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Altarum Center for Sustainable Health Spending Presents

Symposium on Sustainable U.S. Health Spending: The Quest for Value
Tuesday, July 15, 2014; 8:30 – 2:00
Pew Charitable Trusts, 901 E St NW, Washington, DC (The Americas Room)

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Précis
Historically slow growth in national health expenditures may be ending, but either way, health spending growth remains the single most important driver of long-term fiscal deficits. With Affordable Care Act insurance coverage taking hold, increasing health sector efficiency becomes more urgent. This third Robert Wood Johnson Foundation funded sustainable health spending symposium will provide an update on health spending growth, review initiatives shaping increased health system value, assess the role of prevention, and discuss future trends for spending growth and efficiency.

Agenda
8:30 – 9:00  Continental Breakfast and Welcome
Linc Smith, CEO, Altarum Institute - Welcome
Ceci Connolly, Managing Director, PwC Health Research Institute – Moderator, Sessions I – II

9:00 – 9:55  I. Health Spending in 2014: What’s Happening?
Peter Orszag, Vice Chairman, Corporate and Investment Banking, Citibank
Larry Levitt, Senior Vice President for Special Initiatives, Kaiser Family Foundation
Stuart Altman, Professor of National Health Policy, Heller School Brandeis University

10:00 – 10:55  II. Health Care Delivery: How to Best Increase Value & Quality?
Kate Goodrich, Director, Quality Measurement and Health Assessment Group, CMS
Harold D. Miller, Director, Center for Healthcare Quality & Payment Reform
Kavita Patel, Managing Director for Clinical Transformation and Delivery, Brookings Institution

11:00 – 12:00  III. Disease Prevention Interventions: What’s the Value?
George Miller, Fellow, Altarum Center for Sustainable Health Spending – Moderator
Alice Rivlin, Director, Engelberg Center for Health Care Reform, Brookings Institution
Dave Chokshi, Department of Population Health, NYU Langone Medical Center
Bobby Milstein, Director, ReThink Health, Visiting Scientist, MIT Sloan School of Management

12:05 – 1:15  IV. Health Spending and Value Roundtable: What Lies Ahead in 2015 & Beyond?
Joanne Kenen, Health Editor, POLITICO – Moderator
Charles Roehrig, Director, Altarum Center for Sustainable Health Spending
Paul Ginsburg, University of Southern California
Michael Kleinrock, Director, Research Development, IMS Institute
Uwe Reinhardt, James Madison Professor of Political Economy, Princeton University

Lunch and Informal Discussions

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