

HIGHLIGHTS 2001

IS Department Institutes Training Sessions.....January 2001
IS Department initiated an ongoing series of In-service Training on financial processes and Intake Procedures for clerical staff.

Center Forced to Cut-Back.....January 2001
Due to the effects of RSPMI and Benefit Arkansas, the Center is forced to temporarily suspend Salary increases the \$600.00 per employee CEU benefit.

The Counselor Turns 22.....January 2001
The Counselor Newsletter begins its 22nd year.

Kim Loeffler Named as Director of School-Based Services.....February 2001
Full Time therapist Kim Loeffler is named to head up the School-Based Services Program.

Client Goes Into Labor.....March 2001
A young client starts labor at the Primary Service Center. An Ambulance was called and staff members calmed client down while waiting for the ambulance.

Strategic Planning Session Held on Acute Care.....April 24, 2001
Center management held an Acute Care Inpatient Services Strategic Planning Session in Fort Smith.

Bob Needham Named “Practitioner of the Year”.....April 2001

Stacy Powell Named “Employee of the Year”.....April 2001

Senator Blanche Lincoln Visits Center.....May 2001
Senator Lincoln along with her Assistant, John Hicks tours the Center and visits with Pete Kennemer and Tracy Pennartz.

N.E.W. Clubhouse Turns 25.....July 2001
Clubhouse celebrates with a BBQ luncheon for members and guests.

Primary Service Center Gets a New Roof.....July/Aug 2001

Cuts in Medicaid hurt Center.....December 2001

