Capitol Hill Days 2015 Agenda
The Fairfax at Embassy Row, 2100 Massachusetts Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20008

Friday, April 10
5:30-7:30 PM Welcome Reception, Presentation of the 1st Annual Empower Her, Empower Humanity Award, Senator Barbara Boxer

Saturday, April 11
8:45-9:00 AM Registration
9:00-9:30 AM Breakfast
9:30-9:45 AM Welcome and Introduction, John Seager, President and CEO, Population Connection
9:45-10:00 AM Break
10:00-11:00 AM Session 1 (Choose 1)

“Decades of Restrictions: What the Helms Amendment and Global Gag Rule Mean for Women around the Globe”
Caitlin Horrigan, Associate Director of Global Advocacy, Planned Parenthood Federation of America

“Current Happenings on the Hill: Attacks on Domestic Reproductive Rights”
Kate Ryan, Policy Representative, NARAL Pro-Choice America and Sharon Levin, Director of Federal Reproductive Health Policy, National Women’s Law Center

“Global Youth: How Young People are Changing the Population Conversation”
Lisa Russell, Documentary filmmaker, MPH

11:00-11:15 AM Break
11:15 AM-12:15 PM Session 2 (Choose 1)

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12:30-1:15 PM Lunch
Saturday, April 11, cont.

1:15-2:15 PM  
Keynote Address: “Why Family Planning is Important for Sustainable Development”  
*Dr. Gladys Kalema-Zikusoka, Founder and CEO, Conservation through Public Health*

2:15-2:30 PM  
Break

2:30-3:30 PM  
Session 3 (Choose 1)  
“Organizing and Communicating: Raising Your Voice”  
*Population Connection Advocacy Staff*

“The Politics of Family Planning”  
*Stacie Murphy, Senior Policy Associate, Population Connection*

3:30-3:45 PM  
Break

3:45-4:45 PM  
Session 4 (Choose 1)  
“Organizing and Communicating: Raising Your Voice”  
*Population Connection Advocacy Staff*

“The Politics of Family Planning”  
*Stacie Murphy, Senior Policy Associate, Population Connection*

Sunday, April 12

9:00-9:30 AM  
Breakfast

9:30-9:45 AM  
Group Photo

9:45-10:30 AM  
Advocacy Training, *Population Connection Advocacy Staff*

10:30-11:20 AM  
Presentation Training, *Carol Ann Kell, Principal, Kell & Associates*

11:20-11:30 AM  
Break

11:30 AM-12:30 PM  
Lobby Group Meetings

12:30-12:45 PM  
Evaluations

12:45-1:00 PM  
Closing Remarks, *John Seager, President and CEO, Population Connection*

Monday, April 13

8:00 AM-4:30 PM  
Lobby Visits on Capitol Hill

Tuesday, April 14

8:00 AM-4:30 PM  
Back Up Day-Lobby Visits on Capitol Hill