



## Working for You: RIMS advocacy activities

### January 2, Tuesday

RIMS Physician Health Committee (PHC):  
**Herb Rakatansky, MD**, Chair

### January 8, Monday

RIMS Council meeting:  
**Heather Smith, MD, MPH**, President  
Protect our Health Care Policy Group:  
Stacy Paterno, staff

### January 9, Tuesday

AMA Medicare Payment Update:  
Stacy Paterno, staff

### January 10, Wednesday

Rhode Island Department of Health (RIDOH) Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline (BMLD): Stacy Paterno, staff  
Governor's Overdose Intervention and Prevention Task Force:  
**Sarah Fessler, MD**, Past President  
CTC-RI Primary Care Workforce Taskforce Meeting: Past Presidents **Peter Hollmann, MD**; **Elizabeth Lange, MD**; and **Mariah Stump, MD, MPH**, Secretary  
Neighborhood Health Plan of Rhode Island Quarterly Meeting:  
**Heather Smith, MD, MPH**

### January 11, Thursday

Medicaid Consumer Advisory:  
Stacy Paterno, staff  
Raising RI Monthly Update:  
Stacy Paterno, staff  
Meeting with Senator Whitehouse Staff:  
Stacy Paterno, staff  
American Academy of Neurology Introduction:  
Stacy Paterno, staff

### January 16, Tuesday

EPI Revenue Roundtable:  
Stacy Paterno, staff  
Office of Health Insurance Commissioner Health Insurance Advisory Council:  
**Catherine Cummings, MD**

### January 17, Wednesday

Primary Care Physician Advisory Committee: **Mariah Stump, MD, MPH**, Secretary  
Warren Alpert School of Medicine State House Tour:  
Stacy Paterno and Steve DeToy, staff  
Speaker Joe Shekarchi Fundraiser:  
**Michael Migliori, MD**, Public Laws Chair

### January 18, Thursday

OHIC Administration Simplification Task Force: **Peter Hollman, MD**; **Beth Lange, MD**  
Health Information Technology Steering Committee: Stacy Paterno, staff

### January 22, Monday

Protect our Health Care Policy Group:  
Stacy Paterno, staff  
Public Laws Committee:  
**Michael Migliori, MD**, Chair

### January 23, Tuesday

Miriam Hospital Medical Executive Committee: **Thomas Bledsoe, MD**, Immediate Past President  
CMS National Stakeholder Call:  
Stacy Paterno, staff  
Health Professions Loan Repayment Program Reception at State House:  
Stacy Paterno, staff

### January 25, Thursday

Board of Medical Licensure Interstate Medical Licensure Compact:  
Stacy Paterno, staff

### January 29, Monday

Executive Office of Health and Human Services Healthcare Workforce Taskforce:  
Stacy Paterno, staff



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