

2017 NRHA Rural Health Clinic Conference | Sept. 26 – 27, Kansas City, Mo.

All general sessions take place in the Chicago room • Subject to change • Current as of 9.18.17

Rural Health Clinic Conference			
Tuesday, September 26			
1 – 1:15 p.m.	Welcome (15 m)		
1:15 – 2:30 p.m.	Keynote speaker (75m) Rural Health Clinic Billing and Cost Report Updates <i>Brian Bertsch, Eide Bailly, Principal & Ralph Llewellyn, Eide Bailly, Partner</i>		
2:30 – 3:30 p.m.	Plenary Session (60 m) The Magic of Engagement <i>Brian Lee, Custom Learning Systems Group Ltd., Founder and CEO</i>		
3:30 – 3:45 p.m.	Break		
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7 – 8 a.m.	Continental breakfast, registration		
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10:45 – 11 a.m.	Break		
11 – 11:45 a.m.	Plenary Session (45 min) Rural Health Clinic Quality Reporting and Improvement Programs <i>John Gale, Maine Rural Health Research Center, Research Associate</i>		
Rural Health Clinic Conference continues and Critical Access Hospital Conference begins			
11:45 a.m. – 1 p.m.	Lunch & Learn: Antibiotic Stewardship in the Community Hospital <i>Russ Judd, PharmD, BCPS, Saint Joseph Hospital – Hosted by McKesson</i> <i>FREE EVENT, RSVP required. More info at reg desk or Corey.Richter@McKesson.com</i>		
	Chouteau A&B		
Noon – 4:30 p.m.	Exhibitors move in		
1 – 1:15 p.m.	Welcome		

1:15 – 2:30 p.m.	Keynote Speaker: The Transformational Health Care Revolution: The Rural Impact (75 m) <i>Kevin Fickenscher, MD, CREO Strategic Solutions, President and CEO</i>
2:30 – 3 p.m.	Break
3 – 4:15 p.m.	National Legislative Update (75 m) <i>Maggie Elehwany, JD, National Rural Health Association, Government Affairs and Policy Vice President</i>
4:15 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Payment/Care Delivery Reform for Safety Net Providers (45 m) <i>Mac McCullough, PhD, Arizona State University, National Safety Net Advancement Center, Deputy Director</i>
5 – 7 p.m.	RHC-CAH networking reception

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