

Agenda: 10:00am – 4:00pm

9:30am – 10:00am: Check-in and Continental Breakfast (provided)

10:00am – 10:15am: Kick-Off – Collaborative Rural Health IT Financing Initiative

- Welcome, Opening Remarks, and Introductions (Sean McPhillips / Leila Samy - HHS)
- Purpose, Expected Outcomes, Takeaways, & Structure (Sean McPhillips / Leila Samy - HHS)

10:15am – 11:30am: Rural Health Delivery Reform: Present State / Future State (2020)

- Public Health and *KyHealthNow* (Dr. Stephanie Mayfield)
- Public Health Reporting & State Registries – *Importance of Data!* (Polly Mullins-Bentley)
- Health Transformation, KHIE, REC, Meaningful Use (Polly Mullins-Bentley/Sean McPhillips)

11:30am – 12:00pm: Broadband Expansion in Rural Kentucky

- Panel Discussion: *Healthcare Connect Fund, Dark Fiber, and the SOAR Initiative.*

12:00pm – 12:45pm: Lunch (provided – Sponsored by Delta Regional Authority)

12:45pm – 1:15pm: USDA

- Funding Opportunities Overview (relate to above and tailored to responses)

1:15pm – 1:45pm: FCC/USAC

- Funding Opportunities Overview (relate to above and tailored to responses)

1:45pm – 2:15pm: ARC/DRA – Tag-Team

- Role, Support, and Opportunities Overview (related to above and tailored to responses)

2:15pm – 2:30pm: Break

2:30pm – 3:45pm: Facilitated, All-Hands Session

- Identify Kentucky health care providers' financing needs for health IT, health information exchange and telehealth projects (Facilitated by Leila Samy and Sean McPhillips)
- Match financing needs with existing funding opportunities (All)
- Hands-on work with resources and review of application and pre-application forms (All)

3:45pm – 4:00pm: Closure & Next Steps

- Identify Cohort of CAHs/SRHs/RHCs/FQHCs Participating in this Initiative

