



MASSACHUSETTS HEALTH COUNCIL, INC.

The House and Senate Payment Reform Bills:

*Legislative and
Stakeholder Perspectives*

*“Everything You
Want to Know”*

Tuesday, June 12, 2012 7:30 AM – 10:00 AM

Westin Copley Place
10 Huntington Avenue • Boston, MA

The Massachusetts Health Council

is a non-profit, non-partisan statewide organization of more than 150 governmental and voluntary agencies, consumer and advocacy groups, professional societies, and private corporations committed to improving and protecting the health of the residents of the Commonwealth.

About this forum:

Second in our Payment Reform series, Senator Richard Moore and Chairman Steven Walsh, Co-Chairs of the Joint Committee on Health Care Financing, have been invited to describe their payment reform bills to our audience of health care executives, providers, insurers, and others. Following their presentations, there will be a reactor panel of stakeholders to comment on how the two bills could impact their sectors.

This forum will be a ground level discussion to clear up confusion about each bill, explore the pros and cons, and give the perspectives on issues that consumers, providers, employers, and our state government will face if one of these bills (or a combination after they go to conference) passes into law.

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Registration and Breakfast

WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS

7:45 am

Susan Servais

Executive Director, MA Health Council

Paul Mendis, MD

President, MA Health Council

Chief Medical Officer, Neighborhood Health Plan

KEYNOTE PANEL:

Senator Richard T. Moore

Chairman Steven Walsh (INVITED)

*Co-Chairs, Joint Committee
on Health Care Financing*

MODERATOR:

Martha Bebinger

Reporter, WBUR

STAKEHOLDERS PANEL:

PHYSICIAN
PERSPECTIVE

Richard Aghababian, MD

President, MA Medical Society

COMMONWEALTH
of MASSACHUSETTS
PERSPECTIVE

JudyAnn Bigby, MD

*Secretary, Executive Office of
Health and Human Services*

HEALTH
CENTER
PERSPECTIVE

James W. Hunt, Jr.

*President and CEO, Massachusetts League
of Community Health Centers*

BUSINESS
PERSPECTIVE

Richard Lord

*President and CEO,
Associated Industries of MA*

HOSPITAL
PERSPECTIVE

Lynn Nicholas

President and CEO, MA Hospital Association

HEALTH PLAN
PERSPECTIVE

Lora Pellegrini

*President and CEO,
MA Association of Health Plans*

POST-ACUTE and
LONG-TERM CARE
PERSPECTIVE

Naomi Prendergast

Chair, Massachusetts Senior Care Association

CONSUMER
PERSPECTIVE

Amy Whitcomb Slemmer

Executive Director, Health Care for All

9:30 am
9:45 am

MHC Business meeting and elections

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