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DOTH 2012 Countdown – 4 Weeks to Go!

Thank you for registering for Day on the Hill 2012! By now, you're actively pursuing Senate visits and as many appointments with U.S. Representatives from your state as possible for visits on March 1st (and earlier dates if you are arriving for more than one day of appointments).

Of particular importance are those members who serve on the [Senate Finance Committee](#), and the [House Ways & Means](#) and/or [Energy & Commerce Committees](#). These are the committees responsible for bills that deal with the Medicare program. That doesn't mean it is not beneficial to meet with your representatives who are not on these committees-those relationships have opened many doors in the past related to our specific issues.

Please coordinate with those coming from your state in arranging your two Senate appointments. If you don't know if others from your state are traveling to DOTH, your affiliate leadership can provide you with that information.

We have a Senate bill number, **S.2057**, and are actively seeking introduction of a companion bill in the US House. The language in this bill will be posted on the DOTH page soon. Talking points are also being developed and will be posted with ample time for you to be familiar with the material. These will be discussed on the attendee conference call scheduled for February 21, 2012 at 1 pm ET.

Instructions regarding making your appointments is posted on the [DOTH page](#), as are other pieces of information you will find helpful. Please don't hesitate to email or call me if you have any questions or suggestions as you prepare for DOTH 2012.

If you have not booked your hotel, please do so by February 9. [Click here](#) for hotel information.

Thanks,
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