

In recognition of *Florida Health Information Technology (HIT) Week*,
please join the Officers and Members of the
Florida Healthcare Information Management Systems Society (HIMSS)

for its

2017 HIT Advocacy Days at the CAPITOL

March 27 & 28, 2017
Tallahassee, Florida



Agenda

Monday, March 27th at 6:00 pm

Andrew's 228 Restaurant

228 South Adams Street, Tallahassee FL

Enjoy dinner and speakers

Tuesday, March 28th at 8:00 am

Tallahassee Community College Capitol Center

300 W. Pensacola Street, Tallahassee FL

During morning breakfast listen to Nationally recognized Speakers.

The afternoon will start with a tour of the Capitol and personalized meetings with our Florida Law Makers. Be part of this exciting event!

Expected to Speak:

- Molly McKinstry, Deputy Secretary of Health Quality Assurance at the Agency for Healthcare Administration (AHCA)
- Tiffany Eggers, Assistant United States Attorney
- Dr. Gerald Macciolo, Director of Medical Quality, Sheridan Healthcare

The importance of connecting with the business sector of our government cannot be underestimated. The health IT industry is a leading driver of the change in Healthcare in Florida. Make sure that the voices of the Health IT community are heard.

REGISTER TO ATTEND

- \$100 per person
- Click here to [REGISTER](#) on EventBrite.com
- Event Name "2017 Florida HIT Days in Tallahassee"

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Looking to Participate?

Join the Florida Advocacy Committee

What Does the Committee Do?

- o Serve as a liaison between HIMSS and state government agencies that relate to mission.
- o Communicate the HIMSS vision, mission, and priorities to state and local policy makers.
- o Coordinate advocacy related Chapter programs.
- o Organize visits and other avenues of communication with regional, state and federal elected officials
- o Educate elected officials, policy makers, and their staff about key healthcare information technology issues.
- o Encourage chapter members to contact their elected official on issues of import to the HIMSS.
- o Develop state-level strategies to support HIMSS policy and legislative priorities.

Interested in Joining?

Contact the one of the following people for more information:

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CENTRAL & NORTH FLORIDA Chapter

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Welcome you to HIT Advocacy Days at the Capitol



EVENT AGENDA

Day 1

Monday, March 27th: 5:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.
Welcome Reception and Dinner, Andrew's 228 Restaurant

- 6:00 p.m. **Welcoming Remarks**
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| Bill Blewitt | Advocacy Chair, HIMSS Central and North Florida Chapter |
| Kendall Brown | Advocacy Chair, HIMSS South Florida Chapter |
| Erik Pupo | Advocacy Co-Chair, HIMSS South Florida Chapter |
- 6:15 p.m. **Presenting Sponsor Remarks - TBD**
- 6:25 p.m. **Healthcare Policy Topics Moving Through the Legislative Process**
Jose Diaz, Principal, Robert M. Levy & Associates

Day 2

Tuesday March 28th: 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Tallahassee Community College Capitol Center and Florida State Capitol

- 7:30 a.m. HIT Policy Breakfast for HIMSS Members, Legislators, and Legislative Staff
- 8:00 a.m. Introductions and Recognitions
- 8:15 a.m. **The State of Florida's Advances in Supporting the Use of HIT**
Molly McKinstry, Deputy Secretary, Agency for Health Care Administration, Division of Health Quality Assurance
- 9:15 a.m. Break
- 9:30 a.m. **Fraud in the Healthcare Setting**
Tiffany Eggers, Assistant United States Attorney, United States Attorney's Office
- 10:30 a.m. **Quality Payment Programs, MACRA and MIPS**
Dr. Gerald Maccioli
- 11:30 a.m. Review and prepare for the journey over to the State Capitol to meet with Senators and State Representatives
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch at the Capitol
- 1:30 p.m. Guided Tour of the Capitol
Attend Legislative Committee Meetings
Meet with Senate Members
Meet with House Members
Senator Garcia presents the Senate Resolution recognizing March 27-April 2, 2017 as HIT Week in Florida.

HIT Advocacy Days at the Capitol is a collaborative effort between the Central, North, & South Florida Chapters of HIMSS