

## Government Affairs Committee Meeting

Thursday, May 19, 2022 • 9:00 am – 10:00 am

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### Agenda:

- I. **Welcome/Introduction**  
*Alan Hartl — RCPA Government Affairs Committee Chair*  
*Jack Phillips — Director of Government Affairs*
- II. **Primary Election Update**
- III. **Capitol Day**
  - A. Tuesday, May 24, 2022, from 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm
  - B. Location: Steps Outside of Main Rotunda
  - C. Speakers:
    1. Sen. Lisa Baker (Confirmed)
    2. Rep. Torren Ecker (Unconfirmed)
    3. Rep. Carrie Lewis-DelRosso (Confirmed)
    4. Rep. Dan Miller (Confirmed)
- IV. **2022/23 Budget/Media Campaign**
  - A. Review Budget One-Pager:
    1. Human Service Workforce Issues:
      - a. Advocating the General Assembly to release federal funding, that they placed in reserve, for direct care workers (see also [RCPA media campaign](#))
    2. Brain Injury Provider Rate Issues:
      - a. Hearing was held on March 2 in House Human Services Committee
    3. Drug and Alcohol Opioid Settlement Funds Allocations
    4. County Mental Health Funding
      - a. Advocating and collaborating with the County Commissioners Association of PA (CCAP) and the Hospital Association of PA (HAP), as well as other organizations, to increase County Mental Health Funding
- V. **Legislation/Issues**
  - A. HB 2530 — Elimination of Prudent Pay
  - B. HB 2419 — Amending Act 25 of 2018
  - C. Severe Autism Issue
- VI. **RCPA PAC**
- VII. **Open Forum — Additional Member Topics/Issues/Concerns**
- VIII. **Adjournment**

**Next Meeting: Thursday, June 16, 2022, 9:00 am – 10:00 am**