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WASHINGTON, DC (SEPTEMBER 5, 2019)—Eric D. Hargan, Deputy Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Office of the Secretary, will discuss the Department’s progress on its Regulatory Sprint to Coordinated Care initiative at the Opening General Session of the Fraud and Compliance Forum on September 25, 2019.

“The Department of Health and Human Services’ goals of advancing value-based care and breaking barriers to coordinated care continue,” David S. Cade, Executive Vice President/Chief Executive Officer of AHLA. “We are fortunate to have HHS Deputy Secretary Hargan update our conference attendees on the latest measures to achieve the Department’s goals—we anticipate a packed house!”

HHS Deputy Secretary Hargan will be joined at the Opening General Session by:

- Joanne M. Chiedi, Acting Inspector General in the Office of Inspector General, Department of HHS, covering the Department’s latest enforcement initiatives
- Robert G. Homchick, from Davis Wright Tremaine LLP, delivering the Year-in-Review
- Caryl N. Brzymialkiewicz, PhD, Chief Data and Analytics Officer, Office of Inspector General, HHS; Timothy M. Persons, PhD, Chief Scientist and Managing Director, Science, Technology Assessment, and Analytics, US Government Accountability Office; and Jack Resneck, Jr, MD, Board of Trustees, American Medical Association, delivering a talk on “Data Analytics and Artificial Intelligence. Understanding the As-Is. Envisioning the What-If.”

Complimentary press registration is available for the Forum —see program brochure for additional details on available sessions.

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About Eric D. Hargan:
Eric D. Hargan is the Deputy Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS). HHS is dedicated to promoting and enhancing the health and well-being of the American people, and as the largest department in the federal government has an annual budget in excess of $1.3 trillion and over 80,000 employees across 26 divisions. As Deputy Secretary, he is the Chief Operating Officer and is responsible for overseeing the
day-to-day operations and management of the department in addition to leading policy and strategy development.

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