



## UNITED STATES SECTION

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Dear Ms. Garcia:

Congratulations! We are pleased to inform you that the Migrant Clinicians Network *TBNet* project has been selected as the U.S.-México Border Health Commission *2010 Border Models of Excellence in Tuberculosis Surveillance and Control* recipient.

We are honored to recognize the Migrant Clinicians Network with this award. After careful consideration and review of applications from a fine group of tuberculosis surveillance and control programs along the U.S.-México border, the selection panel determined that your program was among the most successful and deserving of the award.

*TBNet* is to be recognized as a vital and integral part of tuberculosis work along the U.S.-México border. This recognition demonstrates your organization's exceptional leadership, innovation, and determination.

We are pleased to invite one staff member from the *TBNet* project to attend the Models of Excellence Awards Event on May 26, 2010, in San Diego, California. Additional information on this event and travel support is provided in the attached document.

We respectfully request that you prepare a 30-minute presentation of *TBNet* to share during the event (please see attached agenda).

Following the Models of Excellence Awards Event, your program will be featured in the *2010 Border Models of Excellence in Tuberculosis Surveillance and Control* compendium. The compendium will be published and distributed by the U.S.-México Border Health Commission and disseminated to interested parties at local, state, federal, binational, and international levels.

Again, congratulations and thank you for your dedication to this most important work.

Sincerely,

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