

2010 ADD TA INSTITUTE
PATHWAYS TO FUTURE PARTNERSHIPS
 April 22-23, 2010
Agenda

<i>Thursday, April 22, 2010</i>		
<i>Time</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Location</i>
7:30-8:30am	Registration	Metropolitan Center
8:00-8:30am	Continental Breakfast	Metropolitan Center
8:30-9:00am	Welcome and Opening Remarks This full group session kicks off the meeting with welcoming remarks Presenters: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Faith McCormick (ADD) • George Jesien, PhD (AUCD) 	Metropolitan Center
9:00-10:00am	Keynote Speaker Johnnie Tuitel	Metropolitan Center
10:00-10:15am	Break	
10:15-11:00am	Address by Sharon Lewis, ADD Commissioner	Metropolitan Center
11:00-11:30am	Presentation: <i>Interdepartmental (HHS & ED) Early Learning Initiative</i> This full-group session with Q&A will address this key initiative within HHS. Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Joan Lombardi, PhD, Deputy Assistant Secretary and Inter-Departmental Liaison for Early Childhood Development, ACF, HHS (invited) 	Metropolitan Center
11:30-12:00	Address by David Hansell, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, ACF	Metropolitan Center
12:00-1:00pm	Lunch	The Hill
1:00-2:30	Panel: <i>Health Care Reform</i> This full-group session with Q&A and discussion will address the impact of health care reform on people with disabilities, on the UCEDDs, and on the activities of HHS. Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Liz Savage, Director, Health and Housing Policy, Disability Policy Collaboration • Kim Musheno, Director of Legislative Affairs, AUCD Moderator: Ansley Bacon, PhD, Director, Westchester Institute for Human Development	Metropolitan Center
2:30-2:45pm	Break	
2:45-3:45pm	Panel: <i>Implications of State Budget Cuts on Disability Services</i> This is a full group session to review and discuss the impact of State budget cuts on disability services. Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nancy Thaler, Executive Director, NASDDDS • Val Bradley, President, HSRI Moderator: Olivia Raynor, PhD, Director, Tarjan Center at UCLA	Metropolitan Center
3:45-4:30pm	Small Group Discussion In 4 facilitated breakout groups, small groups will discuss the following questions: 1. How is the disability community responding to budget cuts in your state? 2. What strategies have been implemented to address cuts to disability funding? 3. What are some alternate and creative means to provide continued quality services in the face of budget cuts? 4. What are some strategies you use to educate and inform policymakers regarding the implications of such cuts for the disability community?	The Grid (group 1) The Hub (group 2) Metropolitan Center (groups 3 & 4)
4:30-5:00pm	Reflections: <i>Implications of State Budget Cuts on Disability Services</i> This is a full-group session to reflect on the discussions and strategies related to implications of budget cuts on disability services. Facilitator: Olivia Raynor, PhD, Director, Tarjan Center at UCLA	Metropolitan Center

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8:00-8:30am	Continental Breakfast	Metropolitan Cntr.
8:30-9:15am	ADD and AUCD TA Contract Updates Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dawn Rudolph, MEd (AUCD) • Jennifer Johnson (ADD) 	Metropolitan Center
9:15-11:00pm	Panel: <i>Medicaid Trends & Predictions</i> This full group session with Q&A and discussion will address trends and predictions in: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Medicaid support for long term and family support services 2. States' utilization of the increased FMAP under ARRA and the related impact on service delivery 3. States' creative utilization of HCBS waiver models in the current economic environment 4. Opportunities for UCEDDs Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anita Yuskas, Technical Director for HCBS Quality, CMS • Steve Eiken, Analyst Sr., Community Living Systems, Healthcare & Science, Thomson Reuters • Ann Kohler, Director, National Association of State Medicaid Directors Moderator: David Mank, PhD, Director, Indiana Institute on Disability and Community	Metropolitan Center
11:00-11:15am	Break	
11:15-11:45am	Facilitated Discussion: <i>Bringing it All Together: Ideas for the Future</i> Moderator: Maggie Nygren, EdD, AUCD	Metropolitan Center
11:45am-12:00pm	Closing Remarks Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jennifer Johnson, EdD (ADD) • Dawn Rudolph, MEd (AUCD) 	Metropolitan Center
12:00pm	Boxed Lunches Available	Hallway