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Value of Honorarium: \$1,530.00 Date Received: Oct. 2-5, 2011  
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National Academy for State Health Policy annual conference

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Agenda

## Confirmation - NASHP 24th Annual State Health Policy Conference

Mary Dimatteo [conference@nashp.org]

Sent: Thursday, September 29, 2011 2:39 PM

To: Mary DiMatteo [mdimatteo@nashp.org]

Attachments: 2011 NASHP Conference Part~1.pdf (292 KB)

Good afternoon,

Thank you for registering for NASHP's 24th Annual State Health Policy Conference! As you can see from the attached participant list, over 550 leaders in the state health policy community are attending this premier national event which has a long-standing reputation for being the catalyst behind significant improvements to state health policy and practice.

**Electronic Access to Conference Presentations** - To reduce reliance on paper, you are being provided with electronic access to session materials in lieu of receiving handouts on-site. Prior to arriving in Kansas City, simply go to: NASHP Conference Presentations to view, download and print session presentations at your discretion (since internet access is limited and can be unreliable, you are strongly encouraged to view and download presentations before you arrive in Kansas City).

Other "environmentally-friendly" steps being taken at this event include the elimination of individual water and soft drink bottles. Water stations will be positioned throughout the meeting area (*in fact, feel free to bring your own water bottle with you to help reduce the amount of glassware used*). We also encourage on-site recycling of badges and paper products. Even the conference tote is made out of recycled material!

### Internet Access

NASHP's Cyber Café will be located in the Century Ballroom Foyer and is the perfect spot to access your email, the internet, print off boarding passes, or generally stay on top of business during your time at conference. Also, complimentary internet access is available in the hotel lobby.

### Monday Evening Reception (5:00 pm - 6:30 pm)

Please join us in the Century Ballroom Foyer of The Westin Crown Center Hotel to kick off another exciting NASHP conference!

### Tuesday Evening Reception (6:00 pm - 8:00 pm)

Come to the heart of Kansas City's Crossroads Art District for a festive evening not to be missed! Panoramic views of the downtown's skyline provide the perfect backdrop for colleagues and friends to relax and enjoy the local sights, sounds and flavors of Kansas City.

*Walking directions (3/4 mile from hotel): From front of hotel, walk north on Main Street and take a right onto 20th Street. The Cashew is located to your right at the end of the block. The 3<sup>rd</sup> floor reception hall is accessible by stairs as well as a service elevator. The yellow Cashew shuttle will provide door-to-door complimentary transportation to and from the reception throughout the course of the evening.*

**Attire**

Business attire, however, you are welcome to dress more casually for the reception on Tuesday evening.

Please contact us immediately if you have any difficulties accessing the conference presentations.

See you in Kansas City next week!

**Laurie J. Belden**

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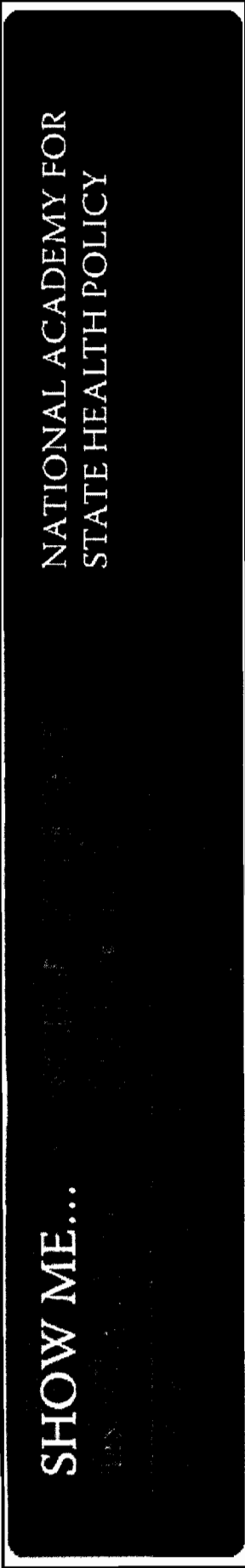
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**October 3-5, 2011, Kansas City, Missouri**

