

Association Highlights

A Look at NJAHU Activities for 2017

Legislative

NJAHU legislative activity:

» 20 visits to Trenton to speak with government officials about the interests of NJAHU including visits with:

- Ward Sanders- AHIP
- Assemblyman Jon Bramnick
- Assemblyman Dave Rible
- Senator Steve Sweeney
- Governor Phil Murphy
- Senator Tom Kean
- Commissioner Richard Badalato
- Ellen De Rosa, Executive Director, SEH/IHC Boards
- Assemblyman Joseph Lagana
- Assemblyman Louis Greenwald
- Assemblyman Gary Schaer
- Assembly Speaker Vincent Prieto
- Senator Joe Vitale
- Assemblyman Craig Coughlin
- Assemblyman Troy Singleton
- Rep. Frank Pallone
- Rep. Donald Payne Jr.

» 1 fundraiser at the NJAHU conference, May 2017 on behalf of [HIAPAC](#).

» 1 fundraiser at the State of the State in Healthcare Symposium, October 2017, on behalf of HIAPAC.

» Various fundraisers at local chapters during their monthly meetings.

NJAHU legislative chair visits and calls to state legislators and regulators and reinforced our presence nationwide.

NJAHU in the Media

» [NJAHU was featured](#) 9 times in a variety of different media, including *Centraljersey.com*, *The Star Ledger*, *NJ.com*, *The Asbury Park Press*, *The Hudson Reporter*, *The Courier Post*

- » We issued 5 [press releases](#) at the state level on important issues such as award recognition, election of officers, and concerns about PPACA.
- » We issued 2 op-eds on Healthcare Reform.

Papers, Policy Documents and Charts

NJAHU created the following documents used for further educating NJAHU Members and clients on PPACA:

none

Comments and Testimony

NJAHU Educational Development

44 CE credits were offered in 2017 by NJAHU

- North – 11
- Central – 9
- Monmouth Ocean – 12
- South – 6
- State Association - 6

Hosted Two Conferences

NJAHU hosted two conferences for the educational benefit of members and other health insurance individuals.

- » NJAHU Annual Conference, May, 2017

- Held in Atlantic City, NJ
- 550 attendees
- 6 CE Credits
- Exhibit hall of over 70 industry-related vendors.

- » State of the State in Healthcare, October, 2017

- Held in Monroe Township, NJ
- 350 attendees
- Featured Janet Trautwein, NAHU and Barry Ostrowsky, president RWJ Barnabus

Membership Achievements

- » Sent 60 delegates to Cap Conference February, 2017.
- » Sent 2 delegates to National Conference June, 2017.

Awards

At the NAHU National convention, the NJAHU received the following awards:

- NJAHU - 2017 Landmark Award
- Monmouth-Ocean Chapter – 2017 Pacesetter Award

Three chapters qualified for NJAHU certificates of excellence: Monmouth Ocean and North achieved Gold Certification. Central achieved Gold Certification. In addition, NJAHU at the State level achieved Gold Certification.