

Center for Forensic Psychiatry

Mission Statement

The Center for Forensic Psychiatry's mission is to provide quality forensic mental health services to individuals and the Michigan court system.

Vision Statement

The Center for Forensic Psychiatry will provide high quality forensic mental health services. The Center will strive to develop, monitor, and enhance programs which will help individuals with mental disorders, as well as their families and advocates, to understand, manage and cope with the physical, mental, emotional and social problems associated with their particular disorder. The Center will also assist the Michigan Court System in the adjudication and disposition of forensic cases.

Organization

The Center for Forensic Psychiatry will use available resources in the most efficient and effective manner necessary to accomplish its mission.

Staff

The Center for Forensic Psychiatry will maintain competent staff who are motivated to deliver high quality services to its patients, the court system, and the community. The Center will establish mechanisms to ensure that staff members practice within the scope of their competency, and consistent with generally accepted standards of practice. The Center will promote continuous staff development of knowledge and skills.

The Center for Forensic Psychiatry will facilitate communication between and among its staff members, its various departments, and the community it serves, so that the mission, values and goals of the Center will be understood, supported and implemented.

Professional Training

The Center for Forensic Psychiatry will develop and maintain accredited training programs which prepare mental health professionals for practice in clinical and forensic areas.

Research

The Center for Forensic Psychiatry will provide research opportunities and encourage staff and students to participate.

Community

The Center for Forensic Psychiatry will create and maintain a positive relationship with the community. The Center will promote an exchange of information which considers community needs and encourages community involvement.

Customer Satisfaction

The Center for Forensic Psychiatry will involve recipients, their support systems and the court system in developing and shaping service delivery. The Center will regularly assess satisfaction with services provided and will make improvements based on the feedback.

Improvement

The Center for Forensic Psychiatry will promote continuous quality improvement. The Center will maintain mechanisms to monitor and improve services delivered.

Values Statement

R.E.S.P.E.C.T:

R espect:	We commit to treating others with dignity
E xcellence:	We hold ourselves to the highest professional standards.
S afety:	We commit to patient and staff safety.
P rofessionalism:	We accept our obligation to be responsible and accountable in our duties.
E mpowerment:	We inspire each other to be successful, to reach our potential, and to be the agents of positive change.
C ompassion:	We embrace an attitude of thoughtfulness and kindness.
T eamwork:	We embrace a culture of cooperation and mutual respect that creates a spirit of shared pride.

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