

Mission

Founded in 2009, the New Hampshire Fiscal Policy Institute (NHFPI) is an independent nonprofit organization dedicated to exploring, developing, and promoting public policies that foster economic opportunity and prosperity for all New Hampshire residents, with an emphasis on low- and moderate-income families and individuals. Based in Concord, NHFPI produces regular reports on the fiscal and economic challenges facing New Hampshire and strives to serve as a resource to anyone interested in meeting those challenges in a fair and sound fashion.

Affiliations

In its efforts to promote equitable, responsible, and sustainable fiscal and economic policies, NHFPI collaborates with two national networks of state-level policy research organizations, the State Fiscal Analysis Initiative (SFAI) and the Economic Analysis and Research Network (EARN).

Funding

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First Annual Policy Conference

Government in the Granite State:

Past, Present & Future

January 31, 2014 8:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Grappone Center
Concord, NH

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8:30 a.m. Coffee & Registration

9:00 a.m. Welcome & Introductory Remarks

Jeff McLynch, Executive Director, NHFPI

Elizabeth Hager, Chair, Board of Directors, NHFPI

9:30 a.m. Breakout Sessions I

Promoting Health & Well-Being

Jeanne Ryer, Director, NH Citizens Health Initiative

Lisa Kaplan Howe, Policy Director, NH Voices for Health

Tricia Brooks, Senior Fellow, Georgetown University

Health Policy Institute

Preparing New Hampshire's Next Generation

Tom Raffio, President & CEO, Northeast Delta Dental

Mark Joyce, Executive Director, NH School

Administrators Association

Tom Harnisch, Assistant Director of State Relations &

Policy Analysis, American Association of State

Colleges & Universities

10:45 a.m. Break

11:00 a.m. Breakout Sessions II

Ensuring Economic Security for Families & Individuals

Beth Mattingly, Director of Research on Vulnerable Families,

The Carsey Institute at the University of New Hampshire

Bob Mack, President, NH Local Welfare Administrators

Association

Ben Frost, Director of Public Affairs, NH Housing

Fostering Sustained & Shared Economic Growth

Doug Hall, Director, Economic Analysis & Research

Network

Rebecca Harris, Director, Transport NH

Judy Silva, Executive Director, NH Municipal Association

12:30 p.m. Lunch

1:00 p.m. Keynote Address

Michael Leachman, Director of State Fiscal Research,

Center on Budget & Policy Priorities

1:30 p.m. Closing Remarks

Jeff McLynch, Executive Director, NHFPI

2:00 p.m. Conference Concludes