

**April 10, 2026 | Anaheim, CA**

8:00 am – 9:00 am	Welcome/Registration/Breakfast			
9:00 am – 10:00 am	Keynote Speaker: To Be Announced			
10:00 am – 10:15 am	Morning Break - Meet the Exhibitors			
10:15 am – 11:45 am	<b>Policy &amp; Advocacy</b>	<b>Health Center Optimization</b>	<b>Workforce</b>	<b>Clinical Operations</b>
	<b>From Clinic to Community: Empowering Health Care Providers to Lead Conversations that Build Trust (10:45 – 11:45 am)</b>  Dr. Ilan Shapiro, AltaMed Health Services	<b>What's Up with Medi-Cal?</b>  Curt Degenfelder, Curt Degenfelder Health	<b>Build a Better Team: Organizational Design Strategies that Promote Resilience and Retention (10:30 – 11:30 am)</b>  Andy Eck and Deanna Drake, Facktor Healthcare Consulting and Monica Gutierrez-McCarthy, Eisner Health	<b>Innovating Injustice: AI's Impact on Patients' Lives</b>  Kevin De Liban, Techtonic Justice and Connie Lo, Asian Americans Advancing Justice Southern California
11:45 am – 1:00 pm	Lunch Break with the Exhibitors			
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm	<b>Policy Hot Topics</b>  Joanne Preece, CCALAC; Aurora Garcia-Barrera, Coalition of Orange County Community Health Centers; and Dennis Cuevas-Romero, California Primary Care Association	<b>Bridging Coverage, Trust, and Retention: Designing Sustainable Medicare Growth for Community Health Centers</b>  Johanna Cazares, Alcar Health and Giovanni Perez, Northeast Valley Health Corporation	<b>From Surviving to Leading: Building Emotional Resilience and Adaptive Capacity for Middle Managers</b>  Dr. Emily Ptaszek and Natalie Martin, Elevation Health Partners	<b>Care Coordination: Health Related Social Needs and Enhanced Visit Adherence</b>  Cassia Brockway, Elevation Health Partners; Deanna Newman, CCALAC; and Jared Friedman, Saban Community Clinic
2:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Snack Break with the Exhibitors			
3:00 pm – 4:30 pm	<b>SESSION TO BE ANNOUNCED</b>	<b>Preparing for the Longevity Age: Optimizing FQHC Medicare Reimbursement</b>  Ben Leroi and Nathan Smith, Wipfli, LLC and Elizabeth Meisler, St. John's Community Health	<b>Scorekeeper to Strategist, the Changing Role of the CFO</b>  Rebecca Barrientos, Christy Yoakum and Scott Gold, Forvis Mazars	<b>Breaking Barriers in Diabetes Care: Improved Outcomes through Integration of Clinical and Social Support in a Low-Income Community</b>  Dr. Yohanna Barth-Rogers and Jennifer Garcia, UMMA Health