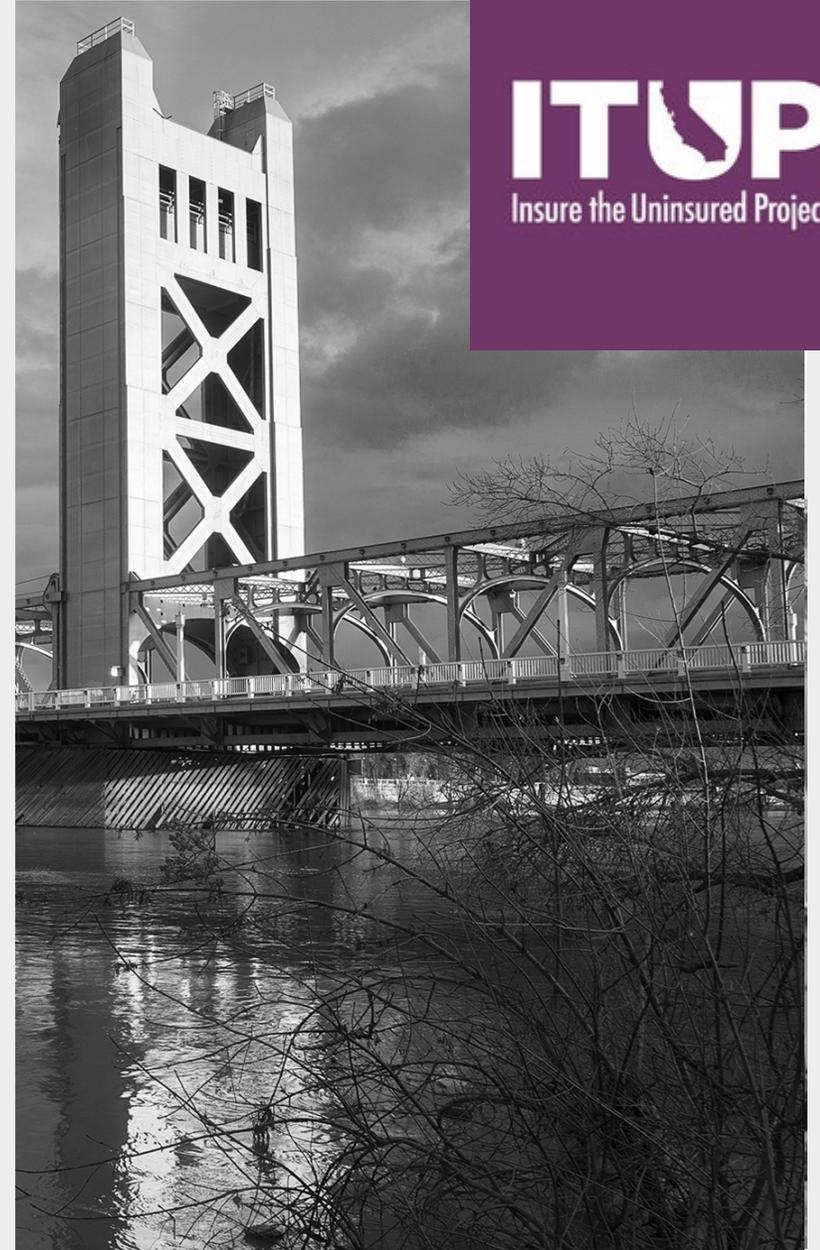


ITUP Policy Forums

California's Culture of Coverage: Achieving and Implementing Equitable Universal Health Care

Wednesday, March 30, 2022

9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.



ITUP Mission & Vision



Mission

ITUP's mission is to promote innovative and workable policy solutions that expand health care access and improve the health of all Californians. ITUP implements its mission through policy-focused research and broad-based stakeholder engagement.

Vision

ITUP believes that all Californians should have a fair opportunity to live their healthiest lives.

ITUP Values



ITUP Seeks a Health Care System that is:

Universal – All Californians are eligible for comprehensive health coverage and services, including primary, specialty, behavioral, oral, and vision health services, as well as services that address the social determinants of health.

Equitable – All Californians receive health care coverage, treatment, and services that address the social determinants of health regardless of health status, age, ability, income, language, race, ethnicity, gender identity, sexual orientation, immigration status, and geographic region.

Accessible – All Californians have access to coverage options and services that are available, timely, and appropriate.

Effective – Health, health care, and related services that address the social determinants of health are person-centered, value-based, coordinated, and high-quality.

Affordable – Coverage and services are affordable for consumers at the point of purchase and care; and, at the health system level for public and private purchasers

About ITUP



- **25-year-old, independent 501(c)(3) health policy organization**
- **Each year, ITUP:**
 - Hosts an annual conference
 - Hosts online 360-degree Policy Forums and Webinars (thanks for being with us today!)
 - Runs a dozen policy and regional workgroups across the state from San Diego to Humboldt Counties
 - Produces 10 state and regional Health Coverage Fact Sheets
 - Publishes in-depth issue briefs and high-level health policy fact sheets
- **We have 3 KEY FOCUS areas:**
 - Coverage and Access
 - Delivery System Transformation
 - The Future of Health

AGENDA

9:30 – 9:35 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions
9:35 – 10:20 a.m. <i>Includes Q&A after each speaker</i>	<p>Government Perspective: Closing the Coverage Gap in California</p> <p>Marko Mijic, MPP (he/him), Undersecretary, California Health and Human Services Agency</p> <p>Cathy Senderling-McDonald (she/her), Executive Director, County Welfare Directors Association of California</p> <p>Assemblymember Joaquin Arambula, MD (he/him), (D-Fresno) California State Assembly, District 31, Chair of Assembly Budget Subcommittee on Health</p>
10:20 – 11:05 a.m. <i>Includes Q&A</i>	<p>Policy Perspective: Making Universal Coverage Successful for Californians</p> <p>Amy Adams, MSW (she/her), Senior Program Officer, Improving Access, California Health Care Foundation (Moderator)</p> <p>Anthony E. Wright (he/him), Executive Director, Health Access</p> <p>Tiffany Huyenh-Cho, JD (she/her), Senior Staff Attorney, Justice in Aging</p> <p>Cori Racela, JD (she/her), Deputy Director, Western Center on Law & Poverty</p> <p>Kiran Savage-Sangwan, MPA (she/her), Executive Director, California Pan-Ethnic Health Network</p> <p>Sarah Dar, MPH (she/her), Director of Health & Public Benefits Policy, California Immigrant Policy Center</p>
11:05 – 11:55 a.m. <i>Includes Q&A</i>	<p>Local Perspective: Implementing Coverage Expansion in California Communities</p> <p>Madeline Sabatoni, MPA (she/her), Program Officer, Sierra Health Foundation (Moderator)</p> <p>Noe Paramo, JD (he/him), Director, California Rural Legal Assistance Foundation</p> <p>Anni Chung (she/her), President and Chief Executive Officer, Self-Help for the Elderly</p> <p>Elaine Batchlor, MD, MPH (she/her), Chief Executive Officer, Martin Luther King Jr. Community Hospital</p> <p>Jan Spencley (she/her), Executive Director, San Diegans for Healthcare Coverage</p>
11:55 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Takeaways and Wrap Up
12:00 p.m.	Adjourn



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Insure the Uninsured Project



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