



As of March 22, 2022

2022 Schedule of Events

Monday, March 21

11:00am – 11:15am	Welcome and State of the Field Anthony Cuzzola, AMRPA Board Chairman and Vice President, JFK Johnson Rehabilitation Institute
11:15am – 11:45am	Policy Headlines Kate Beller, JD, Executive Vice President for Policy Development & Government Relations, AMRPA
11:45am – 12:30pm	Biden Administration Priorities on Disability and Rehabilitation Research Dr. Anjali Forber-Pratt, Director, National Institute on Disability, Independent Living, and Rehabilitation Research (NIDILRR), Administration for Community Living, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
12:30pm – 1:15pm	IRF Review Choice Demo and Other Updates from the CMS Center for Program Integrity Connie Leonard, Director of the Division of Recovery Audit Operations, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
1:15pm – 1:45pm	IRF Payment & Quality Updates Dr. Susanne Seagrave, Deputy Director, Division of Institutional Post-Acute Care, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
1:45pm – 2:30pm	Biden Administration Burden Reduction Initiatives Stella Mandl, Deputy Director, Office of Burden Reduction & Health Informatics, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
2:30pm – 2:45pm	Break
2:45pm – 3:15pm	AMRPA Legislative Priorities in 2022 Kristen O'Brien, JD, Vice President, McDermott Plus Consulting Debbie Curtis, Vice President, McDermott Plus Consulting
3:15pm – 3:30pm	Remarks from U.S. Representative Jim Langevin U.S. Representative Jim Langevin (D-R)
3:30pm	Closing Remarks

Tuesday, March 22

9:00am – 9:30am	Prep Session for Virtual Congressional Office Visits Kristen O'Brien, JD, Vice President, McDermott Plus Consulting Anne Marie McDonough, Senior Director of Rehab Medicine, Northwell Health
10:00am – 10:15am	Welcome to Day 2 and Presentation of the 2022 Chairman's Award and Remarks Anthony Cuzzola, AMRPA Board Chairman and Vice President, JFK Johnson Rehabilitation Institute U.S. Representative Brad Wenstrup (OH-2)
10:30am – 5:00pm	Virtual Congressional Office Visits – Prior Registration Required
5:15pm – 5:30pm	Presentation of the 2022 Chairman's Award and Remarks U.S. Senator Bill Cassidy (LA)
5:30pm – 6:00pm	Debrief on Virtual Congressional Office Visits

Wednesday, March 23

11:00am – 11:15am	Welcome to Day 3 Anthony Cuzzola, AMRPA Board Chairman and Vice President, JFK Johnson Rehabilitation Institute
11:15am – 11:45am	Research Summary – Role of Inpatient Rehabilitation Hospitals During the COVID-19 Pandemic Tyler Cromer, Principal, ATI Advisory Conner Esworthy, Advisor, ATI Advisory
11:45am – 12:30pm	Panel – Role of Inpatient Rehabilitation Hospitals During the COVID-19 Pandemic Chris Lee, Vice President Chief Operations Officer, Madonna Rehabilitation Hospital Rhonda Abbott, Senior Vice President and CEO, TIRR Memorial Hermann Doug Baer, President and CEO, Brooks Rehabilitation Hospital Dr. Mooyeon Oh-Park, Chief Medical Officer, Burke Rehabilitation Hospital Joyal Pavey, Vice President, Advisory Group, Mary Free Bed Rehabilitation Hospital
12:30pm – 1:00pm	View from Capitol Hill Rachel Dolin, Professional Staff, Committee on Ways and Means, Subcommittee on Health, Majority Staff
1:00pm – 1:15pm	Break
1:15pm – 1:45pm	Spring Statistics from eRehabData® Sam Fleming, President, Fleming-AOD
1:45pm – 2:30pm	Medicare and OIG Audits of IRF Claims: Seeking a Meeting of the Minds on the "Goldilocks" Problem Peter Thomas, JD, Managing Partner, Powers Firm Ronald Connelly, JD, Principal, Powers Law Firm
2:30pm – 2:45pm	Closing Remarks Anthony Cuzzola, AMRPA Board Chairman and Vice President, JFK Johnson Rehabilitation Institute