

# NOSORH Annual Meeting 2019 Draft Agenda

**Tuesday, October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

5:00 – 6:00 PM	New SORH Meeting
6:30 – 8:30 PM	Rural Partners Reception

**Wednesday, October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

7:00 – 8:30 AM	<b>BREAKFAST (PROVIDED)</b>	
8:30 – 8:45 AM	Opening Remarks	<b>Teryl Eisinger</b> , <i>Executive Director</i> NOSORH
8:45 – 9:15 AM	Welcome to New Mexico	<b>Tim Lopez</b> , <i>Director</i> New Mexico Office of Rural Health and Primary Care
9:15 – 9:45 AM	NOSORH Update	<b>NOSORH Staff</b>
9:45 – 10:15 AM	<b>BREAK WITH VENDORS</b>	
10:15 – 11:00 AM	Keynote Address: The Providers	<b>Matt Probst PA-C</b> , <i>Chief Quality Officer and Medical Director</i> El Centro Family Health <b>Laura Green</b> , <i>Director/Producer</i> <b>Anna Moot-Levin</b> , <i>Director/Producer</i> The Providers
11:00 – 11:30 AM	<b>Making the Most of National Rural Health Day</b>	<b>Karen Madden</b> , <i>Director</i> New York State Office of Rural Health <b>Kirby Lecy</b> , <i>SORH Program Coordinator</i> Massachusetts Office of Rural Health
11:30 – 12:15 PM	Federal Office of Rural Health Policy Update	<b>Tom Morris</b> , <i>Associate Administrator</i> <b>Rachel Moscato</b> , <i>Public Health Analyst</i> Federal Office of Rural Health Policy
12:15 – 1:45 PM	<b>LUNCH (PROVIDED)</b>	
1:45 – 2:30 PM	Round Tables	<b>All SORH</b>
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Cultivate a Vital, Innovative Rural Health Landscape and Infrastructure (<b>Primary Care Integration</b>)</li> <li>2. Grow Leadership to Address <b>Rural Population Health and Health Equity</b></li> <li>3. Build Capacity for Rural Data Driven Program Planning and Decision Making (<b>SORH Capacity</b>)</li> <li>4. <b>Advocate</b> for Additional Partnerships and Resources for SORH, and Their Stakeholders</li> </ol>	
2:30 – 2:45 PM	<b>ROOM TRANSITION</b>	
2:45 – 3:30 PM	Breakout Sessions	
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>The Art of Strategy Implementation</b></li> <li>2. <b>Integration of Palliative Care in Rural Communities</b></li> <li>3. <b>Can a Rural Hospital Lift a Community Out of Poverty?</b></li> </ol>	<p><b>Tina Nazier</b>, <i>Director Health Care Strategic Alignment</i> Wipfli LLP</p> <p><b>Pat Justis</b>, <i>Executive Director</i> Washington Office of Rural Health</p> <p><b>DeAnn Richards</b>, <i>Project Specialist</i>, MetaStar <b>Karla Weng</b>, <i>Senior Program Manager</i>, Stratis Health</p> <p><b>Mark Woodring</b>, <i>Assistant Dean for Rural Health</i> Oklahoma State University</p>

	4. Michigan State Office of Rural Health - Transitioning Rural to Value Based Purchasing (VBP) via Accountable Care Organizations (ACOs)	<b>Crystal Barter</b> , <i>Director of Performance Improvement</i> Michigan Center for Rural Health
3:30 – 4:00 PM	<b>BREAK WITH VENDORS</b>	
4:00 – 5:00 PM	The Impact of the Affordable Care Act and Rural Healthcare Finances	<b>Harvey Licht</b> , <i>Senior Associate</i> Valera Consulting Group <b>Keith Mueller</b> , <i>Director</i> Rural Policy Research Institute (RUPRI)
5:00 – 5:30 PM	NOSORH Membership Meeting and Wrap Up	<b>Corie Kaiser</b> , <i>President</i> <b>Graham Adams</b> , <i>Past President</i> <b>Michelle Mills</b> , <i>President-Elect</i> <b>Kylie Nissen</b> , <i>Treasurer</i> <b>Crystal Barter</b> , <i>Secretary</i> NOSORH
5:30 PM	Adjourn and Group Photo	
<b>Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2019</b>		
7:00 – 9:00 AM	<b>BREAKFAST (PROVIDED)</b>	
9:00 – 10:00 AM	Chartis Group	<b>Michael Topchik</b> , <i>National Leader</i> Chartis Center for Rural Health
10:00 – 10:45 AM	Policy Update	<b>Andrew Coats</b> , <i>Shareholder</i> Hall Render Killian Heath and Lyman <b>Lisa Davis</b> , <i>Director</i> Pennsylvania State Office of Rural Health <b>R. Scott Daniels, PhD</b> , <i>Flex Coordinator</i> Hawaii State Office of Primary Care and Rural Health
10:45 – 11:00 AM	<b>ROOM TRANSITION</b>	
11:00 – 11:45 AM	Breakout Sessions	
	1. Creating a Culture of Perpetual Compliance in Small Rural Hospitals and Rural Health Clinics	<b>Patty Harper</b> , <i>Healthcare Consultant/Principal</i> <b>Dianne Bourque</b> , <i>Consultant</i> inQuiseek Consulting
	2. Enhancing Reproductive Well Being Through One Key Question	<b>Becky Griesse</b> , <i>Director of Programs</i> Power to Decide Organization
	3. Leadership Institute 2019	<b>Tammy Norville</b> , <i>Technical Assistance Coordinator</i> NOSORH
	4. RHC Surveying for SORH Teams	<b>Kate Hill</b> , <i>VP Clinical Services</i> The Compliance Team <b>Tonne McCoy</b> , <i>Health Program Manager</i> Idaho Bureau of Rural Health and Primary Care
	5. Incorporating a Rural Prosperity Index into the Opioid Misuse Community Assessment Tool	<b>Michael Meit</b> , <i>Co-Director</i> , NORC Walsh Center for Rural Health Analysis
11:45 – 12:00 PM	<b>ROOM TRANSITION</b>	
12:00 – 2:00 PM	<b>LUNCH (PROVIDED) AND AWARDS CEREMONY</b>	
		Facilitated by: <b>Cathleen McElligott</b> , <i>Director</i> Massachusetts Office of Rural Health <b>Margaret Brockman</b> , <i>Director</i> Nebraska Office of Rural Health
2:00 – 2:45 PM	Breakout Sessions	
	1. SORH Proficiencies	<b>Chris Salyers</b> , <i>Education and Services Director</i> NOSORH
	2. The RHC Accreditation Process	<b>Thomas Terranova</b> <i>Executive Director</i>

3. COPD in Rural America and the Resources Available to Help Support Providers

**Caleb Siem**, *Program Specialist*, TASC  
**Kristine Sande**, *Program Director*, RHihub  
**Paul Moore**, *Senior Health Policy Advisor*, FORHP

4. Rural Cancer Control Opportunities for Collaboration and Technical Assistance

**Aubrey Villalabos**, *Director*  
 Cancer Control and Health Equity

2:45 – 3:00 PM

ROOM TRANSITION

3:00 – 4:00 PM

Challenges Facing Rural Communities and the Roadmap to Ensure Local Access to Health Care

**John Supplitt**, *Senior Director*  
 American Hospital Association,

4:00 PM

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