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**TASC Webinar:
Flex Program Relationships with
Health Information Technology (HIT) Regional Extension Centers**

Monday, June 6, 2011

2:00pm – 3:30pm Central Time

(12:00pm Pacific, 1:00pm Mountain, 3:00pm Eastern)

Agenda

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| 2:00pm | Introductions and Flex Program Updates
<i>Terry Hill and Tracy Morton, Technical Assistance & Services Center (TASC)</i> |
| 2:10pm | Overview of Request for Information Results – Flex Programs and Their Relationships with HIT Regional Extension Centers (RECs)
<i>Tracy Morton, TASC</i> |
| 2:20pm | Regional Extension Center (REC) Perspectives of Working with Rural and Critical Access Hospitals (CAHs) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ONC perspective on working collaboratively
<i>Jane Gelbmann, Office of the National Coordinator for Health IT</i>• REC Success Strategies for Working in Rural
<i>Tammy Flick, Iowa Foundation for Medical Care (Iowa REC)</i>• REC Success Strategies for Working with CAHs
<i>Louis Wenzlow, Rural Wisconsin Health Cooperative (Wisconsin REC)</i>• REC Challenges of Engaging CAHs and Impact of Broadband
<i>Roger Holloway, Northern Illinois University (Illinois REC)</i> |
| 3:00pm | Questions and Facilitated Discussion with Flex Programs on Challenges and Successes Working with RECs
<i>Ask REC experts about their suggestions for approaching work with CAHs and working collaboratively with RECs. Share stories or seek advice from other Flex Programs or RECs.</i> |
| 3:30pm | Adjourn |