



**WHAT COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH DIRECTORS ARE SAYING ABOUT
NETWORK OF CARE FOR MENTAL/BEHAVIORAL HEALTH
(www.networkofcare.org)**

"In California, we are in the middle of an effort to transform the mental health system and make it family-focused and client-centered. The launch of the Network of Care is both a sign of that transformation and a powerful tool to make sure that the transformation happens quickly and effectively."

***Marvin Southard, DSW, Director
Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health***

"The Network of Care is the single most comprehensive source of information regarding local mental health programs available anywhere. The site has incredible functionality that will satisfy clients, family members, caseworkers and the public at large. The potential for using the site as a training and education tool is unlimited."

***Mark Refowitz, Director, Behavioral Health Services
Orange County Health Care Agency***

"I am thrilled that Placer County now has a comprehensive Service Directory that includes the newest research and information to assist the many adults and families in Placer County needing mental health and other services. The vision for Placer residents and service providers to have one place to identify and coordinate resources has now been implemented with the assistance of Trilogy. This will be a well-used and valuable resource."

***Maureen Bauman, LCSW, Director
Placer County Adult System of Care***

"Network of Care is a great way for everyone interested in local mental health to become a part of an informed community advocating for quality mental health services to all who need them."

***Lance Morton, Director, Mental Health Branch
Humboldt County Department of Health and Human Services***

"Finding mental health services that are convenient and helpful is often a struggle for our clients and their families. The search for help creates confusion and frustration. The introduction of Network of Care will make finding the right provider to provide the right services much easier for our clients and their families."

***Bruce Gurganus, Director
Marin County Department of Mental Health***

"We are excited about this launch. It coincides with our MHSA transformation services. Monterey County is increasing timely access to services, so we treat residents while they are in the shallow end of the pool rather than wait till they end up in the deep end of the pool. A ready, easy-to-access information system like the Network of Care is a significant addition to our efforts."

***Wayne Clark, Director, Behavioral Health Division
Monterey County Health Department***

"The Network of Care fulfills a critical objective for the Mental Health Association in California in enabling people to navigate the maze of services that might be available to help them as well as offering education and supports for people seeking mental health care. It is a unique and powerful consumer, provider, and family member tool and we applaud the decision of the State Department of Mental Health, the California Institute for Mental Health and their partner county mental health departments in making this service available statewide."

***Rusty Selix, Executive Director
California Coalition for Mental Health
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