

Public Notice

MHMRA of Harris County is the Texas Department of State Health Services (“DSHS”) designated Mental Health Authority (MHA) established to plan, coordinate, develop policy, develop and allocate resources, supervise, and ensure the provision of community based mental health services for the residents of Harris County, Texas. The MHA is conducting Open Enrollment to expand our network of service providers for Adult mental health clients assessed into Service Package 2-Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT)-Counseling Services for the contract period of Fiscal Year 2010. The provider enrollment period will be continuous or until the Local MHA has received enough applications to meet the percentage of service capacity stated in the Request for Application (RFA).

SP2 services for the geographic area of Harris County to include:

- CBT Counseling-Individual or group therapy focused on the reduction or elimination of a client’s symptoms of mental illness and increasing the individual’s ability to perform activities of daily living. Cognitive-behavioral therapy is the selected treatment model for adult counseling services. Counseling shall be provided by a Licensed Practitioner of the Healing Arts (LPHA), practicing within the scope of their license. This service includes treatment planning to enhance recovery and resiliency. *This service satisfies the requirements of Title 7 of the Texas Health and Safety Code §534.053(a)(3)*

Copies of the RFA, Contract Document, and Application packet will be available beginning October 1, 2009 and may be obtained by

- Internet at the agency website, www.mhmraharris.org
- E-mail to mhnetworkdevelopment@mhmraharris.org
- Written request to:
MHMRA of Harris County
Attn: MH Network Management Dept.
7011 Southwest Freeway
Houston, Texas 77074
- In-person pick-up on or after October 1, 2009, at the above location (see lobby receptionist)

Questions regarding this process should be directed to the above address or:

E-mail: mhnetworkdevelopment@mhmraharris.org

Phone: (713) 970-3400, press 4

Interested parties must complete the application packet and return all required documents for review to above address.