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## 2011 Conference Schedule

<b>Monday, October 3, 2011</b>	
<a href="#">PRECONFERENCES</a>	✓
<a href="#">Integrated Delivery Systems: Fostering State Policy to Support</a>	<a href="#">Getting in the Act? The State of State Implementation of Health</a>

8:15 – 3:30 pm	<u>Delivery System Transformation</u>	<u>Care Reform</u>			
4:00 – 5:00 pm	<u>Opening Plenary: Show Me the Federal Vision</u>				
5:00 – 6:30 pm	<b>Opening Reception</b> (on-site) Come celebrate the start of another fabulous NASHIP conference! Location: Century Foyer				
<b>Tuesday, October 4, 2011</b>					
8:30 - 10:00 am	<u>Morning Plenary: Show Me the State of Play</u>				
10:00 - 10:15 am	<b>Break</b>				
<b>CONCURRENT SESSIONS</b> 10:15 - 11:45 am	<u>Eliminating Waste, Fraud and Abuse in Public Programs</u>	<u>Show and Tell: Improving and Integrating Children's Coverage into Health Reform Implementation</u>	<u>Building Health Homes in Medicaid</u>		<u>Promoting the Public's Health in Reform Implementation</u>  <u>The ACA and its Impact on Persons with Disabilities</u>
11:45 – 12:00 pm	<b>Break</b>				
12:00 -1:30 pm	<u>Lunch Plenary: Show Me How to Work Across State Lines</u>				
1:30 – 1:45 pm	<b>Break</b>				
<b>CONCURRENT SESSIONS</b> 1:45 - 3:15 pm	<u>Gearing Up for Enrollment in the Digital Age</u>	<u>Reducing Avoidable Re-Hospitalizations and Improving Care Transitions</u>	<u>Health Homes for People with Serious Mental Illness: Emerging Strategies and Challenges</u>	<u>Building a Stronger Health Care Workforce: Strategies for Increasing</u>	<u>Increasing the Value of Data: EMRs and Disease Registries</u>

					<u>System Capacity</u>
<b>World-famous Blueberry Break</b>					
<b>3:15 - 3:45 pm</b>					
<b><u>CONCURRENT SESSIONS</u></b> <b>3:45 - 5:15 pm</b>	<u>Looking into the Crystal Ball: Preparing for Essential Health Benefits</u>	<u>Medicaid Managed Care for Older People and Persons with Disabilities</u>	<u>Fitting the Pieces Together: The Safety Net and the ACA</u>	<u>State Strategies to Improve Birth Outcomes through Timely Deliveries</u>	
<b>6:30 - 9:00 pm</b>	<b>Tuesday Evening Reception (Off-site, location TBD)</b> Enjoy the heartland's flavors, sights and sounds with your colleagues and friends. It is a festive evening on the town not to be missed!				
<b>Wednesday, October 5, 2011</b>					
<b>7:15 - 8:15 am</b>	<b>Breakfast Roundtables</b> All are encouraged to participate in one of this year's Breakfast Roundtables. In addition to NASHP's traditional offerings of issue-specific discussions related to emerging and pressing issues affecting state health policy leaders, Affinity Group discussions will be hosted by NASHP's Steering Committee chairs and are designed to encourage peer-to-peer networking and support. Please plan on joining fellow attendees for this informative, informal networking opportunity.				
<b>8:15 - 8:30 am</b>	<b>Break</b>				
<b><u>CONCURRENT SESSIONS</u></b> <b>8:30 - 10:00 am</b>	<u>From Primary to Community Care: Coordinating Services for Children and Beyond</u>	<u>Choose your Own Adventure: State Health Insurance Exchange Update</u>	<u>New Opportunities for Payment Reform</u>	<u>Strategies to Address the Behavioral and Chronic Care Needs of Medicaid Beneficiaries</u>	
<b>10:00 - 10:15 am</b>	<b>Break</b>				

<b>CONCURRENT SESSIONS</b>	<a href="#">Medicaid Waivers in the Era of Federal Health Reform</a>	<a href="#">Advancing Health Equity through Implementation of Health Reform</a>	<a href="#">New Approaches to Medical Liability Reform</a>	<a href="#">Emerging Models for Improving Care for Dual Eligibles</a>
10:15 – 11:45 am				
11:45 – 12:00 pm	<b>Break</b>			
12:00 – 2:00 pm	<a href="#">Closing Plenary: Show Me What Flexibility Means</a>			

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Preconference sessions focus on critical issues with in-depth presentations, dialogue, and idea exchange.

