

**Health Professions Advisory Committee Meeting**  
**Meeting Agenda**  
**March 16, 2009 1:00 - 3:30**  
**270 Washington Street, S.W.**  
**Atlanta, Georgia 30334**

- 1:00 – 1:10 Meeting commencement and opening remarks.....Dr. Rahn
- 1:10 – 1:15 Individual Introductions
- 1:15 – 1:45 Introduction to Center.....Staff
- Review of concerns expressed in FY2006 report
  - Purpose/Structure of the Center
  - Center progress to date
- 1:45 – 2:25 Role of the Advisory Committee.....Staff/Dr. Rahn
- Outline of purpose and charge
  - Review of governance structure of HPAC
  - Review/approve by-laws\*
  - Approve meeting schedule\*
- 2:25 – 2:40 Legislative Updates.....Staff
- Legislation related to health professions
  - State budget
  - Federal stimulus
- 2:40 – 3:10 Center Developments/Proposals\* .....Staff
- Center website: [www.usg.edu/health\\_workforce\\_center/](http://www.usg.edu/health_workforce_center/)
  - Nursing Education Task Force proposals
    - Academic common market of the SREB
    - USG tuition assistance program
  - Differential tuition
  - Behavioral Health Task Force
  - Chancellor's Strategic Plan measures
  - Health professions data warehouse
  - Simulation
- 3:10 – 3:30 Future Agenda Items.....Staff/Dr. Rahn
- Nursing Education Expansion Plan
  - Legislative, budget and other priorities for FY10
  - Faculty layoffs in Georgia nursing programs

**\* Indicates Action Item**