

Louisiana Behavioral Health Partnership Nears End of First Year

Magellan in Louisiana continues dialogue with community with nine forums across Louisiana

BATON ROUGE, La.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Nearly one year ago, Louisiana began a new approach to behavioral health care with the Louisiana Behavioral Health Partnership — a broad collaboration that has expanded access to services and enhanced quality of care for people with behavioral health needs.

Magellan Behavioral Health in Louisiana, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Magellan Health Services Inc. (NASDAQ: MGLN), which is managing the Partnership, is holding a series of nine public forums throughout the state in February and March to provide a report to the community on the Partnership's first year and continue the dialogue on transforming behavioral health care as Year 2 begins. All forums will be held from 5-7 p.m.

"Since March 2012, our work with the Department of Health and Hospitals and hundreds of stakeholders across the state has accelerated the transformation of the behavioral health system in Louisiana. Working together, we have supported nearly 100,000 individuals and families on their journey toward recovery and securing a healthier future, and our work is just beginning," Craig Coenson, M.D., CEO of Magellan in Louisiana, said. "We are eager to share our first year results, which show a clear trend away from institutionalization to more effective home and community-based care. And we look forward to hearing from the community about how to continue to improve behavioral health care in our state through roundtable discussions and question and answer sessions."

February 18 — Northwest Region
LSU Shreveport University Center
Ballroom

One University Place
Shreveport, LA 71115

February 19 — Northeast Region
ULM School of Pharmacy, Room
110

1800 Bienville Drive
Monroe, LA 71201

February 25 — Greater Lafayette
Area

South Regional Library

6101 Johnston Street
Lafayette, LA 70503

February 26 — Southwest Region

McNeese Student Union La Jeunesse
Room

375 Beauregard Drive

Lake Charles, LA 70609

March 3 — Northshore Area

Hilton Garden Inn

350 Holiday Square Boulevard
Covington, LA 70433

March 6 — Bayou Area

Houma-Terrebonne Civic Center, Meeting
Room 3

346 Civic Center Boulevard
Houma, LA 70360

March 12 — Central Region

Best Western Conference Center
Plantation Room

2720 North MacArthur Drive

Alexandria, LA 71303

March 18 — Greater New Orleans Area

Lindy C. Boggs Intl. Conference Center
(UNO)

2045 Lakeshore Drive
New Orleans, LA 70122

March 19 — Capital Region

Lod Cook Alumni Center

3838 West Lakeshore Drive
Baton Rouge, LA 70808

To learn more about Magellan in Louisiana and the upcoming community forums, please visit magellanoflouisiana.com/about-magellan-of-louisiana-la-en/community-forums, email lrfaust@magellanhealth.com.

Individuals needing to access behavioral health care services can call Magellan's Care Management Center at 1-800-424-4399.

About Magellan Health Services

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