The all-day Preconference sessions will be held on **Monday, October 3, 8:15 am – 3:30 pm** (exact times may vary slightly) and will focus on the following topics:

### **Integrated Delivery Systems: Fostering State Policy to Support Delivery System Transformation**

Speakers: William Hazel, Nicholas Wolter, Susan Fleischman, MaryAnne Lindeblad, Carolyn Lawson, Chris Wood, Christopher Koller, Amy Compton-Phillips, Jane Beyer, Scott Leitz, Christopher Atchison, Nanette Foster Reilly

States have a tremendous opportunity to foster health care delivery system innovations that can improve health care and mitigate health care costs. This pre-conference brings together state officials and the leaders of high-performing integrated delivery systems for dialogue about delivery models and state health policy strategies for developing effective integrated delivery systems. The goals of this symposium are to help state policy leaders understand what “delivery system reform” really looks like, and to address the interplay between state health policy and delivery system leadership, organization, payment reform, and IT capacity building.

### **Getting in the Act? The State of State Implementation of Health Care Reform**

Speaker: Andrea Routh, Gretel Felton, Rebecca Mendoza, Barbara Hollister, Rene Mollow, Rebecca Pasternik-Ikard, Christine Collins, Elizabeth Cronen, Robin Callahan, Sonya Schwartz, Patricia Boozang, Tricia Leddy ✓

Join us for an overview of health care reform implementation! This preconference will provide you with a broad overview of the federal regulations that establish the framework for implementation of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) and of the initial choices states are making within that framework. It will also help you reap the most benefit from the more in-depth health reform-related sessions in the conference. You may not be responsible for implementing health reform—but health reform will affect every aspect of the health care system—and every actor in the system. This one-day preconference is a great opportunity to get caught up on the basics of ACA implementation. Discussions will explore many aspects of implementation, including coordinating agency planning, Insurance Exchanges, engaging the public, and more!

## **2011 Plenaries**

**Monday, October 3, 2011**

**4:00 pm – 5:00 pm**

### **Opening Plenary: Show Me the Federal Vision**

Speaker: Howard Koh

The Affordable Care Act defines the federal framework for health reform. Each week brings new announcements of federal regulations, grant opportunities, and other decisions that shape the implementation of the law. In this opening plenary session, a high-ranking HHS official will present the federal vision for health reform. Remarks will focus on how states and the federal government can work together to achieve the goals of the law.

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**Tuesday, October 4, 2011**

**8:30 am – 10:00 am**

**Morning Plenary: Show Me the State of Play**

Speaker: Alan Weil, Charles Milligan, Joseph Flores, MaryAnne Lindeblad

States are grappling with myriad health policy challenges. As they implement the ACA reluctantly, enthusiastically, or somewhere in between, they face Medicaid cost growth, eroding private health insurance coverage, and growing health care costs all in the context of continued weak fiscal conditions. How are states getting ready for 2014 and beyond in this difficult environment? Which issues are at the top of their priority list, and which are being deferred until later? Are they making progress toward the ever-elusive goal of health care cost containment? Hear from a panel of state health policy leaders who will describe how they are answering these questions and rising to the challenges facing their states.

**Tuesday, October 4, 2011**

**12:00 pm – 1:30 pm**

**Lunch Plenary: Show Me How to Work Across State Lines**

State borders pose important challenges and opportunities for health policy. Half of America's largest metropolitan areas span multiple states. For people in border regions, home, work, and the places where they receive health care services may be in different jurisdictions, with different delivery systems, insurance regulations, eligibility standards for public programs, and approaches to public and population health. In this session, you will hear from local government leaders in Kansas City, Missouri and Kansas City, Kansas, who will describe how they have collaborated to meet the needs of their citizens. The lessons they have learned can help state policy leaders shape appropriate approaches in their own states.

