



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

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT

I want to remind everyone that we are required to report Critical Incidents to the agencies that license the Center. We are required to report Critical Incidents within 24 hours of when the incident occurs or within 24 hours of when we become aware of the incident. Please once again review the criteria below of when a Critical Incident is required. To file a critical incident please open Centennial's SharePoint site and click on Incidents, scroll down and on the left hand side of the page you will notice "Reporting Forms" please click "Critical Incident" form. Critical Incidents should be considered in any significant event, or condition of a public concern that may jeopardize the health, safety, and/or welfare of staff and/or clients.

Critical incidents include, but are not limited to the following:

1. Death of an OPEN client for any reason including accident, suicide, murder, assault and natural causes.
2. Death of anyone in CMHC Facility or Vehicle.
3. Death of a staff member while on duty.
4. Accidents that occur at the facility, or in center vehicles.
5. Suicide attempts by clients resulting in injuries that require medical attention.
6. Assaults occurring at the facility that result in summoning of law enforcement.
7. Abuse, neglect or exploitation of clients at any facility operated by the CMHC, or while involved in center activities that result in investigation by law enforcement, or social services agencies.
8. Fire or major destruction of center property.
9. Theft or loss of controlled substances prescribed for clients and dispensed, administered, and/or monitored by the center.
10. Missing client or resident of the center if there are concerns that the health, safety, or welfare of the person is at risk.
11. Actions of staff that are significant ethical, moral or legal violations.
12. Other incidents that are deemed to be of a critical nature by the supervisor, staff member or management team including emergency or screening services.
13. Threats to CMHC property, vehicles or staff.
14. For more detailed information regarding this form, please refer to page 13 in the Operations Manual.

CENTENNIAL IN THE COMMUNITY

Early Childhood Council, Northeastern Junior College partnering to offer Early Childhood Conference Conference will be held virtually on Jan. 29

Anyone who cares for children and/or works with families is invited to attend this free event. Participants can earn up to seven hours of free training from the comfort of their own homes.

One of the sessions for the day includes: Destressing While Kiddos Are Stressing led by Amy Nation, early childhood consultant with Centennial Mental Health Center, and Cheryl Bills, a member of Centennial's childhood mental health consulting team.

For a complete schedule, go to:

<https://bit.ly/3zWXn8O>.

Registration is required by Jan. 26, to register go to:

<https://bit.ly/3zYAi5q>.

To read the full newspaper article visit below:

<https://www.southplattsentinel.com/2022/01/14/early-childhood-council-northeastern-junior-college-partnering-to-offer-early-childhood-conference/>

STAFF AWARDED OUTSIDE OUR WALLS

Jim Kuemmerle, Regional Clinical Director in the NE was recently awarded The Vigil Honor from Boy Scouts of America. It is the highest honor that can be bestowed upon members for service to lodge, council and Scouting. "The Vigil Honor is a high mark of distinction and recognition reserved for those who, by reason of exceptional service, personal effort and unselfish interest have made distinguished contributions" to Scouting. Only 1 in 1000 Scouts are awarded this honor each year.

Congratulations Jim!! We're proud of you.

Psychiatric Services Overview								
Individuals Served	Andrew Halpern, D.O.	Bryce Thacker, N.P.	David Geldert, R.N.	Paul Freda, M.D.	Leah Brown, N.P.	Ashley Weycer, N.P.	Bob Vadnal, M.D.	Patricia Payne, M.D.
Ages served:	All ages	All ages	All ages	All ages	13 and up	15 and up	18 and up	18 and below
Suboxone?:	yes	yes	no	yes	yes	yes	no	no