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Dear Members,

Thank you for your participation in the January monthly call which reviewed general information about the distinction between Mental Illness and Behavioral Health, common mental health problems that affect older adults and people with disabilities, and Mental Health resources for community professionals including Mental Health First Aid. The two featured presenters were:

- Marian Scheinholtz, Public Health Advisor in the Center for Mental Health Services at the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Association (SAMHSA); and
- David Truzman, the Public Education Manager at the Mental Health Association of New York City.

Did you miss it?

Don't worry, we are now recording all monthly calls and posting them to the I&R/A website. Click [here](#) to find a listing of all of the I&R/A Support Center's archived monthly calls.

February Monthly Call, Thursday, 2/14 @ 3:00p ET

Also focusing on Mental health, this call will feature **Kimberly Williams of the MH Association of NYC**, who will discuss mental health advocacy, coalition building, consumer perspective/voice, resources and changes to the copay rules; and **Rachel Weiner, Director of the State Options Counseling Program in Massachusetts**, who will review state examples of successful partnerships between the Aging/Disability Network and the Mental Health Network.

AIRS Conference Call for Proposals is Out

[The Alliance of Information and Referral Systems \(AIRS\) Conference](#) will be held June 2-5, in Portland, Oregon this year. In partnership with the Administration for Community Living and the National Association of Area Agencies on Aging (n4a), NASUAD's I&R/A Support Center staff are coordinating the Aging and Disability Track for the AIRS Conference. **Preference will be given to proposals that incorporate crossover between tracks, so please keep the other tracks in mind while considering your proposal submission. AIRS Conference Tracks:** Aging and Disability, 2-1-1; Disaster; I&R Management; I&R Service Delivery; Serving the Military; Resource Database; and Technology. Click [here](#) for the proposal application. **Due date, March 1, 2013.**

Please contact me with questions,

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