

**National Association of State Veterans Homes  
Winter Conference, Alexandria, Virginia  
February 12 - February 15 , 2018  
Agenda**

<b>Day</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Item/ Topic</b>	<b>Speaker</b>	<b>CEU's</b>
Sun.	2/11/18		Travel Day for Executive Committee		
Mon.	2/12/18		Travel Day for Members		
		9:00 - 12:00	Executive Committee Meeting Open to all Association Members	Sharon L. Murphy NASVH President	
		12:00 - 1:00	Lunch		
		1:00 - 4:00	Conference Registration		
		1:00 - 3:00	Liaison Committee Meeting Open to all Association Members	Brad Slagle Chairman, Liaison Committee	
		3:30 - 4:30	NASVH Administrators Update	Kelley Kash NASVH 1st Vice President	1
		5:30 - 6:30	Hotel Manager's Reception		
		7:30 - 9:30	Networking Reception		
Tues.	2/13/18	8:00 - 5:00	Conference Registration		
		8:00 - 8:30	Standing Committee Meetings	Individual Chairs	
		8:30 - 8:45	Welcome and Opening Ceremonies	Sharon L. Murphy NASVH President	
		8:45 - 9:45	2018 VA Initiatives	David J. Shulkin, M.D. Secretary of Veterans Affairs	1
		9:45 - 10:00	Break		
		10:00 - 12:00	Leadership: Embrace Your Awesomeness - Leading to reaching your employees' potential	Brad Montgomery Motivational Speaker	2

12:00 - 1:00	LUNCH			
1:00 - 2:30	<p>VA Updates:</p> <p>1. VA Bright Spots Program</p> <p>2. State Home Per Diem Program Update</p> <p>State Home Construction Grant Program Update</p> <p>4. 2017 State Veterans Homes VA Survey Update</p>	3.	<p>Lisa Minor</p> <p>Director, Facility Based Programs</p> <p>VHA GEC Operations</p>	1.5
2:30 - 2:45	Break			
2:45 - 3:45	The 2018 Congress: A Legislative Update & NASVH Initiatives		<p>Peter Dickinson</p> <p>Legislative Consultant</p> <p>Fred Sganga, FACHE</p> <p>NASVH Legislative Officer</p>	1
3:45 - 4:30	Regional Meetings		Regional Directors	
4:30 - 6:00	NASVH Business Meeting		<p>Sharon L. Murphy</p> <p>NASVH President</p>	
6:00 - 6:15	Closing Comments for the Day		<p>Sharon L. Murphy</p> <p>NASVH President</p>	
8:00 - 10:00	NASVH Networking Reception			

Wed.	2/14/18	9:00 - 5:00	Capitol Hill Visits		
		1:00 - 3:30	<p>Chief Financial Officers Breakout Meeting</p> <p>Topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Full Cost of Care Residents <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Transportation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Special mode</li> <li>- Emergency</li> <li>- Routine</li> </ul> </li> <li>o High Cost Medication Survey - Update</li> <li>o Physician costs</li> <li>o Other issues?</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Eligibility Requirements (active duty)</li> <li>• VA Master Tracking Log – Questions for the VA?</li> <li>• Bed Hold - When can a resident be charged for a bed hold? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provider Agreement Legislation</li> <li>• Construction Grant Program Update</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Payroll Based Journal (PBJ) Requirement <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Timeline for impact on 5-star rating <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Medicare Payment Changes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o RCS proposed system.</li> <li>o Impact Future Full Cost of Care rate?</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> <li>• Proposed DOM Regulations and financial impact on states <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Questions for the VA</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>Pat D. Rocco, Jr.  Chief Financial Officer  Long Island State Veterans Home  Jason McArthur  Chief Financial Officer  Westcare Management, Inc  Oregon State Veterans Home</p>	
		5:00 - 7:00	NASVH Legislator of the Year Award Presentation	Cannon House Office Building Room 334 Veterans' Affairs Committee Room	

Thur.	2/15/18	8:30 - 10:00	The Great Eight: The Future of C.A.R.E. 8 key areas of focus for SNF operational, clinical and quality success Highlights of the New Long Term Care Survey Process	Kris Mastrangelo President & CEO Harmony Healthcare International	1.5
		10:00 - 10:15	Break		
		10:30 - 12:00	Five Conflict Resolution Styles and When to Use Them	George Watson, Principal Four D Consulting	1.5
		12:00 - 1:00	Lunch - Grab & Go Boxed Lunch		
		1:00 - 2:30	Reimbursement Changes - RCS-1 Resident Classification System Medicare SNF Part A	Michael Sciacca, MHA, MPT Partner, Director of Operations Zimmet Healthcare Services Group Michael Webb CCC-SLP, MHA Chief Executive Officer Language Fundamentals	1.5
		2:30 - 2:45	Break		
		2:45 - 4:15	CMS Emergency Preparedness Regulations - Lessons in Surviving an Audit	Patrick Hardy LL.M., CEM, CRM, PEM President, Hytropy	1.5

		4:15 - 4:30	Break		
		4:30 - 5:00	Report from Capitol Hill Visits	Fred Sganga, FACHE NASVH Legislative Officer	
		5:00 - 5:15	Closing Ceremonies	Sharon L. Murphy NASVH President	
		5:30 - 7:30	Hotel Manager's Reception		
		7:30 - 9:30	Networking Reception		
Fri.	2/16/18		Travel Day		
Total CEU's					12.5