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2017-2018 1ST QUARTER HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

During the first quarter, the Administrative Offices of Trillium Health Resources will be closed on the following National Holidays. Access to care and crisis services will remain available 24/7 during this time at 877-685-2415.

- July 3,4 - Independence Day
- September 4 - Labor Day

NOTEWORTHY

21st Century Cures Act: Opioid Epidemic & Substance Abuse

Trillium has been actively engaged with addressing the opioid epidemic and has become increasingly concerned about the growing opioid epidemic evident across our catchment area.

[Learn More](#) , View [News Release](#)

Community Training Needs Survey

We use training sessions and materials to help educate individuals and family members about behavioral health and share information about how North Carolina's health and Medicaid systems operate. Please take a moment to complete this short survey. Your suggestions will help us develop future training sessions and materials that are relevant to your needs. [Take Survey](#)

SAMHSA Funding Opportunity

First Responders-Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act Cooperative Agreement.

[Learn More](#)

Trillium FY 2017-2018 Proposed Budget

Take this opportunity to review the 2017-2018 proposed budget.

[Proposed Business Financial Plan](#)
[Proposed Budget Ordinance](#)

Outpatient Therapy and Mobile Crisis Services Expand to Brunswick, New Hanover, and Pender Counties

Services offered by Integrated Family Services for mobile crisis available June 5, and outpatient therapy will start before July 30.

[Learn More](#)

Residence that Supports Women and Children Opens in Wilmington, NC

This house is part of the new contract to unveil 20 new houses in Trillium Health Resources' 24-county region by 2020.

[Learn More](#)

NASH COUNTY REALIGNMENT UPDATE

As of June 30, 2017, Eastpointe has been granted a temporary restraining order against DHHS, Nash County and Trillium Health Resources.

We will share more information as it becomes available. Based upon the judge's ruling, Nash County residents will continue to be served by Eastpointe until further notice. We share the confusion this delay has caused. Trillium looks forward to serving Nash County residents in the near future.

Visit TrilliumHealthResources.org for the most current information.

TRILLIUM IN THE COMMUNITY

PLAY TOGETHER

Trillium's Play Together Accessible Playground grants continue to bring fully accessible, all-inclusive playgrounds for individuals with special needs and physical disabilities to towns in eastern North Carolina.

[Learn More](#)

Over the past quarter, 2 new playgrounds opened in our catchment



area bringing the number of fully accessible playgrounds to 30 across eastern North Carolina.

[Learn More](#) about the Washington County playground.

[Learn More](#) about the Dare County playground.



Trillium Received the "Special Award" at the National American Association on

Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities for the Play Together Playgrounds Initiative. [Learn More](#)

HUGH MACRAE PARK, WILMINGTON, NC

A Trillium funded all-inclusive playground was recently voted one of the Best Playgrounds of 2017. [Learn More](#)



COMPASSION REACTION

The Compassion Reaction initiative encompasses four programs as well as education and training for schools, administrators, teachers, and the community. Compassion Reaction inspires, equips and empowers for a permanent positive cultural change in our schools and communities.

[Learn More](#)

View the videos below to see the impact that Rachel's Challenge, part of our Compassion Reaction initiative, has had on students in our region:

[View Video](#) - An Overview of Rachel's Challenge

[View Video](#) - Rachel's Challenge: A Elementary School Perspective

[View Video](#) - Rachel's Challenge: A Middle School Perspective

[View Video](#) - Rachel's Challenge: A High School Perspective

MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID

Mental Health First Aid is an 8-hour, in-person certification course for adults. It teaches them how to help adolescents and adults who may be developing a mental health condition or experiencing a mental health crisis. Training is specialized for the youth and adult population.

Interested in attending a [Youth Mental Health First Aid Training](#)? [Learn More](#)

Interested in attending a [Adult Mental Health First Aid Training](#)? [Learn More](#)

Become a Mental Health First Aid Instructor

The Division of Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities and Substance Abuse Services is offering 4 instructor trainings at no cost. [Learn More](#)

CRISIS INTERVENTION TEAM (CIT) TRAINING

The CIT Program is a 40-hour course for law enforcement officers and first responders.

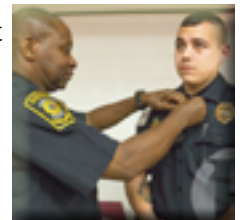
[Learn More](#)

During the third quarter, Trillium CIT Coordinators trained 60 law enforcement officers and first responders across our catchment area.



