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8th Annual **Patient Congress**

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Honorary Chairpersons

United States Senate

Senator Orrin Hatch (R-UT)
Senator Chuck Grassley (R-IA)
Senator Max Baucus (D-MT)
Senator John Warner (R-VA)
Senator Dianne Feinstein (D-CA)
Senator Gordon Smith (R-OR)
Senator Mike Enzi (R-WY)
Senator Johnny Isakson (R-GA)

United States House of Representatives

Representative John Dingell (D-15th, MI)
Representative Tom Petri (R-6th, WI)
Representative Tom Lantos (D-12th, CA)
Representative Ed Towns (D-10th, NY)
Representative John Lewis (D-5th, GA)
Representative Louise Slaughter (D-28th, NY)
Representative Rosa DeLauro (D-3rd, CT)
Representative Jim Cooper (D-5th, TN)
Representative Deborah Pryce (R-15th, OH)
Representative Sue Myrick (R-9th, NC)
Representative Barbara Cubin (R-At Large, WY)
Representative Loretta Sanchez (D-47th, CA)
Representative Lois Capps (D-23rd, CA)
Representative Allen Boyd (D-2nd, FL)
Representative Robert Wexler (D-19th, FL)
Representative Bill Pascrell, Jr. (D-8th NJ)
Representative Carolyn McCarthy (D-4th, NY)
Representative Virgil Goode, Jr. (R-5th, VA)
Representative Grace Napolitano (D-38th, CA)
Representative Shelley Berkley (D-1st, NV)
Representative Todd Platts (R-19th, PA)
Representative Jo Ann Davis (R-1st, VA)
Representative Jim Marshall (D-8th, GA)
Representative Phil Gingrey (R-11th, GA)
Representative Thelma Drake (R-2nd, VA)

SUNDAY, JUNE 24, 2007

5:00PM-7:00 PM	Registration	Lower Level Foyer
5:00PM-7:00 PM	Welcome Reception <i>Event Sponsored by Roche</i>	Executive, Sagamore & Ashlawn Rooms
6:30PM-8:30 PM	NPAF State Policy Liaison Dinner <i>By Invitation Only</i>	Atrium Ballroom

MONDAY, JUNE 25, 2007

8:00AM -11:30 AM	Capitol Hill Briefing and Workshop <i>A Breakfast Symposium</i> <i>Event Sponsored by Novartis</i> What do I talk to my elected official about during my Hill Visit? To answer this question a panel of Congressional Representatives and a team of professionals that work in policy have been assembled to discuss with the audience the current health care issues and legislation that are before Congress. After these presentations, methods for conducting an effective congressional visit will be discussed in a role-playing situation.	Atrium Ballroom
8:30AM- 10:00 AM	Featured Capitol Hill Briefing Panel Mark Smith <i>Senior Government Relations Advisor</i> <i>King & Spalding, LLP</i> <i>Issue: Federal Appropriations Priorities in the 110th Congress</i> Robert Comis, MD <i>President & Chairman</i> <i>Coalition of Cancer Cooperative Groups</i> <i>Issue: Fiscal Year 2008 Federal Appropriations and the Impact on Clinical Trials</i> Paul A. Seltman <i>Counsel</i> <i>Drinker Biddle Gardner Carton</i> <i>Issue: Health Insurance Portability Assurance</i> Jocelyn Moore <i>Legislative Assistant</i> <i>Office of the Honorable John D. Rockefeller (D-WV)</i> <i>United States Senate</i> <i>Issue: S. 1224, The Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) Reauthorization Act of 2007</i>	

~ Personal Break 10:00-10:15am~

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MONDAY, JUNE 25, 2007 (Continued)

4:00-7:00PM

Patient Congress Educational Expo

Executive, Sagamore & Ashlawn Rooms

Expo Sponsored i

Come meet and greet your fellow attendees, PAF staff and board members and representatives from the patient advocacy community! As well, visit with representatives from an array of voluntary health care organizations and agencies that will be on site to discuss their services, distribute educational materials and provide information on upcoming events.

Exhibitors Include

The Wellness Community
Lupus Foundation of America
American Society for Therapeutic Radiology & Oncology
Ovarian Cancer National Alliance
Sarah Lawrence College - Health Advocacy Program
Lung Cancer Alliance
The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society
Children's Cause for Cancer Advocacy
Y-ME National Breast Cancer Organization
Catholic Charities Healthcare Network
Geriatric Oncology Consortium
Men's Health Network
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
Amputee Coalition of America
National Cancer Institute - Cancer Information Services
Young Survival Coalition -delete
Fairness Foundation

Brain Tumor Awareness Organization
Patient Advocate Foundation
Colorectal CareLine
Co-Pay Relief, A Patient Assistance Program

Materials-Only Exhibitors Include

William S. Graham Foundation for Melanoma Research, Inc.
Coping Magazine
Abigail Alliance for Better Access to Developmental Drugs
National Alliance of State Prostate Cancer Coalitions
Alliance for Prostate Cancer Prevention
Pancreatic Cancer Action Network
National Cancer Institute, Office of Communications and Education
Lance Armstrong Foundation
Pulmonary Hypertension Association
American Institute for Cancer Research - Education Dept
Intercultural Cancer Council

6:00PM-7:00PM

Reception & Book Signing

Executive, Sagamore & Ashlawn Rooms

Reception Sponsored by AmreisourceBergen

Book Signing Sponsored by

We invite you to come enjoy the company of your new found friends and fellow attendees, discussing the successes you have experienced during your visits to Capitol Hill while you visit our featured author and speaker, Lillie Shockney, RN, BS, MAS, nurse, author and Administrative Director of the Johns Hopkins Avon Foundation Breast Center, as well as a breast cancer survivor. She is also the co-founder of **Mothers Supporting Daughters with Breast Cancer** and authored "**Stealing 2nd Base- A Survivor's Experience with Breast Cancer**". Ms. Shockney will be on site to sign copies of her book for each attendee...our gift to you.

