# Plenary Speakers:







## David Satcher, MD, PbD, FAAFP, FACPM, FACP—16th Surgeon General of the United States; Current Director, Center of Excellence on Health Disparities and the Satcher Health Leadership Institute of Morehouse School of Medicine

Dr. Satcher served simultaneously in the positions of Surgeon General and Assistant Secretary for Health from February 1998 through January 2001 at the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. In June 2006, Dr. Satcher established the Satcher Health Leadership Institute (SHLI) of Morehouse School of Medicine as a natural extension of his experience in improving public health policy for all Americans and his commitment to eliminating health disparities for minorities, the poor and other disadvantaged groups.

#### C. Everett Koop, MD—13th Surgeon General of the United States

As Surgeon General, Dr. Koop proved to be an outspoken advocate on public health issues. Dr. Koop vigorously attacked the issue of tobacco use, calling for "A Smoke-Free Society by the Year 2000." In addition, as the Nation began to recognize AIDS as a new and deadly disease, Koop eventually became the chief Federal spokesperson on AIDS. He resigned as Surgeon General on October 1, 1989, but continues to educate the public about health issues through his writing and the electronic media. Dr. Koop also serves as Senior Scholar of the C. Everett Koop Institute at Dartmouth University and is chair or a member of various boards of health-related groups.

#### Richard H. Carmona, MD, MPH, FACS—17th Surgeon General of the United States; Vice Chairman, Canyon Ranch, President, Canyon Ranch Institute, Distinguished Professor, Zuckerman College of Public Health, University of Arizona

Dr. Carmona served as the 17th Surgeon General of the United States between 2002 and 2006. An outspoken critic of second-hand smoke, Dr. Carmona testified before Congress that all tobacco products should be banned. He is now the vice chairman of the Canyon Ranch resort and spa company, president of the non-profit Canyon Ranch Institute, and a professor at the Mel and Enid Zuckerman College of Public Health at the University of Arizona. In addition, he serves as the health and wellness chairman for the Strategies to Overcome and Prevent Obesity Alliance Steering Committee. Dr. Carmona has published extensively and received numerous awards and decorations, as well as local and national recognition for his achievements.

#### Kitty Ernst, CNM, MPH—Certified Nurse-Midwife and Current President of the American College of Nurse Midwifery

For over 40 years Kitty Ernst has pioneered the field of midwifery. Ms. Ernst was one of the first presidents of the American College of Nurse Midwives, a role which she has recently taken on again. As a practitioner, she served families in capacities including public health nurse-midwife and director of the nurse-midwifery service and education program at Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center. In addition to creating opportunities that improve options and access to health care, and increasing access to midwifery education, Kitty has been a tremendous role model to thousands of students.

#### H. Jack Geiger, M.D., M. Sci. Hyg., Sc.D. (hon.)—Arthur C. Logan Professor Emeritus of Community Medicine at the City University of New York Medical School

Most of Dr. Geiger's career has been devoted to health disparities, poverty and human rights. He initiated the community health center model in the U.S., combining community-oriented primary care, public health interventions, civil rights and community development initiatives, and was a leader in the development of the national health center network of more than 900 urban, rural and migrant centers currently serving some 14 million low-income patients. Dr. Geiger is a founding member and past president of Physicians for Social Responsibility, which shared in the Nobel Peace Prize in 1985, and is a founding member and past president of Physicians for Human Rights, which shared in the Nobel Peace Prize in 1998.

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### National Summit of Clinicians for Healthcare Justice



## Vigil for Healthcare Justice Friday, October 24th

Join clinicians from around the country for a Friday evening vigil in downtown Washington, as we make public our call for bealth care justice!

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Non-Profit Org U.S. Postage PAID Permit No. 3416 Atlanta, GA he National Summit of Clinicians for Healthcare Justice is a one-of-a-kind event sponsored by many of the major safety-net clinician organizations from across the United States. The two-day event is expected to attract clinicians and advocates from all over the country who will come together to celebrate, acknowledge and highlight the work frontline clinicians do to serve disenfranchised populations in need of basic healthcare in our country. The conference provides an opportunity for clinicians and others to explore cutting edge solutions and to be a part of the vital efforts to make quality health care for the underserved a reality.

The summit will culminate in a vigil on Capitol Hill to show support for Healthcare Justice and to demonstrate the need for healthcare change in the United States.



