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## South County Senior Summit

# "Your Health & Financial Wellness: Looking Into The Crystal Ball"

Laguna Woods Village, Clubhouse 3
March 5, 2010









### Agenda

Registration / Breakfast / Booths 8:00 **Lobby & Dining Rooms** 9:00 Welcome Address Supervisor Pat Bates Invocation **Bob Ring** Councilman, Laguna Woods Milt Robbins Pledge of Allegiance Mayor, Laguna Woods National Anthem **Doug Custance** Saddleback College 9:10 **Orange County Resources: Programs Serving Older Adults** Karen Roper Director, OC Community Services Age Well Senior Services, Inc. Marilyn Ditty **Executive Director** 9:30 Keynote Speaker Dr. Laura Mosqueda Director, Program in Geriatrics, UC Irvine 10:30 Break / Vendor Booths Lobby 11:00 Panel Presentation Lynn Daucher Director, California Department of Aging **Richard Chambers** CEO, CalOptima Wallace Walrod VP, Orange County Business Council 12:10 **Closing Remarks Supervisor Pat Bates** 12:30 Lunch / Vendor Booths **Lobby & Dining Rooms** 

### Speaker Biographies

Karen Roper has worked for the County of Orange for 29 years. A majority of Karen's career has been devoted to the development and implementation of housing, health and human service programs and systems of care that improve the quality of life for residents in Orange County. In April 2008, Karen was appointed to Director of OC Community Services. In this role, Karen oversees the Office on Aging, Veterans Service Office, and many other functions related to housing and community services.

Marilyn Ditty is a distinguished expert in the field of gerontology and is a devoted advocate for senior citizens on the local, state, federal and international level. She currently serves as Executive Director of Age Well Senior Services (formerly South County Senior Services), a nonprofit that provides vital services to the elderly in South Orange County. Dr. Ditty also teaches at the University of La Verne and Saddleback College. Dr. Ditty has received numerous accolades for her dedication to improving the welfare of senior citizens and has spoken at numerous international conferences.

**Laura Mosqueda, MD** is the Chief of Geriatrics at UC Irvine. She is a professor of family medicine and holds the Ronald Reagan endowed chair in Geriatrics. She is Medical Director at the UCI Senior Health Center. She participates in research and education; special areas of interest include elder abuse and disability issues.

**Richard Chambers** is Chief Executive Officer of CalOptima, a county organized health system for children, low income families, seniors and persons with disabilities. Mr. Chambers is very involved in California health issues, sitting on the Olmstead Advisory Committee, which handles matters surrounding persons with disabilities, and also on the Medicaid and Children's Health Insurance Program Payment and Access Commission.

Lynn Daucher was appointed as the Director of the California Department of Aging (CDA) by Governor Schwarzenegger. CDA administers programs serving older adults, adults with disabilities, family caregivers, and residents in long-term care facilities. Director Daucher previously served as a State Assemblywoman, where she also served as Chair of the Assembly Committee on Aging and Long Term Care.

Wallace Walrod is Vice President of Economic Development & Research at the Orange County Business Council and has led strategic projects with numerous organizations. Dr. Walrod is the Founding President of the Center for a New Orange County, which plays a key role in shaping Orange County's economic future. Dr. Walrod also serves on many advisory boards, including the Board of the California Institute of Nursing and Health Care.

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