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The First Annual Beazley Symposium on Access to Health Care
**IMMIGRATION FROM THE MAYFLOWER
TO BORDER PATROLS:**
*Who Should Have Access to
Health Care in the United States?*



Thursday, February 7, 2008
Kasbeer Hall

Friday, February 8, 2008
Rubloff Auditorium

Loyola University Chicago
School of Law
Loyola Law Center
25 East Pearson Street
Chicago, Illinois

BEAZLEY INSTITUTE

FOR HEALTH LAW AND POLICY



SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2008:

5:00 – 7:00 pm

Welcome Reception with a Keynote Speaker

Kasbeer Hall

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2008:

7:30 – 8:00 am

Registration

Rubloff Auditorium

8:00 – 8:15 am

Welcome and Introduction

Rubloff Auditorium

Professor Lawrence E. Singer

Director, Beazley Institute for Health Law and Policy

Professor Ruqaiyah Yearby

Assistant Professor, Loyola University Chicago School of Law

8:15 – 9:30 am

PANEL #1: Lack of Access to Health Care Treatment

Rubloff Auditorium

Sonal Ambegaokar

Health Policy Attorney, National Immigration Law Center

Professor Marguerite Angelari

Goedert Elder Law Professor, Director, Elder Law Initiative, Loyola University Chicago School of Law

Professor Brietta Clark

Professor of Law, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles

9:30 – 10:45 am

PANEL #2: Cost Implications to Providing Access to Health Care

Rubloff Auditorium

Dr. Jennifer Cutrer

Executive Director of Legislative Affairs, Parkland Health and Hospital System

Dr. Robert Earley

Vice President of Public Affairs and Advocacy, JPS Health Network

Dr. José A. Pagán

Professor of Economics and Finance, The University of Texas-Pan American

10:45 -11:00 am **Break**

11:00 am – 12:15 pm

PANEL # 3: Solving the Problem of Immigration and Health Care

Rubloff Auditorium

Dr. E. Richard Brown

Director, UCLA Center for Health Policy Research, Professor, UCLA School of Public Health, Department of Health Services

Professor Janet Calvo

Professor of Law, CUNY School of Law

Dr. Sana Loue

Associate Professor of Bioethics, Associate Professor of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, Assistant Professor of International Health, Case Western Reserve University Department of Bioethics

12:15 – 2:00 pm

Luncheon with a Keynote Speaker

Kasbeer Hall

PANELIST BIOGRAPHIES

SONAL AMBEGAOKAR is the health policy attorney for the National Immigration Law Center (NILC). She monitors, analyzes, and makes recommendations concerning federal, state, and local policies affecting low-income immigrants' access to affordable health care. Prior to joining NILC, she served as supervising attorney of the Health Consumer Center of Los Angeles, where she worked on local and state health policy issues and managed a multi-language consumer hotline that served Los Angeles County residents with health coverage and access issues. She earned her JD degree from the University of California at Davis.

MARGUERITE ANGELARI is the director of the Elder Law Initiative at Loyola University Chicago School of Law. The Elder Law Initiative is the only law school-based elder law program in Chicago and includes the Elder Law Clinic, where law and social work students work together on actual adult guardianship and elder abuse cases. Professor Angelari graduated *cum laude* from American University School of Law, where she received the Dean's Award for Professional Responsibility for outstanding clinical work and co-founded the *American University Journal on Gender and the Law*. Prior to joining Loyola, she created the Bruce A. Kaufman Center for Family Law at the Women's Law Center of Maryland and served as the Center's legal director.

E. RICHARD BROWN is the founder and director of the UCLA Center for Health Policy Research, a professor in the Department of Health Services in the UCLA School of Public Health, and the associate director of the California Medicaid Research Institute, a multi-campus University of California research institute. Dr. Brown is the principal investigator of the California Health Interview Survey (CHIS), one of the nation's largest ongoing health surveys. His work addresses health care disparities experienced by Latinos and other racial and ethnic groups, immigrants, the uninsured, and the economically disadvantaged. His and the center's studies have been used by California's governors, legislative leaders, and advocates in crafting health care legislation, policies, and programs.

JANET CALVO is a professor of law at City University of New York School of Law. She graduated from New York University School of Law and served on that school's clinical faculty for seven years following trial and appeals work at the Civil Division of the Legal Aid Society. Professor Calvo has written about health care access for immigrant women and has made numerous presentations about how the law affects immigrants. A former member of the National Steering Committee on Battered Immigrant Women and the Advisory Committee of the New York State Assembly Task Force on New Americans, she has also been a member of the Board of Directors of the Center on Social Welfare Policy and Law, and a director of the Center for Immigrants' Rights.

BRIETTA CLARK is a professor of law at Loyola Law School in Los Angeles. She holds a BA from the University of Chicago and a JD from the University of Southern California Law School. Professor Clark has published articles and made presentations in the areas of reproductive health, health care access, end of life care, and the role of civil rights law in remedying disparities for minorities, women, and persons with disabilities. She has served as a commentator for Bioethics Forum (a service of the Hastings Center Report and the American Society of Law, Medicine, and Ethics), a member on the Children's Hospital's Institutional Review Board, and a member of the Joint Bioethics Committee of the LA County Bar and Medical Associations, which produces ethical guidelines for physicians in a number of areas.