**Wednesday, October 5, 2011**

**12:00 pm – 2:00 pm**

**Closing Plenary: Show Me What Flexibility Means**

Speaker: Mark Larson, Joan Henneberry, Bruce Greenstein

Fixed allocations to states to meet the health care needs of their citizens are garnering renewed attention at the national and state level. A number of states are considering global Medicaid waivers, the ACA already permits states to seek a waiver to opt out of the law's overall approach, and Congress recently discussed making those waivers available starting in 2014. Federal budget discussions contemplate major cuts to and changes in Medicaid, some of which would convert the program into a block grant to states. State leaders will describe their interest in these ideas and discuss their perspective on the advantages and disadvantages of such an approach. Audience discussion of this critical issue will be encouraged.

## **Building Health Homes in Medicaid**

Oct 4, 2011

10:15am - 11:45am

Speakers: Marni Bussell, Deborah Florio, John Michael (Mike) Hall, Glenace Edwall

Section 2703 of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) created a Medicaid state option to provide health homes for individuals with chronic conditions. States creating health homes under this authority will benefit from two years of enhanced federal funding for health home services. The legislation specifies a number of services that health homes must provide while reserving considerable discretion for states. This session will explore questions such as: What are the key design considerations for states? What choices are states making? How are states building on existing medical home projects?

## **Building a Stronger Health Care Workforce: Strategies for Increasing System Capacity**

Oct 4, 2011


1:30pm - 3:00pm

Speakers: Lynn Ann Bethel, Carl Rush, Nancy Rothman, Paul K. Halverson

As the Affordable Care Act (ACA) brings a flood of new enrollees into the health system, states are looking at ways to increase the capacity of their health care workforce. While states are taking a variety of approaches to address this issue, some are re-examining scope of practice regulations, medical homes, and the use of community health workers. States are also exploring how to leverage graduate medical education to address state strategic needs. This session will include a panel of state speakers who will discuss their state's approach to increasing the capacities of their health care workforce.

## **Looking into the Crystal Ball: Preparing for Essential Health Benefits**

Oct 4, 2011

 3:30pm - 5:00pm

Speakers: John Lewis, Christopher Koller, Jeanene Smith, Carolyn Ingram

States are seeking guidance regarding Essential Health Benefits (EHB). This session will help states prepare for the benefits package the Department of Health and Human Services defines as essential. What are the implications of the proposed EHB package for the Exchange and Medicaid? What are the effects on the commercial insurance market and for existing state benefit mandates? What flexibility will exist for states to depart from a federal definition? Panelists will provide context and guidance on

how to interpret the HHS guidance on the EHB package. State officials will respond from the perspective of the Exchange, Medicaid and the legislature.

## **Choose your Own Adventure: State Health Insurance Exchange Update**

Oct 5, 2011

8:30am - 10:00am

Speakers: Brian Haile, Joel Ario Scott Leitz

The 2013 deadline for state Exchange establishment is quickly approaching. With the year's legislative session at an end, many states have moved forward with Exchange implementation through legislation. Other states, unable to pass legislation, have turned to alternative means of establishing an Exchange. This session will look at how states with different Exchange approaches tackle various issues related to implementation. The panel will provide overall context on where states stand by comparing and contrasting two state approaches and the implications for various issue areas.

## **New Approaches to Medical Liability Reform**

Oct 5, 2011

10:15am - 12:00pm

Speakers: Janet Cohn, William Sage, Tim McDonald,

When it comes to medical malpractice damages and caps, stakeholders with divergent objectives are often at odds. Innovative demonstration programs may be just what the doctor ordered. This session will highlight different liability reform models, including those funded by recent Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) grants. It will also review Affordable Care Act (ACA) provisions providing grants to states to develop demonstrations that encourage efficient dispute resolution, improve provider access to liability insurance, and enhance patient safety.