

Foundations and Health Reform



Lauren LeRoy Health Policy Lecture



Engaging the Public to Advance Policy Change





feature **Uwe E. Reinhardt**, James Madison Professor of Political Economy and Professor of Economics and Public Affairs at the Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs at Princeton University. Regarded as one of the nation's leading experts on health care economics, Dr. Reinhardt will inform, challenge, and inspire grantmakers to examine health and health care in the United States at a deeper level and from different perspectives.

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FOUNDATIONS AND HEALTH REFORM

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24

Enrolling the uninsured in new coverage opportunities, developing a health workforce that is prepared to meet the needs of millions of newly insured Americans, and ensuring that an adequate safety net remains for those who are still uninsured are the latest challenges in health reform implementation and the focus of many health funders. The fourth annual *Foundations and Health Reform* meeting will allow grantmakers to engage in dialogue with each other and with those on the front lines of implementation and policymaking. Attendees will examine issues in small group discussions that allow participants to share insights about successful foundation-funded work; explore potential collaborations with government, academia, and the health sector; and network with colleagues and experts in the field.



ENGAGING THE PUBLIC TO ADVANCE POLICY CHANGE

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25

Policy change often depends on the active, engaged participation of community members. Foundation efforts to encourage and support public involvement in health policy decisionmaking can take a variety of forms, including grassroots advocacy, community organizing, civic engagement, voter registration, outreach and enrollment, public will building, and public education. The nature and intent of these activities vary, but all share common challenges related to effective communications, relationship building, and community empowerment. This oneday, highly interactive strategy session will explore how health funders can address these challenges by boosting innovative investments related to information technology, social media applications, and nontraditional partnerships.

Space is limited for this strategy session.

MEETING REGISTRATION

Visit www.gih.org to register on-line or for a hard copy registration form to register by mail. Register by October 4 to reserve your spot and avoid late fees. Registrations received after this date will be charged a \$25 late fee.

REGISTRATION FEES

OCTOBER 24: FOUNDATIONS AND HEALTH REFORM

GIH Funding Partners: \$150 Non-Funding Partners: \$250

OCTOBER 25: ENGAGING THE PUBLIC TO ADVANCE POLICY CHANG

GIH Funding Partners: \$150 Non-Funding Partners: \$250

ATTENDANCE FOR BOTH DAYS

GIH Funding Partners: \$300 Non-Funding Partners: \$500

There is no registration fee for the Lauren LeRoy Health Policy Lecture.

HOTEL INFORMATION

The Washington Court Hotel · 525 New Jersey Avenue NW · Washington, DC 20001 www.washingtoncourthotel.com · Metro Station: Union Station (red line)

GIH has reserved a limited block of rooms at the special group rate of \$269. Reserve your room on-line at www.gih.org or by calling 800.321.3010 by **September 23**. Mention that you are attending the Grantmakers In Health Fall Forum to receive the discount rate.

CANCELLATION INFORMATION

Individuals canceling in writing prior to October 4 will receive a refund, less a \$50 administrative fee. Requests for refunds after this date will not be accepted; however, registration may be transferred to another member of your organization by notifying GIH in advance of the meeting.

AGENDA-AT-A-GLANCE

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24	
8:00 – 9:00 A.M.	Registration and Continental Breakfast
9:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.	Foundations and Health Reform
3:30 - 4:30 P.M.	Lauren LeRoy Health Policy Lecture
4:30 – 6:00 P.M.	Reception

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25	
8:30 - 9:00 A.M.	Registration and Continental Breakfast
9:00 A.M. – 3:15 P.M.	Engaging the Public to Advance Policy Change

