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HEALTH POLICY *forum*

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What is the Baker Institute Health Policy Forum?

The Health Policy Forum at Rice University's Baker Institute for Public Policy is a membership-based group whose corporate and private contributors help support the health policy research performed by the institute's Center for Health and Biosciences (CHB). The Baker Institute is across the street from the Texas Medical Center (TMC), the nation's largest medical complex. Drawing on the expertise of both Rice University and the TMC, the forum offers a unique setting for medical and policy professionals to address issues of growing concern encompassing three major research themes: U.S. health care, global health and the future of medicine. Within these three areas, research questions capitalize on our fellows' and scholars' expertise on specific topics, including health economics, cancer care policy, maternal and child health, neglected tropical diseases and biomedical research policy.

In the tradition of the Baker Institute, the CHB publishes studies and hosts workshops, seminars and lectures on a wide variety of topics, including national health care reform, efforts to achieve efficient and high quality health care, neglected tropical diseases, telehealth and evaluations of complex medical technologies. The CHB also provides objective analysis of health reform proposals. Corporate and private support through the Health Policy Forum is vital to the effort to expand the scope of the center.

Annual membership gifts to the Health Policy Forum support research, fellows, scholars, research associates and other CHB staff. You may designate which area of study your contribution will support: domestic policy, global policy or both.

BECOME A MEMBER OF THE HEALTH POLICY FORUM

Individual Membership — \$1,500

Cost of benefit received: \$100. Tax-deductible contribution: \$1,400.

Entitles one person and a guest to the benefits below.

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Entitles eight representatives to the benefits below.

Benefits

- Invitations and priority seating for all health policy-related events at the Baker Institute.
- Annual luncheon and briefing on national health care reform featuring a Baker Institute health policy fellow.
- Invitation to an annual fall reception featuring Baker Institute fellows and scholars.
- Complimentary copies of all health economics and policy publications produced by the Baker Institute, and the quarterly Health Policy Research Newsletter.
- Complimentary copies of the Baker Institute's annual report.
- Recognition in Baker Institute Center for Health and Biosciences invitations and event programs, as well as on the Health Policy Forum website.
- Ability to designate your funds to support the CHB's work on domestic health issues, global health issues, or both.

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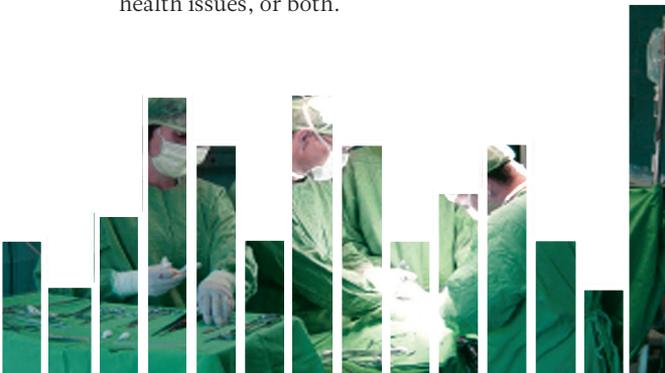
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