



**MECKLENBURG COUNTY**  
**Area Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities and**  
**Substance Abuse Services**  
**May 28, 2012**

***PROVIDER HOT SHEET***

- ⇒ **PROHIBITION AGAINST RE-DISCLOSURE 10A NCAC 26B .0304(a)** - Agencies disclosing confidential information pursuant to G.S. 122C-52 through G.S. 122C-56 shall inform the recipient that re-disclosure of such information is prohibited without client consent 10A NCAC 26B. 0304(b). A Stamp may be used to fulfill this requirement.
- ⇒ **NAMI-Charlotte** is pleased to offer some financial assistance to consumers through the Anita Flowers Fund. This assistance shall be provided when a Mental Health Professional submits proper documentation on the application provided. (add link) Assistance is for dental, vision or hearing expenses which are not covered by Medicaid or Medicare. Each request should not exceed \$250.00 per person / per year and the individual receiving services must be a resident of Mecklenburg County. Funds will be distributed directly to the provider. [Anita Flowers Application](#)
- ⇒ **The Mecklenburg Provider Council Executive Board is seeking applicants from the following service groups:** Specialty Providers, ICFMR, Hospitals, Individual Practitioners, and Practice Groups. Interested providers please submit a completed application to [jalali@kerr-homes.com](mailto:jalali@kerr-homes.com) no later than May 31, 2012. Providers must be in good standing with the LMC. Click on links: [2012 MPC Application](#), [Code of Ethics](#)
- ⇒ Your single point of contact for all suggestions, input, feedback, questions and concerns regarding the Hot Sheet should be directed to Dennis Knasel, LME Director of Network Development and Provider Relations at [Dennis.Knasel@MecklenburgCountyNC.gov](mailto:Dennis.Knasel@MecklenburgCountyNC.gov). [Subscribe](#) to the weekly Hot Sheet releases

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**PROVIDER COUNCIL REMINDERS AND UPDATES**

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- ⇒ **Provider Council Sub-Committees** – Two standing subcommittees have been formed by the Provider Council. If you are interested or want more information, please contact the committee chairs. The two committees are:
  - **Quality Training Management Committee (QTM)** – The purpose of the meetings is to promote best practices collaborative growth in the areas of training and quality management, and understanding and support with regard to state and local processes.
    - ◆ Lisa Davis ,Genesis Project 1, 704-596-0505 [ldavis@genesisproject1.org](mailto:ldavis@genesisproject1.org)
    - ◆ Angela Bunting, BWB Connections, 704-596-5553 [Angela.Bunting@connectionsbw.com](mailto:Angela.Bunting@connectionsbw.com)
    - ◆ Sonyia Richardson. Another Level Counseling & Consultation, 704-548-5298 [srichardson@anotherlevelservices.com](mailto:srichardson@anotherlevelservices.com)
- ⇒ **> The next scheduled meeting is Wednesday, June 20th, 2012 at 9 AM in the Carlton Watkins Center Multipurpose room.**
  - **Provider Outreach Sub-Committee has transformed into the Network Development Sub-committee.** The purpose is to provide recommendations and feedback to the LME specific to the development of a provider network within a waiver environment and to develop information and learning sessions to assist providers in becoming waiver ready.
    - ◆ Shari Wright (Co-Chair) Connections BWB, Inc. 704-596-5553, [shari.wright@connectionsbw.com](mailto:shari.wright@connectionsbw.com)

Mecklenburg Area MH/DD/SA Services

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## EDUCATION AND TRAINING OPORTUNITIES

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- ⇒ MeckCARES Training Institute offers a full range of high-quality classroom and now [online courses](#) that meet state service definitions and requirements and will empower you to improve outcomes for youth and families. [Register](#) Today!
- Learn about System of Care principles and practices
  - See how Child and Family Teams should operate
  - Gain knowledge, power and respect to strengthen families and improve lives
- ⇒ **Mecklenburg's PROMISE Recovery and Crisis Training Calendar** - MeckPromise is offering free Wellness, Recovery & Crisis Education classes for consumers and providers at our new location 1041 Hawthorne Lane, Charlotte, NC 28205. Please feel free to drop by and see what we've got going on! For more information on our classes please call the main number at 980-321-4021 or John Cunningham at 980-321-4025 or via email at [jcunningham@meckpromise.com](mailto:jcunningham@meckpromise.com) to request a current calendar.
- ⇒ The [LME Monthly AMH Training Calendar](#) is posted on-line.
- ⇒ **TIP – Training in Innovation and Practice** –The NC Council of Community Programs and the Administrative Services Organization, a group of providers, continue to offer training to help providers adapt to changing circumstances. For a list of currently scheduled training events and to register, go to [www.nc-council.org](http://www.nc-council.org).
- ⇒ **Mental Health Association offers various training opportunities to include QPR (Question, Persuade, and Refer) suicide prevention training.** Please visit website <http://mhacentralcarolinas.org> or call 704-365-3454 for more information.

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## WEB RESOURCES

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- ⇒ [NC Division of MH/DD/SAS](#)
- ⇒ [NC Division of MH/DD/SAS Provider Endorsement Information](#)
- ⇒ [NC Division of MH/DD/SAS Implementation Updates](#)
- ⇒ [Mecklenburg AMH](#)
- ⇒ [AMH Hot Sheet Archive](#)
- ⇒ [1915 \(b\)\(c\) Waiver Updates from Division Medical Assistance](#)
- ⇒ [Comparison: NC Innovations and CAP-MR/DD Waivers](#)
- ⇒ [LME-MCO Appeal Process \(per federal CFR 438.400\)](#)
- ⇒ [AMH Provider Document Library](#)