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**Affordable Care Act and BeHavioral Health:  What You Need to Know to Be Ready**

Windsor Village United Methodist Church ~ Kingdom Builders Center

6011 West Orem, Promenade Room (second floor)

Monday, September 10, 2012 ~ 9:00 AM to Noon

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9:00 **Welcome, Purpose of the Day, and Introductions Ann Robison, ED, MCC**

9:15 **The ACA Train Has Left the Station: Will You be Ready to Get On Board?**

Michael Duffy, RN, BSN

Regional Administrator-Region VI

Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA)

9:50 **Questions & Answers**

10:00 **Break**

10:10 **Facilitated Breakout Sessions #1 Sandy Olson, ED, CBHS**

* ***Becoming Medicaid licensed and credentialing clients—what it means if you don't, what it means when you do***

Ann Robison, Executive Director, Montrose Counseling Center

* ***Becoming an integrated health care partner—what it means to your agency and how to make it happen***

Alejandra Posada, Director of Education and Training, Mental Health America of Greater Houston

* ***The challenge of certified electronic health records for behavioral health providers***

Paul Lampi, Director of Business Development and Information Systems, DePelchin Children’s Center

* ***Ensuring evaluations that meet the new funding requirements***

Leonard Kincaid, Chief Operating Officer, Council on Alcohol and Drugs-Houston

10:55 **Break**

11:00 **Facilitated Breakout Sessions #2 ~ Repeat of Sessions #1**

11:45 **Next steps and closing remarks Marion Coleman, ED, NBHP**

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