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July 2, Tuesday

RIMS Physician Health Committee: Herbert Rakatansky, MD, Chair

July 4–5, Thursday–Friday

RIMS closed in observance of Independence Day

July 8, Monday RIMS Board of Directors Meeting: Peter A. Hollmann, MD, President

July 10, Wednesday

Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline

Governor's Overdose Prevention and Intervention Task Force

Meeting with Coverys regarding trends in medical professional liability in Rhode Island and New England

July 11, Thursday

State Innovation Model (SIM) Grant Steering Committee: Peter A. Hollmann, MD, President

July 12, Friday RIMS Notes issue production

July 15, Monday

Governor's Overdose Prevention and Intervention Task Force Work Group on Harm Reduction

Rhode Island Action Coalition: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation grant "Building a Culture of Whole Person Health" July 16, Tuesday OHIC Aligned Measure Sets Review

July 17, Wednesday Primary Care Physician Advisory Council Attorney General Neronha fundraiser

July 26, Friday *RIMS Notes* issue production

July 30–August 1, Tuesday–Thursday AMA State Advocacy Roundtable

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