

Healthcare Sustainability: Perspectives on Cost, Affordability, and Access

June 16, 2021 9:00-10:30 a.m.

| Time | Speaker | Agenda Item |
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| 9:00 – 9:15 | <p>Jo Porter, Director; Institute for Health Policy and Practice at UNH</p> <p>Lucy Hodder, Director of Health Law & Policy, Professor of Law, UNH School of Law and Institute for Health Policy and Practice at UNH</p> | <p>Welcome and Introductory Remarks</p> |
| 9:15 – 9:40 | <p>Chris Koller, President; Millbank Memorial Fund</p> | <p>Activating Stakeholders Across Sectors to Address Escalating Health Care Costs</p> <p>Mr. Koller heads the Peterson-Milbank Program for Sustainable Health Care Costs, aimed at empowering and supporting state leaders in making healthcare more affordable. He will discuss how state-led activities that engage cross-sector stakeholders can measure total health care costs, a key driver around access and quality.</p> |
| 9:35 – 9:50 | <p>Gloria Sachdev, President, CEO, and Board Chair; Employers’ Forum of Indiana</p> | <p>Empowering Employers to Improve Access and Affordability</p> <p>Ms. Sachdev focuses her work on price and quality transparency, value-based health benefit and payment strategies, and health policy for the Employers’ Forum of Indiana. She will discuss how her group engaged the RAND Corporation to analyze insurance claims to provide insight into the prices employers pay to hospitals, which led to a report showing that commercial insurers pay significantly higher rates than Medicare for inpatient hospital care, and why employers should care.</p> |
| 9:55-10:10 | <p>Eliot Fishman, Senior Director of Health Policy; and Sophia Tripoli, Director of Health Care Innovations, Families USA</p> | <p>Transforming Misaligned Incentives for a More Equitable Health Care System</p> <p>Dr. Fishman and Ms. Tripoli lead work initiatives that focus on re-orienting the health care system to deliver health, and on forwarding consumer-focused agendas to improve health care delivery and payment systems. They will discuss how the economics of health care are misaligned, resulting in an unaffordable system where providers are paid to treat illness, rather than prevent it, and how that impacts patient trust.</p> |
| 10:10-10:30 | <p>Jo Porter, Director; Institute for Health Policy and Practice at UNH</p> <p>Lucy Hodder, Director of Health Law & Policy, Professor of Law, UNH School of Law and Institute for Health Policy and Practice at UNH</p> | <p>Facilitated Question and Answer Session</p> |