How Will Deficit Reduction Impact on the Health Care System?

The Fairmont Washington, D.C., 2401 M Street NW, Washington, DC, 20037

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9:30 a.m.  Continental Breakfast

10:00 a.m.  Introduction

Stuart Altman, Ph.D., Professor of National Health Policy, Brandeis University

10:15 a.m.  Long-run options for reducing the deficit and controlling federal health care spending

Robert Reischauer, Ph.D., President, The Urban Institute

10:30 a.m.  Discussion of deficit reduction options

11:30 a.m.  Break

11:45 a.m.  Implications of long-term deficit reduction options for the health care system

John Rowe, M.D., Professor, Columbia University, Mailman School of Public Health

12:00 p.m.  Discussion of health system implications

1:00 p.m.  Lunch

1:15 p.m.  Discussion and options for informing the ongoing debate

Stuart Altman, Ph.D., Professor of National Health Policy, Brandeis University

2:00 p.m.  Meeting adjourns