Access to Health Services and Care Coordination in New York and Montreal:
An Invitational Meeting to Compare and Learn

Friday, March 11, 2016
Robert F. Wagner School of Public Service
Puck Bldg. 2nd Fl.
295 Lafayette St. (corner of Houston)
New York

7:30 – Registration and Breakfast

8:00 – Welcome and Introduction to Conference Themes and Panel Discussions
Jean-Claude Lauzon, Québec Delegate General
Victor G. Rodwin, NYU, Wagner School of Public Service
Michael K. Gusmano, Rutgers University School of Public Health
Erin Strumpf, McGill University

8:40 – 10:00: Current Health Care System Organization and Challenges: Montreal and New York City
Panel Chair: Michael K. Gusmano

1. Anne Lemay, Assistant Executive Director for the Support, Administration and Performance Programs, CIUSSS Centre-West-Montreal
2. Dr. Raynald Pineault, Advising Physician, CIUSSS Centre-South-Montreal and Montreal Department of Public Health
3. Sam Solomon, Deputy Director of Policy, NYC Mayor’s Office of Immigrant Affairs
4. Dr. Sonia Angell, Deputy Commissioner, New York City Department for Health and Mental Hygiene

10:00-10:15 Break
10:15 – 12:00: Innovations to Improve Access and Care Coordination: Montreal and New York,
Panel Chair: Victor G. Rodwin

1. Dr. Antoine Groulx, Director of Integrated Primary Care Services, Quebec Ministry of Health and Social Services
2. Frédéric Abergel, Deputy CEO, CIUSSS North-Montreal
3. Ronda Kottelchuck, former CEO, Primary Care Development Corporation
4. Jill Huck, Director, DSRIP Project Management Office at The Mount Sinai Health System
5. Direct Access Program for Undocumented:
   - Rishi Sood, Deputy Director of Policy, Bureau of Primary Care Access and Planning, NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene
   - Nancy Berlinger, Research Scholar, the Hastings Center

12:00-12:10 Break

Dr. Ram Raju, CEO and president, New York Health and Hospitals Corporation

12:45- 2:00: Lunch and informal discussion

2:00-3:45 : Wrap up/General Discussion
Panel Chair: Erin Strumpf

1. Dr. Denis Roy, Vice President, Science and Clinical Governance, Quebec National Institute of Excellence in Health and Social Services
2. Mr. Steven Newmark, Senior Health Policy Advisor and Counsel to Deputy Mayor for Health and Human Services
3. Professor Lawrence Brown, Columbia University
4. Pierre Gerlier Forest, Dean, School of Public Policy, University of Calgary