PANELIST BIOGRAPHIES CONTINUED

JENNIFER CUTRER is the executive director of public affairs for Parkland Health & Hospital System. Prior to her employment with Parkland, Dr. Cutrer worked for the City of Dallas for 10 years in various positions, including assistant to the mayor and manager of transportation regulation for Dallas and D/FW Airport. Dr. Cutrer holds a BA in psychology; an MA in urban affairs; and a PhD in political, urban, and environmental sociology. She is currently an adjunct professor at University of North Texas-Dallas. She has completed fellowships with the North Central Texas Council of Governments, the American Hospital Association, the National Association of Public Hospitals and Health Systems, the National Institute of Mental Health, and the South African Foundation.

ROBERT EARLEY is senior vice president for JPS Health Network, where he oversees the Departments of Government Affairs, Strategic Planning, Volunteer Services, Public Relations, and Health Promotions. Mr. Earley received his BS from the University of North Texas. After graduation, he served on the staff of U.S. Congressman Tom Vandergriff. At the age of 23, Mr. Earley sought a seat in the Texas House of Representatives, making him the youngest candidate in the state seeking an office in the Texas Legislature that year. Mr. Earley was elected to serve in the Texas House of Representatives in May of 1984 and served for 10 years. Additionally, Mr. Earley taught at Texas A&M University, served as the president and CEO of a public affairs firm, and acted as the political analyst for KXAN television (the Austin NBC affiliate).

SANA LOUE is a professor in the Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics and the director of the Center for Minority Public Health of the School of Medicine, Case Western Reserve University, in Cleveland, Ohio. Dr. Loue holds a JD, MPH, and PhD in both epidemiology and medical anthropology. Prior to joining Case Western Reserve University, Dr. Loue practiced immigration law for 14 years. Her current research interests include HIV prevention among marginalized communities, family violence, mental illness within minority communities, and ethical issues in the conduct of research with vulnerable populations. Dr. Loue serves as the editor-in-chief of the *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health*.

JOSÉ PAGÁN is a professor of economics and director of the Institute for Population Health Policy in the College of Business Administration at the University of Texas-Pan American and adjunct senior fellow of the Leonard Davis Institute of Health Economics at the University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Pagán received his BS and MA degrees in mathematics and economics from Ohio State University and a PhD in economics from the University of New Mexico. His research interests include the economics of immigration and health care access. He has been a Fulbright Scholar in Mexico, a consultant for the World Bank and the Inter-American Conference on Social Security, and a Robert Wood Johnson Health and Society Scholar at the University of Pennsylvania. He is a recipient of a 2007 Investigator Award in Health Policy Research from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation.

RUQAIJAH YEARBY is an assistant professor at Loyola University Chicago School of Law and has a joint appointment with Loyola University's Stritch School of Medicine. Her research interests include bioethics, health care civil rights issues, HIV/AIDS policy, and administrative law. Her publications focus on improving the lives of vulnerable populations by addressing the lack of equal access to quality health care. Professor Yearby received a BS in honors biology from the University of Michigan, a MPH from Johns Hopkins, and a JD from Georgetown. Before joining the faculty, she was an assistant regional counsel for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and served as a law clerk for the Honorable Ann Williams of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit.

INFORMATION

Loyola University Chicago School of Law announces the first annual Beazley Symposium on Access to Care. The symposium, entitled, "Immigration From the Mayflower to Border Patrols: Who Should Have Access to Health Care in the United States?," is sponsored by the Beazley Institute for Health Law and Policy and the institute's journal, *Annals of Health Law*.

The symposium, interdisciplinary in nature, will identify key issues concerning lack of access to health care for immigrants and develop collaborative solutions to address the problem. There will be three different panel discussions: Lack of Access to Health Care Treatment; Cost Implications to Providing Access to Health Care; and Solving the Problem of Immigration and Health Care.

BEAZLEY INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH LAW AND POLICY

The Beazley Institute for Health Law and Policy was created in 1984 to recognize the need for an academic forum to study the burgeoning field of health law and to foster a dialogue between the legal and health care professions.

Since that time, the Beazley Institute has grown to offer one of the most comprehensive and respected health law programs in the country, consistently ranked among the best health law programs in the nation by *U.S. News & World Report*. The Institute today is composed of students, faculty, researchers, practitioners, lecturers, librarians, and staff working together to fulfill a common mission: **We educate the health law leaders of tomorrow.**

ANNALS OF HEALTH LAW

Twice yearly (January and June) the Beazley Institute for Health Law and Policy publishes the *Annals of Health Law*, The Health Policy and Law Review of Loyola University Chicago. The *Annals* contains articles of general interest in health law which are deemed by the editors to make a contribution to the teaching, practice, and/or public policy surrounding health law. Past volumes have focused on corporate, regulatory, bioethical, and pharmaceutical issues, as well as patient rights and advocacy. Through this publication, health law students are afforded the opportunity to both write and edit a law review.

CONFERENCE LOCATION

Thursday's portion of the symposium will be in Kasbeer Hall in the Loyola University Chicago Law Center at 25 East Pearson Street, Chicago, on Loyola's downtown campus. Friday's portion will take place in Rubloff Auditorium, also located in the Law Center. Validated discount parking is available at several locations adjacent to the Law Center. The campus is located on Pearson Street, between State Street and Michigan Avenue, just west of Water Tower Place, and easily accessible by all forms of public transportation.

REGISTRATION AND CONTACT INFORMATION

Registration is free; however, space is limited. Additional information, including directions to the Law Center and nearby hotels, can be obtained from:

Beazley Institute for Health Law and Policy

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You may also visit the institute Web site at LUC.edu/healthlaw for more information.