



ADVOCACY DAY 2025

February 12, 2025 | 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Montgomery Renaissance Hotel & Spa at the Convention Center

Advocacy Day Agenda

11 - 11:30 a.m.

Registration ————— Foyer, Alabama Ballrooms

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Plated Lunch

12:30 - 1 p.m.

ADVOCACY DAY 2025 - Welcome ————— Alabama Ballrooms AB

*Greg Cochran, Executive Director, ALM; Mayor Mark Saliba, Dothan, ALM President;
Mayor Sherry Sullivan, Fairhope, ALM Vice President; Gov. Kay Ivey, State of Alabama (invited)*

1 - 2:30 p.m.

The State of Health Care in Alabama Panel

Moderator: Mayor Howard Rubenstein M.D., Saraland

Panel: Commissioner Kimberly Boswell, Alabama Dept of Mental Health;

Ted Hosp, Vice President for Government Relations, Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Alabama;

Mark Jackson, Executive Director, Medical Association of Alabama;

Danne Howard, Deputy Director, Alabama Hospital Association;

Commissioner Stephanie Azar, Alabama Medicaid

2:30 - 2:45 p.m.

Break

2:45 - 3:30 p.m.

House and Senate Leadership Panel

Moderator: Kayla Bass, Deputy Director, ALM

3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Public Safety Panel

Moderator: Police Chief Bill Partridge, Oxford

4:30 - 5 p.m.

Legislative Update

Baker Allen, Director of Governmental Affairs, ALM

5 - 6:30 p.m.

Legislative Reception ————— Alabama Ballrooms CDE

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