

**Policy Briefing on Improving Care and Reducing Costs for  
Medicare Beneficiaries in Nursing Homes  
Tuesday, October 12, 2010  
9:30 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.**

**AGENDA**

*Welcome and Overview*

**Diane Rowland**, Executive Vice President, Kaiser Family Foundation;  
Executive Director, Kaiser Commission on Medicaid and the Uninsured

*Opening Remarks*

**Donald Berwick, M.D.**, Administrator  
Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services

*Presentation of Findings and Panel Discussion*

**Moderator: Tricia Neuman**, Vice President and Director, Medicare Policy Project  
Kaiser Family Foundation

*Study Findings:*

**Gretchen Jacobson**, Principal Policy Analyst  
Kaiser Family Foundation

**Michael Perry**, Partner  
Lake Research Associates

*Panel Discussion:*

**Toby S. Edelman**, Senior Policy Attorney  
The Center for Medicare Advocacy

**Larry Minnix**, President and CEO  
The American Association of Homes and Services for the Aging

**Cheryl Phillips, M.D.**, Chief Medical Officer, Outlook for On Lok Lifeways;  
Immediate Past President, American Geriatrics Society

*Audience Questions and Discussion*