

**SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
(SAMHSA)
ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR WOMEN'S SERVICES (ACWS)
Sugarloaf Conference Room
1 Choke Cherry Road
Rockville, Maryland 20857**

AGENDA

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Monday, September 24, 2007

- 9:00 A.M.** *Welcome and Administrator's Report*
Kana Enomoto
Principal Senior Advisor to the Administrator
Acting Chair, SAMHSA Advisory Committee for
Women's Services
Acting Associate Administrator for Women's Services
Office of the Administrator
- 9:15 A.M.** *Legislative Update*
Joe Faha
Director, Legislative Affairs
- 9:30 A.M.** *Roundtable (Updates)*
SAMHSA ACWS Members
- 10:00 A.M.** *BREAK*
- 10:15 A.M.** *ACWS Wellness Initiative and Meeting Overview*
Kana Enomoto
- 10:30 A.M.** **WORKSHOP**
*National Trends and the Policy Landscape in Wellness and
Behavioral Health*
- Moderator:** **Gail Hutchings**, President and CEO,
Behavioral Health Policy Collaborative
- Panelists:** **Kevin Ann Huckshorn**, Director
National Technical Assistance Center for State Mental Health
Planning
National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors
- Paolo del Vecchio**, Associate Director for Consumer Affairs
Center for Mental Health Services

Rob Morrison, Director of Public Policy
National Association of State Alcohol and Drug Abuse Directors

12:00 P.M. **WORKING LUNCH**
White Paper presentation
Trina Dutta, CMHS

1:00 P.M. **WORKSHOP**
Hearing from the Frontline:
Innovations in Wellness and Behavioral Health

Moderators: **Susan Salasin, CMHS**
Linda White-Young, CSAT

Panelists:

CMHS grantee: **Boat People S.O.S.**
Nguyen Dinh Thang, Director

CSAT grantee: **Meta House, Inc.**
Francine Feinberg, Project Director

CSAP grantee: Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder Program Grantee (TBD)

2:30 P.M. **BREAK**

2:45 P.M. **PANEL PRESENTATION**
Criminal Justice and Women: What SAMHSA is Doing

Presenters: **Chan Noether**
GAINS Center/TAPA Center

Susan Salasin
Public Health Advisor, CMHS

Ken Robertson
Team Leader, CSAT

3:45 P.M. **PANEL PRESENTATION**
Suicide Prevention

Presenters: **Richard McKeon**
Special Expert
Center for Mental Health Services

4:30 P.M. *Conclusion of Day One*

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9:00 A.M. **OVERVIEW OF DAY 1**
 Kana Enomoto

9:10 P.M. **FACILITATED DISCUSSION**
 Charting a Course for the Future:
 Wellness and Behavioral Health

Moderator: Gail Hutchings

10:50 A.M. ***BREAK***

11:00 A.M. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

11:15 A.M. **AWARD PRESENTATION TO RETIRING MEMBERS**

11:55 A.M. **ADMINISTRATIVE FOLLOW-UPS**

12:00 P.M. **ADJOURNMENT**