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# Workforce Investment Act

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**To:** Chief Elected Officials  
Workforce Investment Board Chairs  
Workforce Investment Board Directors  
Title I Administrators  
Career Center Directors  
Title I Fiscal Officers  
DCS Regional Directors for Workforce Integration  
DCS Associate Directors  
DCS Field Managers

**cc:** WIA State Partners

**From:** Susan V. Lawler, Commissioner  
Division of Career Services

**Date:** November 17, 2005

**Subject:** Faith Based and Community Initiatives Conference

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**Purpose:** To inform Chief Elected Officials, Local Workforce Investment Boards, One-Stop Career Center Operators and other local workforce investment partners of a Faith Based and Community Initiatives (FBCI) conference to be held on Monday, December 12, 2005 at the U.S. Department of Labor (USDOL) 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Conference Center at the J.F.K. Federal Building and is hosted by USDOL Region 1 in conjunction with HUD, HHS, EPA, DOE, DOJ, SBA and USDA.

**Background:** The conference “Navigating the Landscape: Accessing Your Local Grassroots Organizations” is designed to help state and local officials working on faith based and community initiatives establish an FCBI office and maximize the effectiveness of local outreach efforts to the grassroots community.

The attached Conference Brochure provides registration instructions.

**Action**

**Required:** Please assure that appropriate entities and staff are informed of this conference.

**Filing:** Please file this in your notebook of previously issued WIA Communication Series Issuances as #05-83.