## Partnering Organizations

#### The following organizations are involved in the planning and implementation of this event:

National Center for Primary Care of Morehouse School of Medicine Migrant Clinicians Network National Association of Community Health Centers Association of Clinicians for the Underserved National Network for Oral Health Access Health Care for the Homeless Clinicians' Network Clinical Directors Network Southeast Regional Clinicians Network Association of Asian Pacific Community Health Organizations Midwest Clinicians Network New England Clinicians Forum Clinical Regional Advisory Network-Region III Region IX Western Clinicians Network

## Conference Schedule

### ▼ Thursday, October 23, 2008

#### 7:00–8:00 am

#### **Registration & Continental Breakfast**

#### 8:00–10:00 am

#### Former Surgeons General Keynote Panel

 Confronting Childhood Obesity in America: Implications for Health Policy and Health Justice

#### 10:00-10:30 am

#### **Break/Exhibits**

#### 10:30 am-12:00

#### Concurrent A Sessions: (Choose One)

- Innovation in Oral Health Access
- Immediate and Long Term Solutions to the Healthcare Professional Shortage in America
- Patient Centered Care...and Provider Retention
- Promotion of Health Justice in Research
- U.S. Immigration Policy and Human Rights: Implication for the Health and Safety of Immigrant Workers
- Advocating Effectively for the Underserved

#### 12:00-1:15 p.m.

#### Lunch

#### 1:30-3:00 p.m.

#### Concurrent B Sessions: (Choose One)

- Student-Run Initiatives to Build Healthcare Access
- The Healthcare Impact of Stigmatization on Individuals with Disabilities
- Health Care Innovations Exchange
- Emergent Integrative Health Services for Community Health Center Patients
- Common Ground, Common Good, Common Sense: A Process for Developing Health Care Reform
- Advancing Healthcare for Those Most at Risk

#### 3:00-3:30 p.m.

#### **Break/Exhibits**

#### 3:30–5:30 p.m.

#### Plenary Session: Fostering Justice in Healthcare

- *Kitty Ernst, CNM*—One Birth at a Time: How Midwives are Making the World a Better Place
- Eduardo Sanchez, MD, MPH—Harnessing a Passion for Change: The Clinicians' Role in Promoting Health Justice

#### 5:30-7:00 p.m.

Reception

#### ▼ October, 24, 2008

#### 7:00–8:00 am

#### **Registration & Continental Breakfast**

#### 8:00–9:30 am

#### Plenary Session: Voices for Change

- Don Warne, MD. MPH—American Indian Health Policy and Health Disparities
- John Rich, MD—Trauma, Urban Violence and African American Men: Envisioning New Pathways to Healing

#### 9:30–10:00 am

#### **Break/Exhibits**

#### 10:00 am-11:30 am

#### **Concurrent C Sessions: (Choose One)**

- Health Risk at the End of the Occupational Stream
- Understanding and Preventing Compassion Fatigue
- Harnessing Technology for Good
- Tobacco Cessation in Underserved Populations: "Clinical Pearls"
- Hot Topics in Primary Care
- The Primary Care Shortage: Symptom of Societal Problems

#### 11:30–1:15 p.m.

#### Lunch Speaker

• Ellen Beck, MD—Renewing Ourselves

#### 1:30-3:00 p.m.

#### **Concurrent D Sessions: (Choose One)**

- Birthing Options: Advancing Reproductive Services for Those In Need
- Improving Healthcare Access for Commercial Sex Workers and Sexually Exploited Minors
- Fighting for Healthcare Justice in Newly Emerging Communities
- Serving the Unique Needs of Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Communities
- Talking the Talk: Serving People with Limited English Proficiency in the Health Care Setting
- Reshaping the Public Health Landscape to Break Down Barriers to Health Equity

#### 3:00-3:30 p.m.

Break/Exhibits

#### 3:30–5:30 p.m.

#### **Plenary Session: Finding our Strength**

- *Jack Geiger, MD*—How Far We Have Come: Changing the Face of Health Care
- Lawrence Brown, PbD—The Amazing Non-Collapsing U.S. Healthcare System
- Gloria Wilder, MD, MPH—Five Keys To Social Justice

#### 6:30-9:00

Vigil for Healthcare Justice—Downtown DC

## Registration

#### Registration Fees for the National Summit of Clinicians for Healthcare Justice are as follows:

Clinical Network	Member	Non-Member	Student	
Early Registration (Deadline September 15th, 2008)	\$200	\$300	\$50	
Late Registration (after September 15th, 2008)	\$250	\$350	\$50	
Onsite Registration	\$350	\$450	\$50	
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#### Are you a member of a clinical network? If so, which one?

