



## AGENDA

### Joint Informational Hearing of the Senate and Assembly Health Committees

## HOSPITAL REIMBURSEMENT MECHANISMS

Friday, February 24, 2012, 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Broad CIRM Seminar Room  
Keck School of Medicine, University of Southern California  
1425 San Pablo Street, Los Angeles, California 90089

- I. Welcoming Remarks
- II. Overview of How Hospitals are Reimbursed by Public and Private Payors for Network and Out-of-Network Care
  1. *Vivian Wu, Ph.D.*, Assistant Professor, Sol Price School of Public Policy, USC
- III. Overview of Shifting from Per Diem to Diagnosis-Related Groups (DRGs)
  1. *Toby Douglas*, Director, Department of Health Care Services
- IV. Hospital Reimbursement by Private Payors
  1. Health Plan Perspective
    - i. *Nicholas Louizos*, Director of Legislative Affairs, California Association of Health Plans
    - ii. *Jonathan Gluck*, Senior Executive and Counsel, Heritage Provider Network
  2. Patient Encounters with Out-of-Plan Network Providers
    - i. *Sandy Taylor-Davey*, granddaughter of a hospitalized patient
    - ii. *Beth Capell*, Health Access California
    - iii. *John Shohfi, M.D.*, Kaiser Physician
  3. Hospital Perspective
    - i. *Dietmar Grellmann*, Senior Vice President, Managed Care & Professional Services, California Hospital Association
    - ii. *Michael J. Sarrao, Esq.*, Vice President and General Counsel, Prime Healthcare Management
    - iii. *Reece Ivan Fawley*, Executive Director for Health Plan Strategy and Transplantation, UCSF Medical Center and Benioff Children's Hospital
- V. Health System Stakeholders
  1. *Adam Weisberg*, Research Coordinator, Service Employees International Union
  2. *Lisa Demidovich, Esq.*, United Nurses Associations of California/Union of Health Care Professionals
- VI. Public Comment