

2019 CMS-IHS/ITU Outreach and Education Event Agenda

March 12-13, 2019

Hilton Garden Inn

Gallup, NM

Day 1 – Tuesday, March 12, 2019		
7:30 am – 4:30 pm REGISTRATION and CHECK IN		
8:00 – 8:15 am	Welcome and Introductions	Dr. Loretta Christensen Chief Medical Officer Navajo Area IHS
8:15 – 9:15 am	CMS Tribal Affairs Update	Dr. Susan Karol Health Insurance Specialist Division of Tribal Affairs
9:15 – 10:15 am	Understanding Original Medicare	Gaye Humphrey Health Insurance Specialist CMS Dallas Regional Office of External Affairs
10:15 – 10:30 am BREAK		
10:30 – 11:30 am	State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP) Resources	Michael Miller NM State Health Insurance Assistance Program NM Aging & Long-Term Services Department
11:30 am – 1:00 pm LUNCH (on your own)		
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	Social Security and Disability 101	Carole Owens Social Security Administration Gallup, New Mexico
2:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Veterans Benefits and Reimbursement to IHS and Tribal Health Programs	HoMana Pawiki Terry Obago Robertson Yazzie, Jr Abigail Joseph
3:00 – 3:15 pm BREAK		
3:15 pm – 4:15 pm	Veterans Benefits and Reimbursement to IHS and Tribal Health Programs	HoMana Pawiki Terry Obago Robertson Yazzie, Jr Abigail Joseph
4:15 – 4:30 pm	Wrap-up	Dr. Susan Karol Health Insurance Specialist Division of Tribal Affairs

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Day 2 – Wednesday, March 13		
7:30 am – 12:00 pm		
REGISTRATION and CHECK IN		
8:00 – 8:15 am	Welcoming Remarks	Dr. Loretta Christensen Chief Medical Officer Navajo Area IHS
8:15 – 8:45 am	Medicaid Managed Care 101	Barbara Prehmus CMS Health insurance specialist
8:45 – 9:40 am	New Mexico Medicaid 101/CHIP	Theresa Belanger NM Human Services Department/ Medical Assistance Division
9:40 – 9:55 am BREAK		
9:55 – 10:50 am	Utah Medicaid 101/CHIP	Gayle Six Health Program Manager Bureau of Eligibility Policy
10:50 – 11:45 am	Arizona Medicaid 101/CHIP	Dana Hearn Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System
11:45 am – 1:00 pm		
LUNCH (on your own)		
1:00 – 2:00 pm	Medicare/Medicaid Fraud and Compliance	Jason Meadows Assistant Special Agent in Charge HHS Office of Inspector General Dallas Regional Office
2:00 – 3:00 pm	Outreach and Enrollment	Kristen Bitsue Tribal Health Care Reform Outreach and Education Program Associate National Indian Health Board
3:00 – 3:15 pm BREAK		
3:15 – 4:15 pm	Current Issues	Allen Gjersvig Director, Navigator and Enrollment Services Arizona Alliance for Community Health Centers (AACHC)
4:15-4:30 pm	Closing and Dismissal	Dr. Susan Karol Health Insurance Specialist Division of Tribal Affairs