

**State Office of Rural Health  
SORH Regional Partnership Meeting / Region D  
AGENDA**

**Tuesday, June 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

8:00 – 8:30 AM	<b>Registration</b>	
8:30 – 9:00 AM	Welcome to Louisiana	<b>Michelle Alletto, MPA, Deputy Secretary</b> Louisiana Department of Health
9:00 – 9:45 AM	FORHP Update	<b>Victoria Leach, Public Health Analyst</b> Federal Office of Rural Health Policy
9:45 – 10:00 AM	<b>BREAK</b>	
10:00 – 11:00 AM	NOSORH Update	<b>Teryl Eisinger, Executive Director</b> <b>Matt Strycker, Special Projects Coordinator</b> <b>Chris Salyers, Education and Services Director</b> NOSORH
11:00 – 12:00 PM	State Sharing (15 Minutes per State)	<b>ALL SORH</b>
12:00 – 1:30 PM	<b>LUNCH</b>	
1:30 – 2:00 PM	CMS Update	<b>Carmen Irwin, Health Insurance Specialist/Rural Health Coordinator</b> Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
2:00 – 2:30 PM	ORO Update	<b>Princess Jackson, PhD, Regional Administrator</b> Office of Regional Operations/Dallas Regional Division
2:30 – 3:15 PM	State Sharing (15 Minutes per State)	<b>ALL SORH</b>
3:15 – 3:30 PM	<b>BREAK</b>	
3:30 – 5:00 PM	Leveraging Partners and Assets to Improve Rural Health and Well-being: Recommendations for the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	<b>Alana Knudson, PhD, Co-Director</b> Walsh Center for Rural Health Analysis
5:00 PM	Adjourn	

**Wednesday, June 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

8:30 – 9:30 AM	Opioid Project Arizona SAMHSA	<b>Shana Malone,</b> AHCCCS <b>Commander Karen Hearod, Regional Administrator - Region VI</b> SAMHSA
9:30 – 10:00 AM	Group Discussion on Opioid Project	<b>ALL SORH</b>
10:00 – 10:30 AM	<b>BREAK</b>	
10:30 – 11:15 AM	Developing a Telehealth Program Rural Broadband and Telehealth (AT&T partnership with FCC on supplying wireless to First Responders)	<b>Lonnie DuFour, Director of Telehealth</b> Louisiana Health Care Quality Forum TEXLA Telehealth Resource Center
11:15 – 11:45 AM	Working with CBD Grantees R-Care	<b>Carrie Fortune, Director of Grants Management</b> ARcare Corporate
11:45 – 12:00 PM	Group Discussion on Working with CBD Grantees	<b>ALL SORH</b>
12:00 – 1:30 PM	<b>LUNCH (Not Provided)</b>	
1:30 – 2:30 PM	Innovative Health Improvement Projects Managed by a SORH	<b>Crystal Barter, Director of Performance Improvement</b> Michigan Center for Rural Health
	Group Discussion on Innovative Health Improvement Projects Managed by a SORH	<b>ALL SORH</b>
2:45 – 3:45 PM	Medical and Dental Working Together at the Community Level	<b>Dr. Steve Geiermann, Senior Manager</b> American Dental Association
3:45 – 4:00 PM	<b>BREAK</b>	
4:00 – 4:30 PM	State Sharing (15 Minutes per State)	<b>ALL SORH</b>
4:30 – 4:45 PM	Wrap up – Evaluations – Plans for 2018	
4:45 PM	Adjourn	