



YOU are the community in Community Mental Health



COMMUNITY MEETING Tuesday, June 14, 2011 Plainwell Comfort Inn & Conference Center

You are invited to attend an important informational session. Ms. Marianne Huff, Executive Director of Allegan County Community Mental Health Services, will discuss potential changes at the state and federal level and how it may impact the public mental health system in Allegan County.

- Who:** Community Members, Service Providers, Advocates
When: **Tuesday, June 14, 2011, 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.**
Refreshments will be served beginning at 5:15 p.m.
Discussion will begin at 5:30 p.m. Wrap up at 7:30 p.m.
Where: **Plainwell Comfort Inn & Conference Center**
622 Allegan Street, Plainwell, MI 49080
How: Please RSVP before Friday, June 10 to Kathy Fairbotham
By phone at 269-673-8833, ext. 2705
Or phone toll free 800-795-6617, ext. 2705
Or by email at: kfairbotham@accmhs.org

The Community Mental Health System in Michigan may be facing major changes that will impact the manner in which services are delivered to persons with mental illness, children with Serious Emotional Disturbance, and adults/children with developmental disabilities. Some of these changes may include: Community Mental Health programs to be contracted out to Medicaid Health Plans, the potential for the loss of the values contained within the public mental health system such as the focus on person-centered planning, self-determination, recovery, and community inclusion. For more information, visit the web site <http://www.mentalhealthamerica.net>.

Free transportation is available to the community meeting on June 14th at the Plainwell Comfort Inn. Please call 269-673-4229 before June 9 to schedule free transportation. Please call on June 13th to confirm ride and pick-up time.

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