



Center for Rural
Health Innovation
A BioSTL Initiative

Rural Health Summit Agenda

Wednesday, October 7: Summit

Location: Knight Center

- 2:00-2:45pm ● Registration Check In
- 2:45-3:15pm ● Welcome Comments
Center for Rural Health Innovation & Summit Intro
- 3:15-4:00pm ● RHTP Program Updates – multiple States
- 4:00-4:45pm ● How Kansas' CCA convened rural providers, improved quality and built a high performing CIN
CCA Leadership – Dr. Bob Moser, Jodi Schmidt, Martie Ross, Univ. of Kansas Health System
- 4:45-5:00pm ● Rural Transportation Solution: How OK improved outcomes, provider revenues and lowered costs
William Paiva, Founder & Executive Director, Center for Health Systems Implementation at OSU
- 5:00-5:15pm ● How Arkansas Rural Health Partnership (ARHP) is Transforming Rural Health in Arkansas
Mellie Boagni, CEO, President, & Founder, ARHP
- 5:15-5:30pm ● Transition to Keynote
- 5:30-6:00pm ● Keynote Address: CMS & Congressional Representatives
- 6:00-7:30pm ● Reception



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Thursday, October 8: Rural Health Program

Location: Knight Center

- 7:30-8:00am ● Networking Breakfast
- 8:00-8:30am ● National Keynote Speaker
- 8:30-9:15am ● Rural Case Studies: Highlights – Sign posting Poster Sessions
 - Food as Medicine
 - AI-Driven Neonatal Diagnostics
 - Arkansas Healthcare Workforce Development
 - Orchestrating Transitions of Care in Rural Setting
- 9:15-10:15am ● Transforming Rural Primary Care w/AI: Ochsner Health Speaker TBD
- 10:15-10:45am ● Networking Break
- 10:45am-12:00pm ● Rural Innovator Pitches – Session 1
- 12:15-1:15pm ● Networking Lunch
- 1:30-2:30pm ● How Improving Access to Health Related Social Needs Creates Value for Rural Citizens, Communities, Hospitals, and Payers: NC case study
- 2:30-3:00pm ● Networking Break
- 3:00-4:15pm ● Rural Innovator Pitches – Session 2
- 4:15-4:30pm ● Networking Break
- 4:30-5:00pm ● From Summit to RHTP Year 2 Outcomes: CRHI Role Plan and Next Steps