



Reform Matters

Making Real Progress for Women and Health Care

CONFERENCE CALL AGENDA

Hosted by the National Women's Law Center

July 10, 2008

(2nd Thursday of each Month)

1pm EST

1. Welcome & Introduction

Lisa Codispoti, National Women's Law Center

2. Issues regarding Women and Health Reform: Medical Homes

Sabrina Corlette, Director, Health Policy Programs, National Partnership on Women and Families. Several states have adopted a medical home model as part of their steps toward health reform. Learn about medical homes, the opportunities and challenges presented by this model of delivering care, and what we need to know as women's advocates. www.nationalpartnership.org

3. "Spotlight" on the states: a look back at this legislative session

Adam Thompson, Health Policy Specialist, Progressive States Network. While a few state legislatures are still in session, most have wrapped up their work for the year. Hear about the good, the bad, and the just plain ugly of different health care legislation that was debated, and adopted in several states. www.progressivestates.org

4. New national campaign for health reform: Health Care for America NOW!

Richard Kirsch, National Campaign Manager, Health Care for America Now! As we work together on state health reform efforts, we have often said that while critically important, reform at the state level is neither big enough nor fast enough to bring about the change we need to our health care system. So while we need to continue our efforts at the state level – we have to be ready to pivot to national action to demand a solution to our health care crisis. The chance to join a collective national effort has arrived! Learn about a new national campaign that over 100 groups have joined and how you can be a part. www.healthcareforamericanow.org

5. Updates, announcements, future calls:

- August 14, 2008 1pm EST
- September 11, 2008 1pm EST

To register for conference calls: <http://action.nwlc.org/healthcarereform>

To suggest future agenda topics, or make an announcement on a call, please contact Lisa Codispoti, at 202-588-5180 or lcodispoti@nwlc.org