FORUM ON THE WHITMAN ADMINISTRATION’S HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES POLICIES
Thursday, October 9, 2014
Eagleton Institute of Politics

9:00 am          Registration/ Coffee

9:30 am          Welcome:
Ruth B. Mandel, Director, Eagleton Institute of Politics
Program Overview:
John Weingart, Director, Center on the American Governor
Nancy Becker, Program Associate, Center on the American Governor
Opening Comments:
Governor Christine Todd Whitman

9:45 am          Session I:  Human Services Initiatives and Challenges
• Welfare Reform: Work First New Jersey
• Comprehensive Medicaid Reform
• Expanding Health Care Coverage for Children and their Families: Kid Care; Family Care
• Children’s Mental Health Initiative

11:15 am         Break

11:30 am         Human Services, continued
• Creating Community Living Opportunities for Persons with Disabilities
• Early Childhood Education and Enhanced Support for Low-income Working Families
• Drug Courts

1:00 pm          Lunch

1:45 pm          Session II  Health Initiatives and Challenges
Moderator: Len Fishman, Commissioner of Health
• Anti-tobacco programs
• HIV-Kids
• Late Term Abortion
• Toms River Cancer Clusters

3:15 pm          Closing Remarks: Governor Whitman

3:30 pm          Adjourn