WESTMORELAND COUNTY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH (BH) DEPARTMENT ~ ADULTS

Phyllis Knott
Adult Behavioral Health (BH) Program Coordinator
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Carol Dunlap - Adult BH Program Specialist

- Achieving Community Experience (ACE)
- Backup processing of court documents for MH hearings & commitments.
- Community Housing Liaison
- Criminal Justice Liaison Oversight
- Criminal Justice/Advisory Board Representative (CJAB)
- Grievance Level II Representative
- Home Community Service Information System (HCSIS)
- Med Management & Education
- Mental Health Delegate
- MH Housing Programs Oversight
- Personal Care Home Representative

Sara Gumola - Adult BH Program Specialist

- Adult Partial Hospitalization Program
- Annual MH Evals/Annual MH Plan
- Backup processing of court documents for MH hearings & commitments.
- Behavioral Health/Developmental Services Dual Diagnosis Representative
- Consumer/Family Satisfaction Team (C/FST)
- Drop-In Centers
- Grievance Level II Contact/Representative
- Mental Health Delegate
- Out-Patient
- Rep Payee
- Resource Guides/Website Updates
- Vocational Rehabilitation

Dawn Hixson - Adult BH Program Specialist

- Annual MH Plan
- Assertive Community Treatment (ACT)
- Backup processing of court documents for MH hearings & commitments.
- Base Service Unit/Case Management Services
- Community Employment Education Resources (CEER)
- Crisis Programs
- Critical Incidents & Complaints
- Disaster Crisis Outreach Referral Team (DCORT) Coordinator
- Grievance Level II Representative
- Mental Health Delegate
- Oversight of Peer Specialist/Peer Mentor Programs
- Psychiatric Rehabilitation/ PR Clubhouse
- Representative to Older Adult Initiatives

Renee Patten – Emergency/Court Commitment Coordinator

- County & State forensic systems oversight
- Disaster Crisis Outreach Referral Team (DCORT) Coordinator
- Emergency Services
- Intake & Proposed Services Plan Authorizations
- Mental Health Delegate
- Oversight of authorizations for County funded prescriptions
- Processing of court documents for Mental Health hearings & commitments

Jill Kowalewski – Community Hospital Integration Program Project Coordinator

- Adult Community Advocacy/Ombudsman
- Adult Community and State Civil Hospital Oversight
- Backup processing of court documents for MH hearings & commitments.
- Continuity of Care Liaison/TSH and other State Mental Hospitals
- Grievance Level II Representative
- Local Community Support Program Liaison
- Mental Health Delegate
- Services Team for Adults in Recovery (STAR) Coordinator