



**Medical Leadership Council on Cultural Proficiency
Wednesday, November 18, 2009**

The California Endowment
1000 North Alameda Street * Yosemite Hall * Los Angeles, California

9:30am – 10:00am

CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

10:00am – 10:30am

WELCOME AND UPDATE ON TCE STRATEGIC PLAN

Leonard Fromer, MD, FAFAP, Past President

California Academy of Family Physicians

Robert Ross, MD, President and CEO

The California Endowment

10:30am – 11:30am

UPDATE ON NATIONAL HEALTH CARE REFORM

Sandy Newman, MPH, Director of Health Policy

California Academy of Family Physicians

Lucien Wulsin, Jr., Project Director

Insure the Uninsured Project

Questions and Answers

Roundtable Discussions

Objective: To provide an overview of the national health care reform proposals and their implications for diverse and underserved patients in California.

11:30am – 12:00pm

MEDICAL LEADERSHIP COUNCIL MINI-GRANTS

Sandy Newman, MPH, Director of Health Policy

California Academy of Family Physicians

Mike Steenburg, Executive Director

San Joaquin County Medical Society

Lisa Folberg, Vice President of Medical & Regulatory Policy

California Medical Association

Dolores Green, Executive Director

Riverside County Medical Association

Questions and Answers

Objective: To provide brief updates on the small grants to Medical Leadership Council member organizations who are implementing projects related to the goals and objectives of the Council.

12:00pm – 1:00pm

LUNCH



1:00pm – 1:30pm

UPDATE ON HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Ignatius Bau, Program Director

The California Endowment

Jonah Frohlich, MPH, Deputy Secretary for Health Information Technology

California Department of Health Care Services

Questions and Answers

Objective: To discuss emerging opportunities to adopt health information technology (HIT), especially to meet the unmet health care needs of diverse, low-income patient populations; to identify barriers and opportunities for Medical Leadership Council member organizations to participate in and take advantage of the federal and state activities to expand the meaningful use of HIT.

1:30pm – 2:15pm

HEALTH ISSUES FOR LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL AND TRANSGENDER PATIENTS

Mary Lou Licwinko, JD, MHSA, Executive Director

San Francisco Medical Society

Shane Snowdon, Director, Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender Resources

University of California San Francisco

Caitlin Ryan, PhD, Director, Family Acceptance Project

San Francisco State University

Questions and Answers

Objective: To provide an overview of health issues for lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender patients and increase awareness about cultural proficiency issues and their impact on health in these patient populations.

2:15pm - 2:30pm

BREAK

2:30pm – 3:15pm

REFLECTIONS ON PAST ACTIVITIES AND PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE OF THE MEDICAL LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

Susan Hogeland, MA, CAE, Executive Vice President

Shelly Rodrigues, MS, CAE, Deputy Executive Vice President

California Academy of Family Physicians

Medical Students and Residents

Discussion

Objective: To reflect on the achievements of the Medical Leadership Council over the past eight years and discuss ideas for proposed future activities by Medical Leadership Council member organizations to achieve the goals and objectives of the Council.

3:15pm – 3:30pm

NEXT STEPS, MEETING EVALUATION AND ADJOURNMENT

Ignatius Bau, Program Director

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Leonard Fromer, MD, FAFAP, Past President

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