

**National Rural Health Association
Policy Institute
Feb. 7-9**

TUESDAY, FEB. 7

7:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
Registration

7:00-8:00 a.m.
Continental breakfast

7:30-7:40 a.m.
Your Voice Louder, Smarter, Now.

7:40-8:00 a.m.
Rural Speaks. Ensure Washington Listens.

8:00-8:15 a.m.
Sen. Debbie Stabenow (D-MI)

8:15-8:30 a.m.
Sen. John Barrasso (R-WY)

8:30-8:45 a.m.
Sen. Thom Tillis (R-NC)

8:45-9:00 a.m.
Sen. Cory Gardner (R-CO)

9:00-9:45 a.m.
Medicaid and the Trump Administration

9:45-10:00 a.m.
Rep. Evan Jenkins (R-WV)

10:00-10:15 a.m.
Sen. Pat Roberts (R-KS)

10:15-10:30 a.m.
Break

10:30-10:50 a.m.
HRSA Rural Health Update

10:50-11:00 a.m.
Medicare Cuts & Behavioral Health Concerns

11:00-11:30 a.m.
Medicare and the Trump Administration

11:30-11:45 a.m.
Rep. Adrian Smith (R-NE)

11:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Sen. Heidi Heitkamp (D-ND)

12:00-1:00 p.m.
Luncheon speaker: Sen. Dean Heller (R-NV)

1:00-1:45 p.m.
Rural Hospital Closure Crisis

1:45-2:00 p.m.
Rep. Dave Loebsack (D-IA)

2:00-2:30 p.m.
ACA Exchanges in Rural America

2:30-2:45 p.m.
Is MACRA Here to Stay?

2:45-3:00 p.m.
Break

3:00-3:30 p.m.
Dr. Patrick Conway, CMS

3:30-4:30 p.m.
Rural Voice in the 2016 Election

4:30-5:30 p.m. Concurrent sessions

A: Keeping Care Local

B: Meeting Maternal Needs in Rural

C: Integrating Oral Health Care in Rural Care

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WEDNESDAY, FEB. 8

7:00-10:00 a.m.
Registration

7:00-7:30 a.m.
Continental breakfast

7:15-7:45 a.m.
Capitol Hill Strategy

7:45-8:00 a.m.
Sen. Al Franken (D-MN)

8:00-8:15 a.m.
Sen. Amy Klobuchar (D-MN)

8:15-8:30 a.m.
Sen. Shelley Moore Capito (R-WV)

8:30-8:45 a.m.
Opioid Crisis: A Rural Call to Action

8:45-9:00 a.m.
Rep. Bob Latta (R-OH)

9:00-9:15 a.m.
Power of Rural Health

10:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.
Congressional Meetings on Capitol Hill

5:30-8:00 p.m.
Congressional Reception
902 Hart Senate Office Building

THURSDAY, FEB. 9

8:00-8:30 a.m.
Continental breakfast

8:30-10:30 a.m.
CMS Rural Health Council Listening Session

10:30-10:45 a.m.
Dr. Thomas Klobucar, Acting Director, VAORH

10:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Rural Populations and Health: View from CDC

12:00-12:15 p.m.
NRHA in 2017 and Beyond

12:15 p.m.
Policy Institute adjourns