



# THE CENTENNIAL BRIEFING



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*Our mission is to achieve excellence in the provision of behavioral health services that lead to optimal health and well being*

## NEWS FROM THE NORTHEAST

We're excited that Melissa King, Mel, MSW is almost through with training and will begin taking clients in July. We are so appreciative of the other regions stepping in to help out while we have a clinician out on medical leave.

Gina Ashmore, MSW, is moving to a telehealth position. This is exciting for multiple reasons. We can fill the needs of our clients from anywhere virtually and some clients are really drawn to this type of care.

Our support staff across the regions have been extremely adaptable with the changes and have had to make a lot of outreach to clients to get them set up and ready to go I'm particularly proud of the NE and their commitment to ensuring clients are still receiving quality services even as the platform evolves.

Thanks also to the medical team for working so well with our support staff as each new level has been implemented. We appreciate the efforts to help clean up cases and set clear boundaries.

A big thank you to our clinicians for adapting well in Michael's absence. The seemingly flawless transition of the RCD's who are helping to fill in until a replacement is found has been a huge relief.

**Jami Brecht**

NE Regional Operations Director



## IN CASE YOU MISSED IT

As some of you are aware, we will be opening two sober living residences in Fort Morgan to assist those in recovery needing additional support and structure in their treatment. The women's facility will house 6 to 8 adults with additional space for children. The men's facility will house 6 to 8 adults also. Lengths of stay will be up to 6 months. Referrals will be received from current CMHC clients and from the community throughout our 10 county area.

We would like to ask for your help in naming these facilities. Thinking of our tag line, Moving Lives Forward and themes of recovery, renewal, support, and wellness and as well of our rural and agricultural community setting, please propose names for each facility.

Submit your suggestions to the Sober Living Program Manager, Kirsten Zeglis at [KirstenZ@centennialmhc.org](mailto:KirstenZ@centennialmhc.org) by July 17<sup>th</sup>.

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We will collect suggestions for names for the facilities for a couple of weeks and then the list of names will be reviewed by a small group and a selection for each home will be made.