



American College of Cardiology Health System Reform Summit

Friday February 1, 2008 - Saturday February 2, 2008

Heart House
2400 N Street NW
Washington, DC

Friday, February 1

9:00 a.m.	Registration Begins	Invited Speakers
10:00 a.m.	Welcome and Introduction <i>Discussion of work done to date, goals, expected outcomes from the Summit.</i>	James Dove, MD; Jack Lewin, MD
10:15 a.m.	Provocateur Session: The Changing Face of Health Care <i>Uwe Reinhardt will address the changes taking place in the health care system and the key elements necessary for reform.</i>	Uwe Reinhardt, PHD
10:45 a.m.	Q&A	Moderated by Jack Lewin, MD
11:00 a.m.	Identifying Key Challenges to Access and Exploring Solutions <i>This session will focus on inequities in the health care system and the strategies necessary to reverse this trend.</i>	Panel discussion with Gerry Shea, AFL-CIO, and JoAnn Lamphere, DrPH AARP
11:45 p.m.	Q&A	Moderated by Jack Lewin, MD
12:00 p.m.	Health System Reform and the Patient <i>What are the problems in health system reform from the patient's perspective that need to be solved, and how?</i>	Jane Delgado PHD, MS, NAHH and Emily Friedman, Independent Health Policy and Ethics Analyst
12:45 p.m.	Q&A	Moderated by Jack Lewin, MD
12:50 p.m.	Breakout Discussions and Lunch: Exploring the Key Drivers Needed to Stabilize Our Nation's Health System <i>What should be our health system reform priorities for 2009 and how big of an agenda should we take on?</i>	Blue Ribbon Panel members assigned to five small groups to facilitate an interactive discussion.
2:00 p.m.	Break	
2:15 p.m.	Report Out: Stabilizing the Nation's Healthcare System <i>Each group shares 1-2 key ideas that emerged from their lunchtime</i>	Moderated by Susan Dentzer

conversations.

- 3:00 p.m. **Perspectives on Health Care Financing**
This session will focus on financing and its links to several key goals of health system reform, namely better quality, increased access and lower cost.
Mark McClellan, MD,
Brookings Institution
- 3:45 p.m. **Q&A**
Moderated by Susan
Dentzer
- 4:00 p.m. **Wrap-up for the Day: Set up for Day 2**
Jack Lewin, MD and James
Dove, MD
- 4:30 p.m. **Free Time to Prepare for Evening Events**
Black Tie Optional.
- 5:30 p.m. **Reception**
Susan Dentzer will interview health policy staff for Presidential candidates.
Reception at the Fairmont Hotel.
Susan Dentzer interviews
campaign staff for
Presidential candidates—
Chris Jennings (Clinton);
Douglas Holtz-Eakin, PhD
(McCain); Gregg Bloche,
MD, JD (Obama)
- 7:15 p.m. **Gala Event**
Dinner at the Fairmont.
Brief presentation to
recognize Campaign for
the Future donors and
remarks from Douglas
Zipes, MD

Saturday, February 2nd

- 7:30 a.m. **Breakfast**
- 8:00 a.m. **Recap and Set the Stage for the Day**
James Dove, MD
Susan Dentzer
- 8:15 a.m. **Redefining Health Care**
This session will look at the challenges of delivering health care in the 21st century and the implications for future system reform.
Carolyn Clancy, MD,
AHRQ
- 8:45 a.m. **Q & A**
Moderated by Susan
Dentzer
- 9:00 a.m. **Legal System Reform**
This session will focus on the impact of professional liability and other legal reforms in the health system (e.g., access, profiling, transparency).
Catherine Hanson, JD,
AMA
- 9:30 a.m. **Q&A**
Moderated by Susan
Dentzer
- 9:45 a.m. **Break**

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| 10:00 a.m. | Quality First: Findings of the Blue Ribbon Panel on Setting a New Standard for Health Care Reform
<i>This panel will present the ACC approach to health system reform, addressing the ACC's role and what it can bring to the table, as well as why the ACC should be at the table.</i> | James Dove, MD
Tim Garson, MD |
| 10:30 a.m. | Reactions to Findings of the Blue Ribbon Panel
<i>Facilitated panel will react to the ACC's approach in relation to other models and previous sessions.</i> | Moderated by Susan Dentzer, Panel: James Robinson, PHD, MPH, <i>Health Affairs</i> ; John Rother JD, AARP; Nancy Neilsen MD, PHD, AMA; John Tooker, MD, MBA, ACP; Mark Goldberg, NCHC. |
| 11:45 a.m. | Q&A/Large Group Discussion | Moderated by Susan Dentzer |
| 12:00 p.m. | Working Lunch: What Role Should the Profession Play in Health System Reform?
<i>Discuss solution priorities. What role should the profession play in health system reform? What is the College's role? Is it realistic for the profession to have a role in financing?</i> | Blue Ribbon Panel members assigned to five small groups to facilitate an interactive discussion. |
| 1:00 p.m. | Break | |
| 1:30 p.m. | Report Outs: What Role Should the Profession Play in Health System Reform?
<i>Lunchtime groups share their discussions.</i> | Moderated by Susan Dentzer |
| 2:30 p.m. | Wrap-up and Next Steps | James Dove, MD; Jack Lewin, MD |
| 3:00 p.m. | Adjourn | |

Please Note: The Winston Health Policy Fellowship Awards Dinner (by invitation only) takes place this evening at the Ritz Carlton, Tysons Corner, Virginia.