



**NATIONAL HISPANIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION
HISPANIC HEALTH CONGRESSIONAL BRIEFING SERIES
Part Two of a Four Part Series
“DIVERSITY IN THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS”
Dirksen Senate Office Building, Room 106
Washington, DC
Wednesday, September 24, 2003**

AGENDA

12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Welcome and Opening Remarks

- Elena Rios, M.D., M.S.P.H.
President & Chief Executive Officer
National Hispanic Medical Association
- Congressman Ciro Rodriguez (D-TX) - Invited
Chairman, Congressional Hispanic Caucus
- Senator Bill Frist (R-TN) – Invited
Senate Majority Leader
- Senator Elizabeth Dole (R-NC) – Invited
- Senator Judd Gregg (R-RI) – Invited
- Senator Edward Kennedy (D-MA) – Invited

12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Strategies to Recruit Hispanics to the Health Professions

- Nathan Stinson, Jr., M.D., Ph.D.
Director, Office of Minority Health
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

- Fernando Mendoza, M.D., M.P.H.
Associate Dean
Stanford University School of Medicine
President
Hispanic-Serving Health Professions Schools, Inc.
- Nilda Peragallo, Dr.P.H., R.N., F.A.A.N.
Dean and Professor
University of Miami School of Nursing
President
National Association of Hispanic Nurses
- Ivan Lugo, D.M.D., M.B.A.
Associate Dean for Institutional Relations &
Community Affairs
Temple University School of Dentistry
President, Hispanic Dental Association

1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Questions and Answers

2:00 p.m.

Adjournment

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