"I can't say enough about what it's done for our department"

[Learn More](#)



Want to be involved with CIT as a instructor, a role play participant, or have ideas about recruiting colleagues and other first responders? Contact CIT@TrilliumNC.org and let them know.



SHARE YOUR THOUGHTS WITH DISABILITY RIGHTS OF NC

Disability Rights of North Carolina is asking what YOU think are the most important issues facing people with disabilities in North Carolina. Your input will help guide them through FY 2018. [Learn More](#)

SUMMER DAY CAMP IN EASTERN NC

Registration is now open for Summer Day Camps in eastern North Carolina. [Learn More](#)

[View Video](#) - Save our Day Camps

STEPPING UP INITIATIVE - WHAT CAN YOU DO?

Trillium is participating on the State Planning Committee for the Stepping Up Initiative, a national initiative to reduce the number of people with mental illnesses in jails. [Learn More](#)

COMMUNICATIONS GUIDE ON BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND INTELLECTUAL/DEVELOPMENT DISABILITIES

This guide was compiled from a number of credible sources including the managed care organizations of North Carolina that work directly with this population. It was created to be a resource for journalists, advocates and any individuals interacting with people with disabilities. The information found in this guide can help provide direction and "best practices" on often misunderstood topics. [Learn More](#)

SCHOOL'S OUT - SUMMER MEAL PROGRAM FOR KIDS & TEENS

This program offers free summer meals for children under the age of 18. [Learn More](#)

UPCOMING NATIONAL OBSERVANCES

JULY
Minority Mental Health Awareness Month
[Learn More](#)

SEPTEMBER
National Suicide Prevention Month
[Learn More](#)
National Recovery Month
[Learn More](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS AND TRAINING

[Innovations Waiver Listening Sessions - Webinars](#)
June 29, 2pm - 3:30pm
July 11, 6pm - 7:30pm

[NC Alzheimer Bike Ride](#)
July 11, 9am - 1pm
New Bern, NC

[National Night Out](#)
August 1, 5am to 9pm
Jacksonville, NC

[Annual Children's Services State of the Art Conference](#)
August 24-25, 8am - 4:30pm
New Bern, NC

Visit the [Events Calendar](#) on our website for additional events and trainings.

SHARED NEWSLETTERS

BRIDGES is published by the Geriatric Adult Specialty Team (GAST) of Trillium. They focus on geriatric mental and physical health. They are committed to delivering professional training and consultation about the needs of older adults to facilities and caregivers.



The **CIT Newsletter** is published by the CIT Coordinators of Trillium. This newsletter offers updates on the local and State CIT programs, recent CIT graduates, and other topics relevant to law enforcement and first responders.



The **CCSAP Newsletter** is published by the Coastal Coalition for Substance Abuse Prevention. It offers information about CCSAP, resources for substance use and prevention, community events, and success stories.



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YOUR LOCAL CONNECTION

Northern Region

Bertie, Chowan, Gates, Martin, Pasquotank, Camden, Currituck, Hertford, Northampton, and Perquimans County

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Central Region

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Southern Region

Brunswick, Jones, Onslow, Carteret, New Hanover, and Pender County

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NEED TRILLIUM RESOURCES?

Contact info@trilliumnc.org to request the following Trillium resources:

[Access to Care Brochure](#)
[English](#), [Spanish](#)

[IDD Service Array Brochure](#)
[English](#), [Spanish](#)

[Mental Health First Aid Brochure](#)
[English](#), [Spanish](#)

[CIT Brochure](#)
[English](#)

[Housing Brochure](#)
[English](#), [Spanish](#)

[Veterans Brochure](#)
[English](#), [Spanish](#)

Additional brochures available. Contact info@trilliumnc.org for more information.

ABOUT TRILLIUM HEALTH RESOURCES

Trillium Health Resources is a leading specialty care manager (LME/MCO) for individuals with substance use, mental illness and intellectual/developmental disabilities.

Trillium is the second largest LME/MCO in terms of geography and number of counties served. Trillium's 24 counties totals approximately 1.26 million individuals with about 185,000 being Medicaid eligible.

Trillium is nationally accredited by URAC in areas of Call Center, Provider Network Management and Utilization Management.

Trillium takes a person-centered approach to health and wellbeing, coordinating care across multiple systems to achieve improved health outcomes, quality of care and efficient use of resources.

Trillium is investing in innovation to meet the unique needs of the individuals and communities we serve, and remains focused on delivering the right services, in the right amount, at the right time.

For more information, visit TrilliumHealthResources.org.

Transforming Lives



24 Hour Crisis Care & Service Enrollment - 877-685-2415

Administrative & Business Matters - 866-998-2597

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