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**Forum on Aging, Disability, and Independence**

**Forum Meeting**

**Wednesday, October 11, 2017**

**The John A. Hartford Foundation  
55 East 59<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 16  
New York, NY 10022**

**Agenda**

Meeting Objectives

- Review lessons learned from workshop
  - Build on themes from past ADI Forum events and from the National Academy of Medicine Vital Directions initiative
  - Discuss Forum's focus and future directions
  - Plan for 2018-2019 Forum activities
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9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	BREAKFAST	
9:30 a.m. – 9:40 a.m.	WELCOME AND PLANS FOR THE DAY	<b>(TAB 1)</b>
	<i>Terry Fulmer (ADI Forum Co-Chair) President The John A. Hartford Foundation</i>	
	<i>Fernando Torres-Gil (ADI Forum Co-Chair) Professor of Social Welfare and Public Policy Director of the Center for Policy Research on Aging University of California, Los Angeles</i>	
9:40 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.	MEMBER INTRODUCTIONS	

- 9:50 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. FEEDBACK ON DISRUPTING STEREOTYPES WORKSHOP
- Discuss lessons learned from workshop
- 10:50 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. BREAK
- 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. PLANNING FOR MARCH 2018 WORKSHOP
- Topic: Investing in Aging and Disability
  - Build on yesterday’s workshop
  - Previous volunteers: Stoeckle, Singh, Espinoza, Bynum, Brummel-Smith
- 12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m. LUNCH
- 12:30 p.m. – 12:50 p.m. NATIONAL ACADEMY OF MEDICINE ACTIVITIES **(TAB 3)**
- Vital Directions
  - Longevity Challenge
- Elizabeth Finkelman*  
*Associate Program Officer*  
*National Academy of Medicine*
- 12:50 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. ADI FORUM: 3-YEAR VISION AND OBJECTIVES **(TAB 4)**
- Review Vision Statement
  - Is “independence” the right word to use? (“respecting preferences”?)
  - Partnering with other forums/activities:
    - Serious Illness Roundtable
    - SSA Standing Committee
    - Board on Health Care Services
  - New members
- 2:00 p.m. – 2:15p.m. BREAK
- 2:15 p.m. – 3:00p.m. PLANNING FOR 2018-2019 ADI FORUM ACTIVITIES **(TAB 5)**
- 2018: 10-year anniversary of *Retooling for an Aging America*
  - 2019: 10-year anniversary of *Olmstead* decision
  - Future workshop topics (Artificial Intelligence?)
  - Perspectives papers (suggested at last meeting):
    - Moving needle on technology to promote independence
    - Saving jobs through jobs in eldercare
    - *WHY* a forum on aging and disability

- Why the aging community should embrace Olmstead and the Americans with Disabilities Act
- Using Olmstead to increase community-based services

3:00 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

UPDATE ON ACTIVITIES AT THE NATIONAL ACADEMIES **(TAB 6)**

- NEW Report: *The Promise of Assistive Technology to Enhance Activity and Work Participation* (SSA)

*Carol Spicer*

*Senior Program Officer*

*National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine*

- Report Highlights
- Interactive guide for:
  - Wheeled and seated mobility devices
  - Upper extremity prostheses
  - Selected hearing technologies
  - Communication and speech technologies
- UPDATE: Hearing Health Care
  - Federal legislation
  - Potential Action Collaborative
- NEW Workshop: Health Literacy and Healthy Aging
- DEVELOPING Consensus Study: Social Isolation and Loneliness
- DEVELOPING Consensus Study: Social Work/Needs

3:45 p.m. – 4:00p.m.

OTHER RELATED ACTIVITIES

- Forum members share upcoming and related work

4:00 p.m.

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