

**SAMHSA Primary and Behavioral Health Care Integration (PBHCI)
Northeast Region Learning Community In-Person Meeting
Thursday, January 22 – Friday, January 23, 2015**

Logistical Information

If you have logistical questions or need special assistance, please contact Rose Felipe at emmag@thenationalcouncil.org or 202-684-7457, ext. 251.

The SAMHSA-HRSA Center for Integrated Health Solutions (CIHS) is excited to offer you an opportunity to join your fellow grantees for an in-person meeting. This meeting is an important part of the PBHCI Learning Community designed to support your integration efforts and address your needs.

MEETING LOCATION

John F. Kennedy Federal Building
15 New Sudbury Street
Boston, MA 02203

**** All persons are required to have valid picture identification (i.e. state driver license/identification, government identification/credentials, etc.) to enter the building. Visitors will be required to show their identification at the security check point before entering the building.**

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

We suggest that each grantee consider sending up to three individuals most closely involved in the implementation of the PBHCI project, including project directors, primary care partners, and evaluators. If you would like to send more than three people or need further information please contact Emma Green at emmag@thenationalcouncil.org.

HOW TO REGISTER

Please complete the online registration form at <http://www.iotformpro.com/form/43426337460958>

**** All persons who will be attending the meeting must register in advance. The JFK Federal Building requires the list of attendees prior to the meeting date. Please register by Friday, January 16, 5 pm ET.**

HOTEL

CIHS has booked a block of rooms at the Omni Parker House, located at 60 School Street, Boston MA 02108 at a rate of \$179/night. To make a reservation call Omni Reservations at 1-800-THE-OMNI and reference the National Council for Behavioral Health (group name) and/or CIHS Regional Meeting. Reservations can also be made online at <http://www.omnihotels.com/hotels/boston-parker-house/meetings/cihs-regional-meeting-1>

*Please note: you are responsible for making your own hotel reservations. We apologize for the short notice but per hotel policy, reservations must be made by **Wednesday, January 7, 2015.***

DRESS CODE

Dress code is business casual.

AGENDA

The meeting will begin at 1:00 pm on Thursday, January 22 and finish at approximately 3:00 pm on Friday, January 23. There will be multiple opportunities to network with other grantees and the final agenda will be shared with grantees prior to the meeting.

MEAL OPTIONS

Due to federal restrictions food will not be provided. Lunch will be on your own. A list of dining options will be available during the meeting.

TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

The Omni Parker House is just 2.3 miles from Logan International Airport (10 minutes). For travel information, including driving instructions and parking information, please follow the link below: <http://www.omnihotels.com/FindAHotel/BostonParkerHouse/MapAndDirections.aspx>

WEATHER

January is the coolest month in Boston. Temperatures can reach an average high of 36°F and average low of 18°F.

Inclement Weather:

Please note we follow the federal government status in regards to inclement weather closing. If federal offices close due to inclement weather, those listed in the attached attendee list will be e-mailed and sent a text message regarding the closure. However, please check <http://www.boston.feb.gov/> to view the most up to date operating status.

TOURIST INFORMATION

Although you will have full meeting days while in Boston, if you choose to extend your stay or arrive early, see the following link for tourist attractions, dining options, and upcoming events:

<http://www.massvacation.com/>