



# California Health Care Foundation

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## Launch of California's Office of Health Care Affordability

Wednesday, November 30, 2022

Hybrid: In-person/Zoom event

11:00 AM–12:30 PM (PT)

- 11:00 **Welcome**  
Kara Carter, MBA, MSc, Senior Vice President, Strategy and Programs, California Health Care Foundation (CHCF)
- 11:05 **Overview and Introductions**  
Kristof Stremikis, MPP, MPH, Director, Market Analysis and Insight, CHCF
- 11:10 **Addressing Affordability Challenges, and OHCA Implementation and Plans**
- Elizabeth Landsberg, JD, Director, Department of Health Care Access and Information (HCAI)
  - Vishaal Pegany, MPH, MPP, Deputy Director, Office of Health Care Affordability (OHCA), HCAI
- 11:30 **Moderated Industry Panel**
- Barry Arbuckle, PhD, President and CEO, MemorialCare
  - Hector Flores, MD, Medical Director, Family Care Specialists Medical Group
  - Millie Virgil, MBA, Senior Vice President, Transformation, Operations, and Customer Experience, Blue Shield of California
- 12:10 **Audience Q&A**
- 12:25 **Closing Remarks**
- 12:30 **Adjourn**

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