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Healthcare Leaders Gather in San Diego for America's Physician Groups Annual Conference 2018

Speakers include Dr. Robert Pearl, former Or. Governor Dr. John Kitzhaber, AHIP's Marilyn Tavenner, Kaiser's Dr. Elisabeth Rosenthal

San Diego – Nearly 2,000 physicians, healthcare executives, health policy leaders, and experts in value-based healthcare are gathering today as the [America's Physician Groups 15th Annual Conference 2018](#), April 19-21 (#APGAC18) kicks off in San Diego.

The three-day Conference features a full range of nationally recognized speakers who will share their insights on the current state of healthcare and what the future may hold.

Speakers include:

- **Donald H. Crane**, President and CEO, America's Physician Groups
- **Jay Gellert**, former President and CEO, Health Net, Inc.
- **John Kitzhaber, MD**, former Governor of Oregon
- **Robert Pearl, MD**, former CEO, The Permanente Medical Group
- **Elisabeth Rosenthal, MD**, Editor-in-Chief, *Kaiser Health News*
- **Marilyn Tavenner**, President and CEO, America's Health Insurance Plans

Sessions at the Annual Conference 2018 will address many of the key issues in the value-based payment movement and beyond, to include:

- Medicare ACO Track One Plus
- Mastering Social Determinants
- Emergency Planning
- Moving into Risk
- Sub-Capitation

Visit the [Conference agenda](#) for more information on sessions and topics.

The America's Physician Groups Annual Conference 2018 is designed for physician organizations committed to advancing value-based care. It is the premier healthcare meeting focusing on the movement from volume to value.

Interested parties can register for the conference onsite at the Manchester Grand Hyatt, San Diego. For complimentary media registration, please email [David Allen](mailto:David.Allen@apg.org).

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