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Medication-Assisted Treatment for Opiate Addiction

Audioconference Exploring Medication-Assisted Treatment for Opiate Addiction

This web-assisted audioconference will discuss medication-assisted treatment for opiate addiction. This session is part of a project to educate state legislators and legislative staff about medication-assisted treatment for opiate addiction. This project is a collaborative effort of the National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL) and the Avisa Group. The project is funded through an unrestricted grant from Reckitt Benckiser Pharmaceuticals.

Registration is free. For more information see below or go to www.ncsl.org/programs/health/forum/mat.htm.

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**Innovations in Health Policy:
Medication-Assisted Treatment for Opiate Addiction
Friday, October 17th 3:00 pm EDT**

This web-assisted audioconference will provide an overview of medication-assisted treatment for opiate addiction (MAT), state actions and policies regarding MAT, and the public financing of that treatment. Dr. Vocci will provide an overview of medication-assisted treatment for opiate addiction. Mr. Allen will discuss the state actions and policies regarding MAT and the public financing of MAT in Washington State.

- *Moderator: Texas Representative Jerry Madden*
- Frank Vocci, Ph.D., Director, Division of Pharmacotherapies and Medical Consequences of Drug Abuse, National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA), National Institutes of Health (NIH), U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)
- Doug Allen, Director, Division of Alcohol and Substance Abuse (DASA), Washington Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS)

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