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WHAT: Massachusetts Rehabilitation Commission Annual Consumer Conference

“Empowerment through Employment, Advocacy and Action”

WHERE: Northeastern University
360 Huntington Avenue, Curry Student Center
Boston

WHEN: June 12, 2008 from 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

The Massachusetts Rehabilitation Commission (MRC) and Northeastern University invite consumers, advocates, members of the community and the media to the MRC’s Annual Consumer Conference. The theme of this year’s conference is *“Empowerment through Employment, Advocacy and Action.”*

The full-day conference will offer a variety of educational workshops and opportunities for informal networking among MRC consumers and agency staff, as well as Northeastern students and faculty. This event marks the launch of a new partnership between the Commission and Northeastern University that will enhance resources available to MRC consumers and staff and the Northeastern community.

For more information, please contact Emeka Nwokeji, Director of the MRC Consumer Involvement Program at 617-204-3665 (voice) or 617-204-3868 (TTY).

About the Massachusetts Rehabilitation Commission

The Massachusetts Rehabilitation Commission assists individuals with disabilities to live and work independently. The MRC is responsible for Community Services, Vocational Rehabilitation Services, and eligibility determination for the Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) federal benefits programs for Massachusetts citizens with disabilities.