

SLO Healthcare Workforce Forum

October 30, 2024

AGENDA

- 11:00am to 12:00pm **Registration, Lunch, & Networking**
- 12:00pm to 12:45pm **Welcome, Introductions, Partnership Overview & Research:**
Michelle Shoresman, Public Health
Susan McGraw, Partnership Coordinator
- 12:45pm to 1:30pm **Funding & Advocacy Panel with Q&A:**
* **Federal:** Yessenia Echevarria, Congressman Salud Carbajal's Office
* **State:** Jeff Oxendine, Health Career Connection
* **Region:** Lady Freire, UPLIFT Central Coast
- 1:30pm to 1:45pm **Break**
- 1:45pm to 2:30pm **Healthcare Recruitment & Retention Challenges & Strategies:**
* Dawn Boulanger: Workforce Development Board
* Matt Briskin, The Chartis Group
- 2:30pm to 2:45pm **Break**
- 2:45pm to 3:15pm **Healthcare Career Pathways in SLO County:**
* Oscar Ramos, Cuesta College
* Aydin Nazmi, Cal Poly
* Eric Sauers, A.T. Still University
* Jennifer Clayton, SLO Partners/SLOCOE
* Jeff Oxendine, Health Career Connections
- 3:15pm to 3:30pm **Closing**

4:00 to 6:00pm

“SLO County Career & College Night”

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