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Health Reform and Criminal Justice: Addressing Health Disparities Among the Racial and Ethnic Minority Populations in Jails

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**Thursday, December 6th, 2012
The Columbus Club, Union Station, Washington, D.C.**

Agenda

- 8:00 a.m. Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 8:30 a.m. Welcome**
- Julia Lear, PhD, Chairperson, Community Oriented Correctional Health Services (COCHS)
 - Nancy Barrand, MPA, Senior Adviser for Program Development, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation
- 8:45 a.m. Introduction/Background: *Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Criminal Justice and Health Status and How They are Reflected by Health Reform***
- Gary Puckrein, PhD, President and Chief Executive Officer, National Minority Quality Forum
- 9:15 a.m. Keynote**
- Tonya Robinson, JD, Special Assistant to the President for Justice and Regulatory Policy, Domestic Policy Council, Executive Office of the President
- 9:45 a.m. Panel I: *Can Medicaid Expansion Mitigate Health Disparities in the Criminal Justice Population?***
- Moderator: Michael DuBose, MSW, Chief Executive Officer, COCHS
- Discussants:

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- Arthur Wallenstein, MA, Director of Corrections, Montgomery County, MD and Vice Chair, Justice and Public Safety Steering Committee, National Association of Counties
- Vanetta Abdellatif, MPH, Director of Clinical Integrated Services, Multnomah County Health Department
- Kavita Patel, MD, MSHS, Managing Director for Clinical Transformation and Delivery, Engelberg Center for Health Care Reform, The Brookings Institution

10:45 a.m. Break

11:00 a.m. Panel II: *Case Study: The California Experience*

Moderator: Elwood York, JD, Former Director of Pretrial Services, 16th Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida

Discussants:

- Steven Rosenberg, President, COCHS
- Patrick Duterte, MS, Director, Health and Social Services, Solano County, CA and Chair, Subcommittee on Health Disparities, National Association of Counties
- David Muhammad, Chief Executive Officer, Solutions, Inc. (Former Chief Probation Officer, Alameda County, CA)

12:00 p.m. Lunch

1:00 p.m. Panel III: *Experiences from Other Early Adopter States*

Moderator: Allison Hamblin, MSPH, Vice President for Strategic Planning, Center for Health Care Strategies

Discussants:

- Carlessia Hussein, RN, DrPH, Director, Office of Minority Health and Health Disparities, Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene
- Kari Armijo, Health Care Reform Manager, Medical Assistance Division, New Mexico Department of Human Services
- Thomas L. Johnson, JD, President and Chief Executive Officer, Medicaid Health Plans of America

2:15 p.m. Panel IV: *Envisioning the Future*

Moderator: Steven Rosenberg, President, COCHS

Discussants:

- Gary Puckrein, PhD, Chief Executive Officer, National Minority Quality Forum
- Louis E. Baxter, MD, FASAM, Medical Director, Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services, Department of Human Services, State of New Jersey, and Immediate Past-President, American Society of Addiction Medicine
- Lucy Perez, MD, President and CEO, The Cave Institute

3:30 p.m. Closing Remarks

3:40 p.m. Adjourn