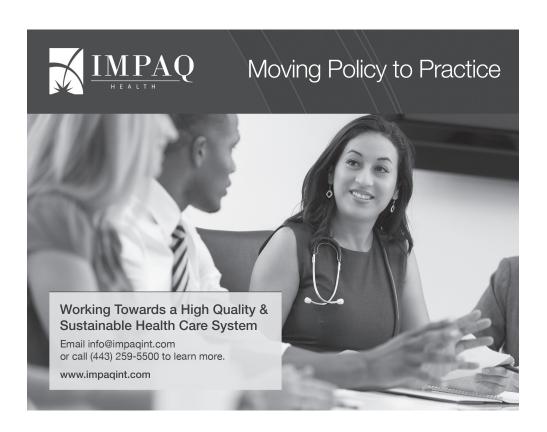
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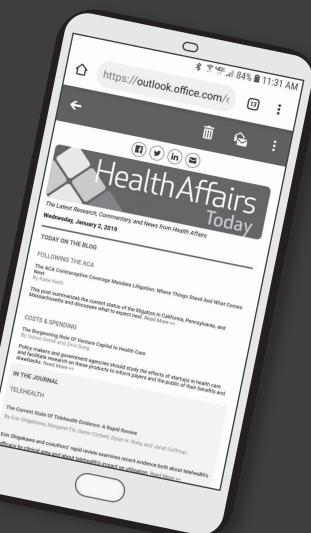
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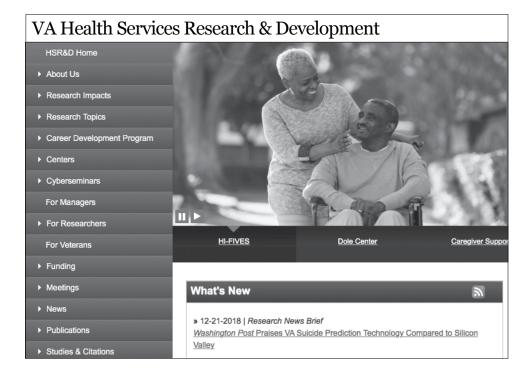




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