## **PRINCIPALS IN THE TALKS**







**IN HARRISBURG:** State Sen. Don White, R-Indiana, left; Gov. Tom Corbett, and Sen. Jay Costa, D-Forest Hills, right.

## FOR UPMC:

President and CEO Jeffrey Romoff, left, and general counsel W. Thomas McGough Jr.





## FOR HIGHMARK:

Executive vice presidents Dan Onorato, left, and Deborah Rice.





## THE TERMS

■ Highmark subscribers, in both the commercial and Medicare Advantage business lines, will have in-network access to UPMC doctors and hospitals through the end of 2014.

Highmark may pay significantly higher reimbursements for services provided by UPMC to its subscribers, with increases in several steps over the next 32 months.

■ There is no guarantee of in-network access for Highmark subscribers to most UPMC facilities beyond 2014, though Highmark members in a continuing course of treatment at UPMC will also continue to have in-network access to UPMC hospital and physician services.

■ Highmark will allow its subscribers to use the new UPMC East hospital in Monroeville.

Highmark's contracts with Children's Hospital, through 2022, and UPMC Mercy, through 2015, are unaffected.

Highmark will not further seek government-imposed binding arbitration.

■ Highmark and UPMC will negotiate, by the end of June, longer-term subscriber access to Western Psychiatric Institute, some oncological services and community hospitals, including UPMC Bedford and UPMC Venango. They also will negotiate longer-term arrangements for Highmark customers in the Children's Health Insurance Program, Special Care and PA Fair Care programs.