ACRC entered into a contract with John de Miranda to assist with implementation of the MHSA grant addressing substance abuse treatment for individuals with developmental disabilities. The contracted amount will not exceed \$44,400 during the 2011-2012 fiscal year, \$25,560 during the 2012-2013 fiscal year and \$25,560 during the 2013-2014 fiscal year. In order to facilitate completion of grant activities, Mr. de Miranda will:

- Support ACRC staff with implementation of the MHSA grant related to consumers with developmental disabilities and a co-morbid substance abuse issues
- Develop materials and conduct trainings for professionals in the developmental disabilities and/or substance abuse and mental health treatment fields related to serving those with multiple diagnoses
- Provide consultation to ACRC staff related to the management of public relations pertaining to the MHSA grant project
- Organize a Joint Task Force to address the issue of substance abuse treatment for individuals with developmental disabilities and facilitate monthly meetings of this group.
- Develop training curriculums related to substance abuse prevention and education for individuals with developmental disabilities.
- Provide program development and clinical consultation in the development of vendors to establish a residential facility, outpatient group and peer support program for individuals with developmental disabilities and co-morbid substance abuse issues.