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

Forrest General Hospital
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September 26-28, 2011

Monday - September 26, 2011

- 12:30 p.m. Opening of the Meeting
- o Ronnie Musgrove, Chair
- 12:40 p.m. Setting the Context for Mississippi
- o John Maxwell
- 1:45 p.m. Setting the Context for Mississippi
- o Rozelia Harris, Mississippi State Office of Rural Health
 - o Mary Currier, MD, MPH, Mississippi State Health Officer
- 2:00 p.m. Health Disparities
- o Richard deShazo, MD, University of Mississippi
 - o Therese Hanna, Executive Director, Center for Mississippi Health Policy
- Question and Answer

2:45 p.m. Break

3:00 p.m. Physician Payment Value Modifier

- Clint MacKinney, MD, University of Iowa
- Greg Oden, MD, Pioneer Health Services, Magee, MS
- Tim Alford, MD, Kosciusko, MS

Question and Answer

4:00 p.m. ACA Provisions Affecting the Rural Elderly

- Steve Farrell, MD, Chief Medical Officer, Forrest General Hospital
 - Dennis Dudley, Aging Services Program Specialist, Administration on Aging
- Question and Answer

4:45 p.m. Public Comment

Tuesday – September 27, 2011

8:45 a.m. Meet in Hotel Lobby

9:00 a.m. Depart for Site Visits

- Health Disparities
 - New Augusta FQHC in Perry County
- Physician Payment Value Modifier
 - Covington County Hospital (CAH)
- ACA Provisions Affecting the Rural Elderly
 - Forrest General in Hattiesburg

2:30 p.m. Return to Hattiesburg

Subcommittee Discussions and Drafting Outline of White Papers

4:00 p.m. Committee Discussion

4:45 p.m. Call for Public Comment and Close of Meeting

Wednesday – September 28, 2011

7:45 a.m. Depart for Forrest General Hospital

8:00 a.m. Breakfast at Forrest General Hospital

8:45 a.m. Review of Subcommittee Findings

Health Disparities

Key Points and Timelines

Physician Payment Value Modifier

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ACA Provisions Affecting the Rural Elderly

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9:45 a.m. Letter to Secretary

10:00 a.m. Discussion on Next Meeting Topics

10:25 a.m. Call for Public Comment

10:30 a.m. Close of Meeting