

**Press Briefing**

**The Commonwealth Fund  
Commission on a High Performance Health System:**

**Aiming Higher: Results from a State Scorecard  
on U.S. Health System Performance**

**Hotel Washington, 15<sup>th</sup> Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Wednesday, June 13, 2007**

**AGENDA**

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*10:15 Continental breakfast available*

**10:30** Welcome and introductions

- **Karen Davis**, President, The Commonwealth Fund (*moderator*)

**10:35** Findings from the **State Scorecard on U.S. Health System Performance**

- **Cathy Schoen**, Senior Vice President, The Commonwealth Fund
- **Joel Cantor**, Director, Center for State Health Policy and professor of Public Policy, Rutgers University

**10:55** Reaction to Scorecard findings

- **Carolyn Clancy**, Director, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ)
- **Sandra Shewry**, Director, California Department of Health Services, and Commission member
- **Alan R. Weil**, Executive Director, National Academy for State Health Policy and Member, and Commission member

**11:15** Q and A

**Noon** Adjourn