

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON MINORITY HEALTH

Doubletree Hotel
1515 Rhode Island Avenue, N.W.,
Washington, D.C. 20005

May 12 through May 13, 2009

Day One - Tuesday, May 12, 2009

- 9:00 a.m. ***Call to Order***
Welcome, Introductions, and Remarks
Rubens J. Pamies, M.D., FACP
Chairperson, HHS Advisory Committee on Minority Health
- 9:30 a.m. ***OMH Updates***
Garth Graham, M.D., M.P.H.
Deputy Assistant Secretary for Minority Health
Department of Health and Human Services
- 10:00 a.m. ***Comparative Effectiveness Research***
Carolyn Clancy, M.D.
Director
Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality
Department of Health and Human Services
- 10:30 a.m. ***Questions and Answers (Committee Members Only)***
- 10:45 a.m. ***Break***
- 11:00 a.m. ***Equal, Full Coverage Is A Precondition for Health Equity***
Steffie Woolhandler, M.D., MPH
Associate Professor of Medicine and
Co-Director, General Internal Medicine Fellowship Program,
Harvard Medical School
- 11:30 a.m. ***Questions and Answers (Committee Members Only)***
- 11:45 a.m. ***Social Determinants of Health***
Brian Smedley, Ph.D.
Vice President and Director of
Health Policy Institute
Joint Center for Political and Economic Studies
- 12:15 p.m. ***Questions and Answers (Committee Members Only)***

ACMH Agenda, Day One – Tuesday, May 12, 2009 (Continued)

- 12:30 p.m. ***Lunch***
- 1:30 p.m. ***One Size Does Not Fit All: Supporting Improved Health Outcomes Through Integrated Systems for Effective Communication, Culture Competence, and Patient-Centered Care***
 Amy Wilson-Stronks, MPP, CPHQ
 Project Director, Health Disparities, Principal Investigator, Hospitals,
 Language, and Culture Study, Division of Standards & Survey Methods
 The Joint Commission
- 2:00 p.m. ***Questions and Answers (Committee Members Only)***
- 2:15 p.m. ***Public Comment***
- 2:45 p.m. ***Committee Business***
 Rubens J. Pamies, M.D., FACP
- 3:00 p.m. ***Committee Breakout Sessions***
 Group A – Health Care Access

 Group B -- The Role of Culture in Health Outcomes

 Group C – Social Determinants
- 4:45 p.m. ***Reconvene Committee Business***
- 5:00 p.m. ***Adjourn***

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- 11:15 a.m. ***Committee Summary of Breakout Sessions***
- 12:00 p.m. ***Public Comment***
- 12:30 p.m. ***Wrap up – next steps, next meeting***
 Rubens J. Pamies, M.D., FACP
- 12:45 p.m. ***Closing Remarks***
 Garth Graham, M.D., M.P.H.
 Deputy Assistant Secretary for Minority Health
- 1:00 p.m. ***Adjourn***