



# The State Budget & Hospital Safety Net Assessment

## WEB CAST

**Tuesday, December 15, 2009**

*(Two repeated sessions – You only need to listen to one web cast.):*

**9:00 – 10:00 a.m.**

*or*

**12:00 – 1:00 p.m.**

### **FOR WSHA MEMBERS ONLY**

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Join us for a web cast to hear the latest on the Governor's budget proposal and the hospital safety net assessment.

WSHA's hospital safety net assessment proposal is moving forward. It will bring substantial new federal Medicaid funds for Washington hospitals, and shore up critical health care safety net services. In addition, the Governor's budget should be released before the web cast – we will share the details.

Because of the importance of this information, we have scheduled two **repeat** web casts for the same day.

Please join us Tuesday, December 15 from **9:00 – 10:00 a.m. OR 12:00 – 1:00 p.m.** to learn:

- Information about the state's budget deficit and potential revenue-generating proposals;
- Details about the Governor's budget proposal for hospitals and health care;
- Whether the Governor's budget includes the assessment;
- Details of the assessment proposal, including assessment levels, payment increases, and guiding principles;
- Legislators' responses to the assessment; and
- How you can help get the assessment enacted and minimize health care budget cuts.

*\*PLEASE NOTE: Connection information is different for each web cast.*

Presenters will be **Leo Greenawalt**, President & CEO; **Randy Revelle**, Senior Vice President, **Claudia Sanders**, Senior Vice President, and **Cassie Sauer**, Vice President.

Participation in the web cast is free. All you need is a computer with an Internet connection and a telephone.

Registration is not required. You may invite others in your hospital, but the web conference is open to WSHA members only.

*We hope you can join us!*

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**CONNECTION INFORMATION:**

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**December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2009-9:00am-10:00am**

**Web Portion**

1. Go to  
<https://wsha.webex.com/wsha/j.php?ED=134989192&UID=0&PW=cb2b1cef79182b20244d4103>
2. Enter your name and email address.
3. Enter the meeting password: Safety1
4. Click "Join Now".

**Audio Portion**

Dial-in Domestic Toll Free #: 1 888 217.4028  
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Participant Passcode: 983 486 99

**December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2009-12:00pm-1:00pm**

**Web Portion**

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