

# ***Shaping Your State's Vision for Medicaid Redesign and Health System Improvement***

State Issues Forum Meeting

April 27, 2013

9 am -12:30 pm

**9 am**            **Welcome: Maryjane Wurth, President, Illinois Hospital Association  
Region 5 Representative, AHA State Issues Forum Steering Committee**

**9:10 – 10 am**   **Keynote Address: "Scanning the Medicaid Redesign Landscape"  
*Deborah Bachrach, Manatt Health Solutions***

This session will provide an overview of the types of reform initiatives underway around the country; defining "robust" and promising efforts involving hospitals and health systems; and suggestions for how and why hospital associations should be part of developing the solutions.

**10:10 am**       **State Innovation Models and Other Redesign Initiatives**

The State Innovation Model (SIM) initiative program awarded over \$250 million in Model Testing Awards to support six states that are ready to implement their State Health Care Innovation Plans. These proposals articulate a state's strategy to use all of the levers available to it to transform its health care delivery system through multi-payer payment reform and other state-led initiatives. Three states received Pre-testing assistance to further develop and refine their State Health Care Innovation Plans. Sixteen states received Model Design funding to produce a State Health Care Innovation Plan over the next six months. Representatives from six of the SIM states will briefly describe the major components of the state's innovation plans and other Medicaid reform initiatives, the potential impact on their hospitals, and any members' or association unity concerns.

- **Arkansas: Bo Ryall, President, Arkansas Hospital Association**
- **Oregon: Robin Moody, Director of Public Policy, Oregon Association of Hospital and Health Systems**
- **Colorado: Steven Summer, President, Colorado Hospital Association**
- **Idaho: Steven Millard, President, Idaho Hospital Association**
- **Illinois: Maryjane Wurth, President, Illinois Hospital Association**
- **Iowa: Kirk Norris, President, Iowa Hospital Association**

**12:30 pm**       **Wrap up and Adjournment**