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**A Webcast on**

**“The Fostering Connections Act: Building Supportive Pathways for Older Youth”**

**Friday, May 15th**

**1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. ET**

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**\*\*No Registration Required\*\***

The National Governors Association Center for Best Practices is pleased to announce the third webcast related to the Fostering Connections Act. **We encourage you to pass this invitation along to any colleagues or listservs that might be interested in this event.**

The Fostering Connections Act includes several provisions that provide opportunities for states to build supportive pathways for older youth in and transitioning out of care. This webcast will highlight two states, Connecticut and Massachusetts, that have developed a strategic approach to implementing the Fostering Connections Act to support youth. These states also have long standing programs already in place that support older youth and align with the Fostering Connections Act. They will be sharing their expertise and experience with the audience.

This webcast will feature:

- Donna Cambria, Superintendent of Schools, Connecticut Department of Children and Families
- Angelo McClain, Commissioner, Massachusetts Department of Children and Families
- Maureen Messeder, Director, Adolescent Services, Massachusetts Department of Children and Families
- Brett Rayford, Bureau Chief, Connecticut Department of Children and Families Bureau of Adolescent and Transitional Services

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**Viewers will be able to email in questions during the live event, and the webcast recording will be archived on the NGA website for future viewing.** More resources related to the webcast presentations will be posted prior to the event on the event [website](#). For more information contact Jody Grutza at [jgrutza@nga.org](mailto:jgrutza@nga.org).