

LEGISLATIVE AND REGULATORY UPDATE

November 14, 2016

Week in Brief

HHS OIG [Releases](#) Its Work Plan for Fiscal Year 2017.

ONC [Issues](#) the 2016 *Report to Congress on Health IT Progress: Examining the HITECH Era and the Future of Health IT*.

WHITE HOUSE UPDATE

Donald J. Trump [Elected](#) President; [Selects](#) Reince Priebus as Chief of Staff, Stephen Bannon as Chief Strategist and Senior Counselor. [Click here](#) for our elections memo.

REGULATORY UPDATE

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

November 7

FDA [Announces](#) Availability of a Guidance, “Clinical Considerations for Investigational Device Exemptions (IDEs) for Neurological Devices Targeting Disease Progression and Clinical Outcomes.”

November 9

CMS [Announces](#) \$66.1 Million Funding Opportunity for Zika Prevention and Treatment.

UPCOMING EVENTS

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

CMS Listening Session Regarding the Implementation of Certain Medicare Part D Provisions in CARA

Listening session to solicit input from stakeholders regarding implementation of section 704 of CARA.

- November 14 | 1 p.m. – 4 p.m.
Teleconference

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Veterans' Rural Health Advisory Committee Meeting

Presentations on health care access and quality and updates from Department leadership.

- November 15 | 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Conference Room 870
1800 G Street NW
Washington, DC 20006
- November 16 | 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Conference Room
Vietnam Veterans of America
8719 Colesville Road
Silver Spring, Maryland 20910

OTHER

National Museum of Natural History Screening and Discussion

“Spillover: Zika, Ebola and Beyond Film Screening and Discussion”

- November 15 | 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Baird, Ground Floor
National Museum of Natural History
10th Street and Constitution Avenue
NW, Washington, DC 20013

Alliance for Health Reform Symposium “Post-Election Symposium”

- November 16 | 8:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.
Barbara Jordan Conference Center
Kaiser Family Foundation
1330 G Street NW
Washington, DC 20005

340B Health Congressional Lunch Briefing

"Post-Election Outlook on Hospitals and the 340B Program"

- November 16 | 12 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.
United States Capitol Visitor Center
SVC 209-08

The National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine Workshop

"Communicating Clearly about Medicine: A Workshop"

- November 17 | 8:30 a.m.
National Academy of Sciences
Building NAS 120
2101 Constitution Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20418

Bipartisan Policy Center Panel Discussion

"Realizing the Promise of Medical Innovation"

- November 17 | 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Bipartisan Policy Center
Suite 1000
1225 Eye Street NW
Washington, DC 20005

Smithsonian Associates Lecture

"The Pulse on Modern Medicine: Insights from NIH Experts"

- November 17 | 6:45 p.m. – 8:45 p.m.
S. Dillon Ripley Center
1100 Jefferson Drive SW
Washington, D.C.

Health Care Symposium

"Health Reform: Where Are We; Where Are We Going?"

- November 18 | 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
325 Russell Senate Office Building