



2008 AMERICAN INDIAN HEALTH POLICY SYMPOSIUM: ARIZONA

DAY 1 — MARCH 17, 2008

7:30 — 8:30am

Registration/Exhibits/Continental Breakfast

8:30am

Opening Blessing

8:30-9:30am

American Indian Health Services and Health Disparities

9:30-10:30am

Self-Determination in Indian Health (PL 93-638)

10:30-10:45am

Break & Exhibits

10:45-11:45am

Issues in Urban Indian Health

11:45am-1:00pm

Buffet Lunch & Exhibits

1:00-2:00pm

Role of Medicaid and SCHIP in Indian Health

2:00-3:00pm

Role of Medicare in Indian Health

3:00-3:30pm

Break & Exhibits

3:30-4:30pm

Third Party Billing and Tribal Self-Insurance

4:30-5:30pm

Access to Specialty Care and Long Term Care

5:30-6:00pm

Door Prizes & Exhibits

6:00pm

Adjourn

DAY 2 — MARCH 18, 2008

7:30 — 8:30am

Registration/Exhibits/Continental Breakfast

8:30am

Opening Blessing

8:30-9:30am

Access to Behavioral Health Services in Arizona

DAY 2 — MARCH 18, 2008 (Con't)

9:30-10:30am

American Indian Environmental Policy

10:30-10:45am

Break & Exhibits

10:45-11:45am

American Indian Disability Policy

11:45am-1:00pm

Buffet Lunch & Exhibits

1:00-2:00pm

Tribal Health Codes and Research Policies

2:00-3:00pm

Emergency Preparedness in Indian Country

3:00-3:30pm

Break & Exhibits

3:30-4:30pm

Cultural Competence and Integration of Traditional Medicine

4:30-5:30pm

Policy Coordination and Program Development Strategies

5:30-6:00pm

Door Prizes & Exhibits

6:00pm

Adjourn

OPTIONAL DAY 3 WORKSHOPS — MARCH 19, 2008

7:30 — 8:30am

Registration/Exhibits/Continental Breakfast

9:00am-noon

Workshop A—Tribal Self-Insurance & Employee Benefits Programs

Workshop B—Healthcare Facilities Construction in Indian Country

Workshop C—Byetta and Diabetes Discussion Group

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SYMPOSIUM FACULTY

- **Donald Warne, MD, MPH** (*Oglala Lakota*)—AIHMP
Dr. Donald Warne has significant experience in the Indian Health Care field. His experiences range from the direct delivery of health services, to publishing original research, research capacity development, teaching and consulting. Dr. Warne has 18 years experience in working with Native American Programs. Dr. Warne is currently the President and CEO of American Indian Health Management & Policy, Inc, and he currently teaches American Indian Health Policy at the Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law at Arizona State University. Dr. Warne has also been strong advocate for the incorporation of traditional healing methods in modern medicine.
- **David Tonemah, MBA** (*Kiowa*)—AIHMP
Mr. Tonemah has over 24 years experience in Indian health services. He has accomplished the Indian Health "trifecta" having worked with the Indian Health Services, a tribal health program and an Urban Indian Health Program ("I/T/U"). He has served in various administrative and management capacities including CFO, Acting Administrative Officer, Acting Director of Administrator of Administrative and Fiscal Services and Business Administrator.
- **Carlyle Begay, MHSM** (*Navajo*)—AIHMP
Mr. Begay has a tremendous acumen and passion for health policy and business. He has focused the majority of his efforts on services related to Indian health and Indian health program development. He has experience in the management of health care organizations, managed care, health care market structure, and health care delivery. In addition to an understanding of how public policy actions affect costs, quality, and access, in the Indian health and public health care sectors.
- **Lee Olitzky, MA**—Wit2/AIHMP
- **Jill Sherman-Warne** (*Hoopa*)—Viejas Band of Kumeyaay Indians
- **Jimmy Warne, MS** (*Oglala Lakota*)—SDSU
- **Rose Whitehair** (*Navajo*)—Arizona Government Information Technology Agency (GITA)

WORKSHOP FACULTY

- Workshop A—Charles Carlson – Native Health Group & Carlyle Begay
- Workshop B—Todd Wegner – Central Arizona Project Management & David Tonemah
- Workshop C—Wanda Manuel – Gila River Indian Community & Donald Warne

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