



Dwayne Ennis (center) accepts his award.

Charlotte Behavioral Health Care's Dwayne Ennis Named 2016 Direct Service Provider of the Year

PUNTA GORDA, Fla. (September 27, 2016) - Charlotte Behavioral Health Care is proud to announce that two of its employees were nominated for the Florida Council for Community Mental Health's (FCCMH) 2016 Professional of the Year Awards.

Jennifer Reed, Director of Quality Improvement, was nominated for 2016 Supervisor of the Year, which recognizes outstanding managerial staff; and Dwayne Ennis, Baker Act Coordinator, was nominated for Direct Service Provider of the Year, which recognizes outstanding behavioral health clinicians.

At the FCCMH Annual Conference in August, Dwayne Ennis earned the honor of being named the 2016 Direct Service Provider of the Year. "For over ten years, Dwayne has been an asset to Crisis Services. Dwayne has gown in his position as Baker Act Coordinator and is a leading resource for the community on the Baker Act law/process," said Jennifer Ross, Director of Crisis Services at Charlotte Behavioral Health Care. "I am excited to see Dwayne recognized with this award for all of his hard work and dedication to the mental health community."

The Florida Council for Community Mental Health is a statewide association of 50+ community-based mental health and substance abuse agencies. The association's membership includes a number of agencies that specialize in substance abuse services and children's services, as well as hospital-based programs.

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