Gov. Deval Patrick has appointed Susan Servais, executive director of the Massachusetts Health Council, to the Massachusetts Prevention and Wellness Trust Advisory Board. The governor created the Board as part of the 2012 health care cost-containment legislation (Chapter 224) and will allocate $60 million in grants over a four-year period to Massachusetts communities that are launching prevention programs. Servais will be among a handful of public health advocates who will be evaluating and selecting grantees for the funds. Servais, who has been in the health care arena for 35 years, has served as the Massachusetts Health Council's executive director since 1998.