



Greater Nashua Mental Health Center

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GREATER NASHUA MENTAL HEALTH CENTER RECEIVES GOVERNOR'S CITATION

Child & Adolescent Services recognized by Governor Lynch for exemplary service and dedication

Nashua, NH (April 4, 2011) – Steve Press, Director of Child & Adolescent Services at Greater Nashua Mental Health Center received a citation from Governor Lynch's office in recognition of the department's outstanding efforts:

*"Be it hereby known that I, John Lynch, Governor of the State of New Hampshire, join with my fellow citizens in extending my personal best wishes and sincerest congratulations to the **Greater Nashua Mental Health Center – Child & Adolescent Services** in recognition of your exemplary service and dedication. You are all leaders, providing inspiration to others in your community and beyond. I applaud your efforts in providing excellent care. The State of New Hampshire is fortunate to have you in the community and is grateful for your commitment. On behalf of the citizens of New Hampshire, I commend you for your hard work and wish you all the best in the future."*

The governor's recognition is in response to a letter from a parent:

"I am writing to tell you of the magnificent job the staff at the Greater Nashua Mental Health Center, Pediatric Adolescent Program are doing. The men and women who work with the children and adolescents there take their time not only to work with each child and care for them as individuals, but take time for the parents and our needs as well..."

Dealing with a child who has multiple special needs and mental health issues is emotionally, physically, and mentally draining. Those working at the Greater Nashua Mental Health Center Pediatric Adolescent Program understand this."

Greater Nashua Mental Health Center is dedicated to helping families and individuals of all ages reach their full potential by providing state-of-the-art, evidence-based care that focuses on recovery. We pride ourselves on creating a welcoming environment that places a high value on every person who comes through our doors. We believe that by respecting people as they are, we can help them to become all that they wish to be.

Founded in 1920 as Community Council of Nashua, NH, Greater Nashua Mental Health Center provides mental health services to residents in ten towns in southern Hillsborough County. Its mission is to work with the community in meeting the mental health needs of its residents by offering evaluation, treatment, resource development, education, and research.

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