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**NOTICE OF MEETING and AGENDA
Communication and Public Education Committee
Subcommittee on Medicare Drug Benefit Plans**

Public Forum on Medicare Part D Plans

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**Time: 9:30 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Date: March 30, 2007
Place: Samuel Greenberg Board Meeting Room
(Los Angeles International Airport) – see detailed directions below
1 World Way
Los Angeles, California 90045.**

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Opportunities are provided for public comment on each agenda item.

Purpose: *A discussion among stakeholders and policy makers on issues impacting the quality of services provided to patients under the Medicare Modernization Act's Prescription Drug Plans for California patients.*

- A. Call to Order 9:30 a.m.**
- B. Medicare Part D Implementation – Issues and Comments
from Patient Advocates**
- C. Issues Involving Specialized Settings (e.g., Long-Term Care,
Infusion Pharmacies)**
- D. Comments from Part D Plan Providers**
- E. Perspectives of the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services**
- F. Open Discussion and Problem Solving on General Items of Interest**
- G. Adjournment 3 p.m.**

There will be a break for lunch at a time at the discretion of the committee chair.

Detailed Directions to the Meeting Location:

The address for the meeting is:

Samuel Greenberg Board Room.

1 World Way

Los Angeles, California 90045

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