

HEALTH CARE SYMPOSIUM AND FAIR, MAY 20, 2015 Last Generation’s Dreams’ XXI Century Reality

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Washington, DC - 9:00 a.m. Registration

9:30 **Welcome, Ma Cristina Caballero**, President/CEO, Dialogue on Diversity **CONVENOR**

Introductory, Overview – American Federation of Teachers

10:00 **Cultural Competency: Barriers: Linguistic, social and class, geographical isolation**

Barriers through Inequality in access and treatment

Kinte Ibbott, Vice President, Maximus, Inc.

Stephen B. Thomas, Professor, Health Services Administration, University of Maryland

10:45 **The ACA: a Summing Up as of 2015** The Remaining Legal Challenges: Is There a Plan B?

What changes in health care/medical practice is the ACA bringing?

Karen Davenport, Director, Health Policy, National Women’s Law Center

Leni Gonazlez Virginia, status of ACA, Medicaid

Jeanette Contreras, WH Initiative on Educational Excellence for Hispanics

11:30 **Nutrition:**

Countering obesity – Diet as a Preventive Regimen – Genetically altered food-stuffs – “natural” (by breeding) vs. high-tech (genetic interventions)

Jessica Donze Black, Pew Charitable Trusts, Director, Childhood Nutrition

Elena Rios, President, National Hispanic Medical Association

Laura MacCleery, Center for Science in the Public Interest

12:30 p.m. **Midday/Lunch Session**

Malcolm N. Joseph, III, Medical Director, CareFirst BlueCross/BlueShield

Honorable Judy Chu, U.S. House of Representatives Health Leadership Award

LaQuandra Nesbitt, Director, D.C. Department of Health

Dr. John Oliver Davies-Cole, Chief Epidemiologist, D.C.. Health Equity Leadership Award

Ruby Jade Corado, Founder, Casa Ruby, Community Health Leadership Award

1:30 The Roles and Travails of the Pharmaceutical Industry

Clinical Trials – Can these be speeded up? Divining the Long-Run How long is the long run?

Daniel Dawes, Director, Government Affairs, Morehouse School of Medicine

Jonca Bull, Director, Office of Minority Health, Food and Drug Administration

Tony L. Hursey, Office of Clinical Trials, Georgetown University

2:45: Aspects of the Widespread (Universal) IT Adoption in the Health Care/Medical Enterprise

This Year's Responses to Perennial Problems Developments Patient Privacy: What is now our protective armor?
The Medical Office Revolution: Administration in the IT Age – Remedies?

Deborah C. Peel, M.D., Chair, Patient Privacy Rights

Ellen Langhans, Program Manager, healthfinder.gov Department of Health and Human Services

3:45: Diabetes Mental Illness:, Substance Abuse: The Persisting Problems – 2015's Answers:

Diagnosis, Prevention, Advances in Curative Techniques

Jose Segura, La Clínica del Pueblo **Rosa Pizzi**, Director, Vida Senior Centers,

Regina Renteria Weitzman, American Diabetes Association

Maria Schiff, Pew Charitable Trusts, Director, State Health Expenditures

4:30 Final Remarks, Adjournment

Health Fair: Concurrent Session – 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Mercedes Blanco, Maximus, Inc.

What the Elderly Should Know

Reception: 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.

The Symposium and Reception are free and open to the Public

– Lunch and Refreshments Provided

Simultaneous Translation (English/Spanish)

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