- □ National Center for Primary Care □ National Association of Community Health Centers □ National Network for Oral Health Access Clinical Directors Network Association of Asian Pacific Community Health Organizations D Midwest Clinicians Network
- New England Clinicians Forum
- □ The Region IX Western Clinicians Network

#### How did you hear about this event?

Internet	Direct mail	🖵 Mag
Advertisement	Word of mouth	🗅 NA

#### Are you a presenter?

🖵 Yes 🗆 No

#### Are you an exhibitor?

Yes 🖵 No

Pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act, do you require specific aids or services?

🖵 No 🖵 Yes

Do you have any dietary restrictions?

🗆 Yes 🗆 No

#### Hotel

Washington Hilton, 1919 Connecticut Avenue NW, Washington, DC

Tel: 1-202-483-3000 • Fax: 1-202-232-0438 Check in 3:00 p.m. • check out 12:00 p.m. Reservation deadline: September 19, 2008 **Room rate:** \$249 (request rate for National Center for Primary Care)

□ Migrant Clinicians Network Association of Clinicians for the Underserved Health Care for the Homeless Clinicians' Network

□ Southeast Regional Clinicians Network

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#### Lawrence Brown, PhD—Professor of Health Policy and Management in the Mailman School of Public Health at Columbia University

Dr. Brown is the author of Politics and Health Care Organization: HMOs as Federal Policy (Brookings Institution, 1983) and of many articles on the political dimensions of community cost containment, expansion of coverage for the uninsured, national health reform, the role of analysis in the formation of health policy, and cross-national health policy. Dr. Brown edited the Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law for five years and received a Robert Wood Johnson Investigator Award in 2004.

#### John Rich, MD—Professor, Chair, Department of Health Management and Policy, Drexel University

John Rich is a physician, scholar, and a leader in addressing the health care needs of one of the nation's most ignored and underserved populations—African-American men in urban settings. By linking economic health, mental health, and educational and employment opportunities to physical well-being, Rich's work on black men's health is influencing policy discussions and health practice throughout the United States. Dr. Rich is a 2006 recipient of the MacArthur Fellowship.

#### Donald Warne, MD, MPH—Clinical Professor at the Arizona State University Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law

Dr. Warne teaches American Indian Health Policy and is assisting in the development of the American Indian Policy and Leadership Development Center at Arizona State University. He is a member of the Oglala Lakota tribe from Pine Ridge, South Dakota and comes from a long line of traditional healers and medicine men. He received his MD from Stanford University in 1995 and his Master of Public Health from Harvard University with a concentration in health policy in 2002. Dr. Warne is a Certified Diabetes Educator (CDE), and he is a Diplomate of both the American Board of Family Practice and the American Board of Medical Acupuncture.

#### Gloria Wilder, MD, MPH—President and CEO, CORE Health, Washington, DC

Raised by a single mother in Bedford Stuyvesent, a poor Brooklyn neighborhood, Dr. Gloria Wilder grew up relying on welfare, Medicaid and other forms of public assistance, including a public clinic for medical care. These memories fueled her motivation to become a doctor. She earned her master's degree in public health from George Washington University and her doctor of medicine degree from the Georgetown University School of Medicine. Today, she is the President and CEO of CORE Health, a community driven social justice solutions company focused on community wellness and economic development. In 2002, she received the "Use Your Life Award" from Oprah's Angel Network, which recognizes organizations and individuals that are reaching out to others and making a difference

## Continuing Education

The Clinical Regional Advisory Network, Region III, Inc (CRAN) is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Delaware Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

Application for CME credit has been filed with the American Academy of Family Physicians. Determination of credit is pending.

Sponsored by the Migrant Clinicians Network, a designated provider of continuing education contact hours (CECH) in health education by the National Commission for Health Education Credentialing, Inc. This program is a designated event for the CHES to receive up to 13 Category I contact hours in health education