



**Increasing Opportunity:
Improving the Jobs First Employment
Services Program**

*Co-sponsored by Speaker of the House,
Rep. Chris Donovan and Senate President
Pro Tem, Sen. Don Williams*

Tuesday, Jan. 11, 2011

**Registration: 8:00 - 9:15 am, 2nd floor
Atrium, LOB**

Forum: 9:30 am - 1:00 pm

**Legislative Office Building (LOB),
Room 2C**

Hartford, CT

Organized by CABHN and the Welfare Working Group

Join us for a discussion with program administrators, program participants, advocates, and legislators on effective strategies for improving JFES!

Featured speakers include:

Rep. Chris Donovan, Speaker of the House

LaDonna Pavetti, Director of the Welfare Reform and Income Support Division, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities in Washington, D.C.

Wayne Valaitis, Vice President of Operations, FSW, Inc., Bridgeport

Amos Smith, President and CEO, Community Action Agency of New Haven

Rev. Bonita Grubbs, Executive Director, Christian Community Action, New Haven

Erica Raycob, Waterbury Regional Coordinator, Employing People for Success program

Participants in the Jobs First Employment Services Program

Rep. Toni Walker, (D) New Haven

RSVP appreciated. RSVP to esmall@larcc.org.