



POLICY BRIEFING

Undiagnosed HCV in Minority Communities: An Urgent Healthcare Response is Needed!

January 14, 2014

11:30 AM – 1:00 PM

Rayburn HOB, Room 2168

45 Independence Ave SW, Washington, DC 20515

AGENDA

11:30 AM	Registration and Lunch
11:40 AM	Welcome and Introductions Moderator: Dr. Gary A. Puckrein (Confirmed) President and Chief Executive Officer National Minority Quality Forum
11:50 AM	Remarks/Greetings Cong. Mike Honda (Confirmed)
Noon AM	“The Importance of Testing for Minority Communities” Cong. Hank Johnson (Confirmed)
12:10 PM	“The HHS Leadership Role in Addressing the National Hepatitis Epidemic” Presenter: Dr. Howard K. Koh (Confirmed) Assistant Secretary for Health U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
12:25 PM	“Hepatitis C: New Therapeutic Options” Presenter: Dr. Charles Howell (Confirmed) Professor and Director of Hepatology Research University of Maryland School of Medicine
12:35 PM	“Hepatitis C: The Patient’s Perspective” Presenter: Ms. Hadiyah Charles (Confirmed) Hepatitis C Advocacy Manager Harm Reduction Coalition
12:45 PM	“The Hepatitis C Index: A National Data Resource” Presenter: Mr. William Griffith (Confirmed) Vice President for Client Services National Minority Quality Forum
12:55 PM	Closing Remarks Moderator: Dr. Gary A. Puckrein
1:00 PM	Adjournment