Putting the Mouth Back in the Body:
Improving Oral Health Across the Commonwealth

Tuesday, June 16, 2009
8:30 am - 12:30 pm
Omni Parker House Hotel – Alcott Room
60 School Street, Boston, MA

8:30 – 9:00 am  Registration and Breakfast

9:00 – 9:15 am  Welcome

Philip W. Johnston, Chairman, Massachusetts Health Policy Forum

9:15 – 10:45 am  Panel Discussion: The Current State of Oral Health in the Commonwealth

Moderator: David Samuels, President, Massachusetts Dental Society

Panelists:
Senator Harriette Chandler, Co-Chair, Legislative Oral Health Caucus
Catherine Hayes, Professor and Chair of the Department of Public Health and Community Services, Tufts University School of Dental Medicine
Judith Jones, Professor and Chair of the Department of General Dentistry, Boston University School of Dental Medicine
Frank Robinson, Executive Director, Partners for a Healthier Community

Questions

10:45 – 11:00 am  Break

11:00 – 12:30 pm  Panel Discussion: Future Directions to Improve Oral Health in Massachusetts

Moderator: Ralph Fuccillo, President, DentaQuest Foundation

Panelists:
Representative John Scibak, Co-Chair, Legislative Oral Health Caucus
John Auerbach, Commissioner, Massachusetts Department of Public Health
Conan Davis, Chief Dental Officer, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
Libby Mullin, President, Mullin Strategies

Questions