



APRIL 3-4
WASHINGTON, DC

2017

The Liaison Capitol Hill, 415 New Jersey Avenue, NW

AGENDA

Monday, April 3

7:30-8:30 a.m. Registration opens and breakfast for pre-conference attendees



8:30-12:00 p.m. **Aging and Disability Business Institute Pre-Conference:
CBO Opportunities in Health Care Payment and Delivery System Reform**

8:30-8:45 a.m. ***Welcoming Remarks***

- Sandy Markwood, CEO, n4a

8:45-9:15 a.m. ***What You Need to Know About Medicare Payment Reform***

- Len Nichols, PhD, Director, Center for Health Policy Research and Ethics, George Mason University; Member, Physician-Focused Payment Model Technical Advisory Committee; Board Member, National Committee for Quality Assurance

9:15-10:15 a.m. ***The Role of CBOs in Promoting Health and Well-Being:
Reimbursement Opportunities for Evidence-Based Programs***

- Kristie Kulinski, Aging Services Program Specialist, Administration on Aging, Administration for Community Living
- Kathleen A. Cameron, MPH, Senior Director, Center for Healthy Aging, National Council on Aging
- Sue Lachenmayr, MPH, CHES, State Program Coordinator, Living Well Center of Excellence, MAC, Inc., Salisbury, MD

10:15-10:30 a.m. Break

10:30 a.m.-Noon ***Partnering with Primary Care to Improve Access and Care Coordination***

- Tim McNeill, RN, MPH, Health Care Consultant
- Robert Schreiber, MD, Medical Director of the Healthy Living Center of Excellence; Clinical Instructor of Medicine, Harvard Medical School

Noon-1:00 p.m. Lunch on Your Own

Aging Policy Briefing

1:00-1:15 p.m.

Welcoming Remarks

- Sandy Markwood, CEO, n4a
- Kathryn Boles, President, n4a and President & CEO, Valley AAA, Flint, MI

- 1:15-1:45 p.m. ***First 100 Days of a New Congress and New Administration—and What It Means for Older Adults***
- Adriel Bettelheim, Health Care Editor, POLITICO
- 1:45-2:45 p.m. ***Budget, Reconciliation and Appropriations in 2017 and Beyond***
- Sharon Parrott, Senior Fellow and Senior Counselor, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities
- 2:45-3:00 p.m. Refreshment Break
- 3:00-4:00 p.m. ***Medicaid, Medicare and the Road Ahead***
- Elizabeth Hagan, Associate Director of Coverage Initiatives, Families USA
 - David Lipschutz, Managing Attorney, Center for Medicare Advocacy
- 4:00-5:00 p.m. ***State Perspectives on the Future of Health Care***
- Hemi Tewarson, Interim Division Director, Health Division, National Governors Association
 - Matt Salo, Executive Director, National Association of Medicaid Directors
- 5:15 to 6:00 p.m. ***Advocacy Roundtable***
Optional open discussion with n4a policy team on talking points and advocacy strategies for Capitol Hill visits. Bring your questions!

Tuesday, April 4

- 7:30-8:30 a.m. Registration Opens and Breakfast Buffet
- 8:30-9:15 a.m. ***Framing Our Messages: n4a 2017 Policy Priorities***
- Amy Gotwals, Chief, Public Policy & External Affairs, n4a
 - Autumn Campbell, Director, Public Policy & Advocacy, n4a
- 9:15-10:00 a.m. ***Federal/State Advocacy: Best Practices from the Field***
- Janet Zander, Advocacy and Public Policy Coordinator, Greater Wisconsin Agency on Aging Resources, Inc., Madison, WI
 - Robert Kellerman, Executive Director, Greater Wisconsin Agency on Aging Resources, Inc., Madison, WI
 - Bob Cleveland, Aging Program Planner, Piedmont Triad Regional Council AAA, Kernersville, NC
- 10:00 -10:45 a.m. ***Program Updates from the Administration for Community Living***
- Dan Berger, Acting Assistant Secretary on Aging and Acting Administrator, Administration for Community Living
 - Edwin Walker, Deputy Assistant Secretary on Aging, Administration on Aging, Administration for Community Living
- 10:45-11:00 a.m. Break
- 11:00-Noon ***Policy Potpourri: Updates on Transportation, Housing & Elder Justice Policy***
- Adrea Turner, Director, Transportation for America
 - Linda Couch, Vice President of Housing Policy, LeadingAge
 - Robert Blancato, National Coordinator, Elder Justice Coalition
- Noon-12:15 p.m. ***Call to Action & Closing Remarks***
- Sandy Markwood, CEO, n4a
- 12:15-5:00 p.m. ***Capitol Hill Visits, On Your Own***