



Bi-Weekly Bulletin for November 12, 2020

MEMBER NEWS

Governor Ivey Announces Awardees of Crisis Center Funding

The providers and locations of the new crisis centers are **AltaPointe Health** in Mobile, the Montgomery Area Mental Health Authority, and WellStone Behavioral Health in Huntsville.

<https://governor.alabama.gov/newsroom/2020/10/governor-ivey-announces-awardees-of-crisis-center-funding/>

MONARCH TO OPEN THE GOODALE SCHOOL, EMPOWERING RECOVERY AND ACADEMIC SUCCESS FOR HIGH SCHOOL BOYS

Monarch, a leading provider of behavioral health and substance use disorder services in North Carolina, is opening The Goodale School and Recovery Community, a therapeutic residential boarding school for boys ages 14 to 17 with substance use and co-occurring disorders, in Asheville, North Carolina.

<https://monarchnc.org/monarch-to-open-the-goodale-school-empowering-recovery-and-academic-success-for-high-school-boys/>

CHRIS WYRE ANNOUNCES RETIREMENT / VBH BOARD NAMES PHYLLIS PERSINGER PRESIDENT

After more than 43 years working with VBH, Chris' legacy of service to clients, staff, and the behavioral health field in Tennessee has been exemplary.

<https://www.vbhcs.org/2020/11/chris-wyre-announces-retirement-vbh-board-names-phyllis-persinger-president/#:~:text=Chris%20Wyre%20announces%20retirement%20%2F%20VBH%20Board%20names%20Phyllis%20Persinger%20President,-August%207%2C%202020&text=James%20Boerner%2C%20Chair%20of%20the,retiring%20in%20August%20of%202021.>

New La Porte treatment center offers help for patients' opioid addiction close to home

Opioid addiction doesn't take a break – even for a global pandemic. In fact, with overdoses across Indiana rising dramatically since the COVID-19 outbreak, treatment and counseling for those struggling with dependency issues are more important than ever.

https://www.lpheralddispatch.com/news/local/article_b0eda7ba-6884-5316-b07c-c8109ec8d13f.html

Crisis Stabilization Unit in Prescott Valley evolves to meet growing, differing community needs

With a warm welcome from civic, mental health, hospital and law enforcement leaders, Western Yavapai Guidance Clinic three years ago opened the county's first and only 24-hour, seven-day-a-week Crisis Stabilization Unit (CSU) in Prescott Valley.

<https://www.dcourier.com/news/2020/sep/30/crisis-stabilization-unit-prescott-valley-evolves/>

Centerstone to host LGBTQ+ and Mental Health Training event in December

Centerstone, a national leader in behavioral health care, will host a free, online LGBTQ+ and Mental Health Training event on Friday, December 11 from 8:30-9:30 a.m. The training will strengthen participants' work with individuals on any part of the sexuality-gender spectrum.

<https://www.riverbender.com/articles/details/centerstone-to-host-lgbtq-and-mental-health-training-event-in-december-45708.cfm>

INDUSTRY NEWS

Changing the systems that burn out clinicians

"Wellness is not an issue, it's a value," said Bryant Adibe, chief wellness officer at Rush University System for Health.

https://www.smartbrief.com/original/2020/11/changing-systems-burn-out-clinicians?utm_source=brief

Boston, NY Hospitals Collaborate on Telehealth Platform for COVID-19 Rehab

Health systems in Boston and New York have joined forces to develop a telehealth platform designed to improve clinical outcomes in COVID-19 patients recovering at home after a hospital discharge.

<https://mhealthintelligence.com/news/boston-ny-hospitals-collaborate-on-telehealth-platform-for-covid-19-rehab>

BUSINESS NEWS & LEADERSHIP ARTICLES

Companies Offer Creative Solutions to Worker Burnout During the Pandemic

From surprise days off to 30-hour workweeks, managers are devising ways to help employees; 'How are you really, really doing?'

<https://www.wsj.com/articles/companies-offer-creative-solutions-to-worker-burnout-during-the-pandemic-11604836834>

What Leadership Style is the Best in Motivating Your Employees During a Pandemic?

Under the new circumstances where leaders face a volatile, uncertain, complex, and ambiguous (VUCA) environment, the best leadership style is transformational. In essence and context, transformational leadership is about driving the organisation forward, finding opportunities to thrive, and encouraging people to focus on working hard to reap success amidst uncertain times.

<https://gordontredgold.com/what-leadership-style-is-the-best-in-motivating-your-employees-during-a-pandemic/>

Customers and data need to be C-suite concerns

CEOs can avoid unpleasant surprises by making customer care and data expertise part of the C-suite's focus, as those areas reveal threats and opportunities, writes Sarah Polk. "[T]he most insightful companies don't just insist, but mandate, that their entire senior leadership team, as well as their board members, consume this knowledge," she writes.

<https://www.chiefoutsiders.com/blog/positioning-for-explosive-growth-part-3>

Wrestling With Feedback, Part 1—Why We Don't Like the Idea of Giving or Receiving It

The idea of receiving feedback—particularly the constructive kind—is a potential threat to our view-of-self. We see ourselves in one way, and lo and behold, someone comes along and attempts to burst our bubble. Cue the defend mode.

<https://artpetty.com/2020/11/03/wrestling-with-feedback/>

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