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Seventy-Ninth Meeting of the National Advisory Committee on Rural Health and Human Services

Keyserling Cancer Center
1680 Ribaut Road
Port Royal, SC 29935
(843) 522-7800

April 18th – April 20th, 2016

Monday, April 18, 2016

8:30 a.m. Welcome and Introductions
The Honorable Ronnie Musgrove, Chair

8:45 a.m. Beaufort Orientation
Billy Keyserling, Mayor
Beaufort, SC

9:15 a.m. Federal Perspective – Prescription Painkiller and Opioid Abuse

Nisha Patel
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Gina Capra
Director
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Karen Drexler, MD
Deputy National Mental Health Program Director, Addictive Disorders
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Question and Answer Session

10:15 a.m. State Perspective: Opioid Abuse

Robert (Bob) Toomey,
Director
Department of Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Services (DAODAS)

Sara Goldsby
Program Coordinator
Department of Governmental Affairs
Department of Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Services (DAODAS)

Question and Answer Session

11:15 a.m. Break

11:30 a.m. Local Perspective: Opioid Abuse

Fred Leyda
Director of Human Services
Beaufort County Human Service Alliance

Question and Answer Session

12:15 p.m. Lunch

1:30 p.m. Alternative Models I:

Dr. Graham Adams
Chief Executive Officer
South Carolina Office of Rural Health

Thornton Kirby
President and CEO
South Carolina Hospital Association

Question and Answer Session

- 2:30 p.m. John Supplitt
Senior Director of the Section for Small or Rural Hospitals
American Hospital Association
- 3:15 p.m. Break
- 3:30 p.m. Alternative Models II

George Pink
Humana Distinguished Professor
Department of Health Policy and Management
UNC Chapel Hill
- Question and Answer Session*
- 4:30 p.m. Discussion and Site Visit Assignments
- 5:00 p.m. Call for Public Comment

Tuesday, April 19th, 2016

Health Subcommittee

- 8:40 a.m. Subcommittee
- 9:00 a.m. Keyserling Cancer Center
1680 Ribaut Road
Port Royal, SC 29935
- 2:30 p.m.

Human Services Subcommittee

- 9:15 a.m. Subcommittee departs for Site Visit
- 9:25 a.m. Beaufort County Social Services
1905 Duke St #101,
Beaufort, SC 29902

3:30 p.m. Subcommittee departs for return to Meeting Space

4:00 p.m. Committee Business
Topics for next Field Meeting

5:15 p.m. Call for Public Comment and Close of Meeting

Wednesday, April 20th, 2016

8:30 a.m. Meeting and Discussion

9:00 a.m. Drafting Outline of Policy Briefs

10:00 a.m. Federal Update

Gina Capra
Director
Office of Rural Health
Veterans Healthcare Administration

Tom Morris
Associate Administrator
Federal Office of Rural Health Policy, HRSA, HHS
Rockville, Maryland

11:00 a.m. Call for Public Comment
Close of Meeting
Departure