



2008 Policy Summit and Member Retreat

December 8-10, 2008

The Conrad, 1395 Brickell Ave, Miami, FL

Information at a Glance

About the Event

The 2008 Policy Summit and Member Retreat feature a series of invitational meetings occurring **December 8-10, 2008 at the Conrad in Miami, Florida**. These include meetings of the Task Force on Health Reform, the State Legislative Liaisons, and ASTHO's seven Policy Committees; a retreat for State and Territorial Health Officials; and the quarterly meeting of ASTHO's Executive Committee. This sequence of events facilitates development of ASTHO's policy strategy for the 12-18 months that follow.

Logistics

With cooperative agreement and grant from the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) and the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF), **ASTHO will cover round trip economy airfare, hotel, and other travel expenses to facilitate participation in these events by ASTHO's members, other health agency staff serving on ASTHO Policy Committees, and the State Legislative Liaisons.** ASTHO thanks the CDC, HRSA, and RWJF for their support.

Please [click here](#) for information to assist you in registering for the event and making your travel arrangements.

Schedule of Events

Click the meeting name to see agenda

Monday, December 8

8:00AM-12:00PM [Task Force on Health Reform](#)

1:30PM-5:30PM Policy Committee Meetings

- [Access](#)
- [Environmental Health](#)
- [Infectious Disease](#)
- [Informatics](#)
- [Performance](#)
- [Preparedness](#)
- [Prevention](#)

[State Legislative Liaisons Meeting](#)

6:00PM-8:00PM Networking Dinner

Tuesday, December 9

- 6:30AM-7:00AM Wellness Walk/Run
- 7:30AM-8:00AM Breakfast Available
- 8:00AM-11:30AM Policy Committee Meetings (cont'd)
- [Access](#)
 - [Environmental Health](#)
 - [Infectious Disease](#)
 - [Informatics](#)
 - [Performance](#)
 - [Preparedness](#)
 - [Prevention](#)
- [State Legislative Liaisons Meeting](#) (cont'd)
- 12:00PM-2:30PM Working Lunch: Policy Summit Closing Session
- 2:30PM-3:00PM Wellness Walk/Run
- 3:30PM-6:00 PM State and Territorial Health Official Retreat
- 6:30PM-9:00PM State and Territorial Health Official Reception and Dinner
- Public Health Leaders Tell Their Stories—Barbara DeBuono (Alumna, NY, RI) and Hugh Tilson (Alumnus, NC)

Wednesday, December 10

- 6:30AM-7:00AM Wellness Walk/Run
- 7:30AM-8:00AM Breakfast Available
- 8:00AM-12:30PM State and Territorial Health Official Retreat (cont'd)
- 1:00PM-4:00PM Executive Committee Meeting