



# MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION OF COLORADO

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## **MEDIA ALERT**

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## **LEGISLATIVE CAUCUS TO DISCUSS MENTAL HEALTH DISPARITIES**

**What:** The **Mental Health Association of Colorado** (MHAC), Colorado Behavioral Healthcare Council (CBHC) and legislative hosts are holding the second monthly Legislative Caucus luncheon, a forum for legislators and mental health advocates to discuss bills and issues affecting mental health care. All legislators, their aides and the media are invited.

**Who:** **Jeanne M. Rohner**, President and CEO, MHAC  
**Chris Habgood**, Vice President of Public Policy and Advocacy, MHAC  
**George Delgrosso**, Executive Director, CBHC  
**Doyle Forrestal**, Director of Public Policy, CBHC  
**Senator Moe Keller**  
**Senator Steve Johnson**  
**Representative Anne McGihon**  
**Representative Debbie Stafford**

**When:** Thursday, February 15, 2007 - 12:00-1:30pm

**Where:** SCR-356 - State Capitol

**Highlights:** **Mental Health Disparities** - Addressing Access and Utilization of Mental Health Services  
Pilar Ingargiola, MPH, The Center for Systems Integration  
Carnita M. Groves, MA, Association of Black Psychologists; Denver Chapter  
Maria Evelyn Morreo, MA, El Centro Esperanza

For more information on legislation being monitored by Mental Health Association of Colorado, visit the MHAC website, Hot Legislation page: <http://www.mhacolorado.org/policy.html> - **HOT**

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### **About the Mental Health Association of Colorado**

The Mental Health Association of Colorado is the catalyst and voice for the Colorado mental health movement. Through Education, Advocacy and Outreach, we provide resources to Coloradans affected by the entire spectrum of mental health issues.

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