7:00PM-9:00 PM

Patient Congress Southwest Symposium!

Grand Ballroom

Dinner Symposium Sponsored by GlaxoSmithKline

Come enjoy the fun of the Southwest with PAF! Enjoy being energized and educated by leaders from both the State and Federal Government who are committed to improving the national healthcare system. As well, we will celebrate with future leaders as we honor the 2007-2008 "*Patient Advocate Foundation Scholarship for Survivors*" academic scholarship recipients.

Honored Guests To Include:

The Honorable Robert C. Scott (D-3rd, VA)
United States House of Representatives

The Honorable Capri Cafaro (D)
Ohio State Senate

"The Changing Face of Health Care Policy at the State Level"

Featured Author:

Lillie Shockney, RN, BS, MAS

Administrative Director

Johns Hopkins Avon Foundation Breast Center

Author of "Stealing 2nd Base- A Survivor's Experience with Breast Cancer"

2007-2008 "Scholarships for Survivors" Academic Scholarship Program

GRADUATING SENIOR SPOTLIGHT:

SCHOLARSHIP FOR SURVIVORS IN HONOR OF NOVARTIS ONCOLOGY

Monica Bowser

Graduated From: University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Cumulative GPA: 3.02

2007-2008 RECIPIENTS:

THE CHERYL GRIMMEL AWARD IN HONOR OF AMGEN, INC.

J. Eric Holland

Attending: University of Central Oklahoma

THE MONICA BAILES AWARD

Benton Brown

Attending: University of Texas Southwestern Medical School

SCHOLARSHIP FOR SURVIVORS IN HONOR OF SANOFI-AVENTIS PHARMACEUTICALS

Drew Fisher

Attending: University of New Mexico

SCHOLARSHIP FOR SURVIVORS IN HONOR OF GLAXOSMITHKLINE

Kendra Smith

Attending: Brockport University

SCHOLARSHIP FOR SURVIVORS IN HONOR OF PFIZER, INC.

Suzanne Day

Attending: Roberts Wesleyan College

PAF SCHOLARSHIP FOR SURVIVORS

Andrew Boggess

Attending: Adrian College

PAF SCHOLARSHIP FOR SURVIVORS

Zazel-Chavah O'Garra

Attending: Fordham University

THE ROBIN L. PRACHEL AWARD

Dylan Feierabend

Attending: College of the Redwoods

THE KAREN CONDON REEDER AWARD

Nicholas Harper

Attending: Bellarmine University

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7:30AM – 8:30 AM	Registration	Lower Level Foyer
7:15AM-7:45 AM	Transportation to Senate Breakfast Reception Buses will be loading at the hotel lobby to the Senate Russell Building beginning at 7:15 a.m. The breakfast reception begins at 8:00 a.m.	Hotel Lobby
8:00AM-9:30 AM	Senate Breakfast Reception <i>Reception Sponsored by US Oncology</i>	325 Senate Russell Office Building
9:45AM- 11:00AM	Capitol Hill Visits with Elected Officials <i>Visits Scheduled by Soapbox Consulting</i>	Capitol Hill
11:30AM-1:00 PM	House Lunch Reception <i>Reception Sponsored by Eli Lilly</i>	The Cannon House Office Building Caucus Room 3rd Floor
1:30PM-5:00 PM	Capitol Hill Visits with Elected Officials <i>Visits Scheduled by Soapbox Consulting</i>	Capitol Hill
6:00PM	Transportation to Dinner Symposium Buses will be loading at the hotel lobby to the Dinner Symposium beginning at 6:00p.m. The dinner reception begins promptly at 6:30 p.m.	Hotel Lobby
6:30PM-7:00 PM	Dinner Reception	<i>The Stephen Decatur House Museum Carriage House 1610 H Street, NW</i>
7:00PM-9:00 PM	Dinner Symposium <i>Dinner Symposium Sponsored by Amgen Oncology</i> The beautiful Stephen Decatur House Museum is the backdrop as the 8 th Annual Patient Congress draws to a close. Decatur House is a historic house museum located one block north of the White House on Lafayette Square in Washington, DC. Decatur House is one of the oldest surviving homes in Washington, DC and one of only three remaining residential buildings in the country designed by Benjamin Henry Latrobe, the "Father of American Architecture". The home was completed in 1818 for naval hero Stephen Decatur and his wife Susan, and subsequently became one of the capital's most desirable and distinguished addresses and home to many of our nation's most prominent figures. As the first neighbor to the President in 1818, Decatur House boasts a unique combination of location on Lafayette Square across from the White House, historical significance and architectural design. It is only appropriate that, at this historical site, we have the opportunity to be addressed by many of the leading healthcare champions in our government.	<i>The Stephen Decatur House Museum Courtyard</i>
	<i>Honored Guests to include:</i> The Honorable Debbie Stabenow (D-MI) <i>United States Senate</i> The Honorable Robert Menendez (D-14 th , NJ)* <i>United States House of Representatives</i> Tony Snow* <i>Chief White House Spokesperson</i>	

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