



**Pan American  
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*Regional Office of the  
World Health Organization*



**WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY 2009**

**“MENTAL HEALTH IN PRIMARY CARE: ENHANCING TREATMENT AND PROMOTING MENTAL HEALTH”**

*The 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Commemoration of World Mental Health Day  
The World Federation for Mental Health and the Pan American Health Organization  
Thursday, October 8, 2009  
Pan American Health Organization Headquarters  
10:00 am – 11:30 am*

**PROPOSED PROGRAM**

<i>5 Minutes</i>	<i>Welcome and Opening Remarks</i>	<i>Jose Luis Di Fabio, Area Manager Pan American Health Organization</i>
<i>5 Minutes</i>	<i>Welcome and Introduction of Dr. Rodriguez</i>	<i>Charles Ray, WFMH Treasurer</i>
<i>25 Minutes</i>	<i>PAHO Strategy and Plan of Action on Mental Health</i>	<i>Jorge J. Rodriguez, Project Coordinator Mental Health, Disabilities &amp; Rehabilitation, PAHO</i>
<i>10 Minutes</i>	<i>“Mental Health in Primary Care: Enhancing Treatment and Promoting Mental Health”</i>	<i>Charles Ray</i>
<i>40 Minutes</i>	<i>Panel Speakers:  Dr. Tom Wise Dr. Eric Goplerud</i>	<i>INOVA Healthcare, Behavioral Health GW University Medical Center</i>
<i>10 Minutes</i>	<i>Questions &amp; Answers</i>	<i>Panelists</i>
<i>5 Minutes</i>	<i>Summary, Acknowledgements, Closing</i>	<i>Charles Ray</i>

**Reception to Follow in the First Floor Lobby  
11:30-12:00**