



Wednesday, April 11, 2018

7:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. – Registration

7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. – Breakfast Buffet

8:30 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. – Opening Remarks for Congressional Pharmacy Summit

- Dave Smith, R.Ph., NCPA President
- Doug Hoey, R.Ph., MBA, NCPA Chief Executive Officer

8:45 a.m. to 9:15 a.m. – Legislative Briefing

NCPA Advocacy Center staff will provide an update on NCPA advocacy efforts on behalf of independent pharmacies, including efforts to stop the unfair practices of pharmacy benefit managers such as DIR fees, and protect and expand patient access to community pharmacy services. The session will include a discussion of the congressional agenda for 2018 and how NCPA will continue to work on industry priorities to preserve the ability of independent pharmacies to serve their communities.

- Karry La Violette, NCPA Vice President of Government Affairs and Advocacy

9:15 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. – Medicare Part D & Drug Accessibility

Get an update on the proposed Medicare Part D Rule, which offered a new approach to retroactive pharmacy DIR fees. Plus, the national dialogue regarding prescription drug access & affordability has ratcheted up. Hear the latest from several health care policy experts.

- Ronna Hauser, Pharm.D., NCPA Vice President of Pharmacy Affairs
- Madelaine Feldman, M.D., FACR, Vice President, Council of State Rheumatology Organizations (CSRO)
- Marissa Watkins, Senior Director of Advocacy and Strategic Alliances, Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America (PhRMA)
- TBD

10:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. – U.S. Representative Doug Collins

Learn from independent pharmacy champion Congressman Doug Collins (R-Ga.) how things get done on Capitol Hill. Gather invaluable tips for communicating with your elected representatives and become skilled in how to advance your legislative goals in Congress.

10:45 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. – Hill Visits

Shuttle Buses depart

11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. – NCPA Capitol Hill Member Lounge - Longworth House Office Building: B-208

Hill packet pick up and attendees are also welcome to relax here between meetings.

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6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. – Congressional Reception- Capitol Hill

7:45 p.m. – Shuttle Buses depart Capitol Hill to Hilton Alexandria Old Town

Thursday, April 12, 2018

7:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. – Registration

8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. – NCPA Sal D'Angelo PAC Breakfast

- U.S. Senator Shelley Moore Capito (R-W.Va.)

9:00 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. – Future of Medicaid

Medicaid could be facing major changes on the federal and state level in 2018 with waivers, block grants, per capita caps, and other benefit design and funding options. This session will explore challenges and opportunities for payers, providers and states as they work to develop Medicaid programs that serve the needs of each state's beneficiaries while ensuring access, improving quality, and controlling costs.

- Scott Brunner, NCPA Senior Vice President of Communications and State Government Affairs
- Vicki Cunningham, R.Ph., Director of Pharmacy Services, West Virginia Bureau for Medical Services
- Delegate Keith Hodges, R.Ph. (R) Virginia House of Delegates, 98th District
- Matt Salo, Executive Director, National Association of Medicaid Directors

9:45 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. – Outlook for 2018 Midterm Elections

Representatives from the Democrat and Republican party committees will provide an overview of the upcoming Senate and House elections and offer their insights and predictions.

- Adam Harbison, NCPA Director of Congressional Affairs
- Logan Dobson, Director of Data and Analytics, National Republican Senatorial Committee
- Nicole Eynard, Deputy Executive Director, Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee

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Shuttle Buses depart (Note: There are no return buses to the Hilton. We cannot guarantee you will be able to get into the Capitol Complex with your luggage. We suggest leaving your bags with the hotel concierge, or you may leave them at NCPA Headquarters as long as they are picked up by 5:30 p.m.)

11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. – NCPA Capitol Hill Member Lounge - Longworth House Office Building: B-208

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