

Media Advisory

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PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT RECOGNIZES LOCAL MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE PROVIDERS AND ADVOCATES DURING "MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH"

LARGO, MD – On May 24 at La Fontaine Bleue, the Prince George's County Health Department's Local Behavioral Health Authority will join keynote speaker Dr. Gayle Porter, Co-Director of the Gaston and Porter Health Improvement Center, in hosting the Annual Mental Health Provider Appreciation and Awards Luncheon. This event recognizes mental health service providers, consumers and advocates for their commitment and dedication to improving the lives of individuals with mental illness and promoting community awareness and education about mental health issues.

"The Provider Appreciation and Awards Luncheon is held annually to express appreciation for the extraordinary work of mental health providers and agencies in Prince George's County," said Pamela Creekmur, Health Officer. "These organizations and community partners provide outstanding mental health services to individuals and families in need of mental health resources."

For more information about resources for individuals with mental illness, please contact the Local Behavioral Health Authority at 301-856-9500/Maryland Relay 711.

WHAT:

The Annual Mental Health Provider Appreciation and Awards Luncheon

WHO:

Dr. Jacquelyn Duval-Harvey, Deputy Health Officer, Prince George's County Health Department

L. Christina Waddler, Manager of the Local Behavioral Health Authority, Prince George's County Health Department

Dr. Gayle Porter, Co-Director of The Gaston and Porter Health Improvement Center

WHEN:

Thursday, May 24, 2018

11:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

WHERE:

La Fontaine Bleue
7963 Annapolis Road
Lanham, Maryland 20706

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