Wednesday, October 27

7:00 AM-2:00 PM: Registration
Conference Registration is located on the 2nd floor of the Hilton at the top of the escalator. All meeting rooms are also on the 2nd floor.

7:00-9:30 AM: Breakfast
Breakfast will be served on the 2nd floor in the Foyer area outside the Grand Kentucky Ballroom. Seating is available in the Grand Kentucky Ballroom.

7:00-8:00 AM: AHSR 2011 Hand-Off Meeting (Arabian Room)
This closed meeting will bring together the 2010 planning team, the 2011 planning team, and federal partners. Please pick up your breakfast in the Foyer to bring to the meeting.

8:30-9:30 AM: Plenary Address - Health Care Reform: Implications for the NIAAA Health Services Research Agenda (Grand Kentucky Ballroom)
Kenneth R. Warren, PhD, Acting Director
National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism

9:30-11:00 AM: Breakout Session 4
A. Closing the Addiction Treatment Gap: Preliminary Findings and Lessons (Crimson Clover Room)
Chair: Mary Jo Larson, Brandeis University
Discussant: Kima Joy Taylor, Open Society Institute

- Advocating Expanded Treatment When the Political Landscape Changes (Angela W. Walter, Laura Lorenz, Mary Brolin, and Margot Davis, Institute for Behavioral Health, Heller School for Social Policy and Management, Brandeis University)
- Using Holistic and Integrated Communication Strategies to Expand Addiction Treatment: Implications and Lessons Learned (Laura Lorenz, Mary Brolin, Elizabeth Fischer, Institute for Behavioral Health, Heller School for Social Policy and Management, Brandeis University, and Amanda Deaver, Prism Public Affairs)
- A Data-Driven Framework for Sustainable Policy Changes for Expanded Addiction Treatment (Mary Jo Larson, Gail Strickler, Mary Brolin, Institute for Behavioral Health, Heller School for Social Policy and Management, Brandeis University, and Suzanne Fields, Technical Assistance Collaborative)
- Lessons Learned when Attempting to Leverage Medicaid to Close the Addiction Treatment Gap (Mary Jo Larson, Heller School for Social Policy and Management, Brandeis University, Suzanne Fields, Technical Assistance Collaborative, Gail Strickler, Mary Brolin, and Margot Davis, PhD, Heller School for Social Policy and Management, Brandeis University)