



## Weekly Provider Update

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### MCO/Merger Information

To access the PowerPoint that was shared at the December All-Provider Meeting, click [here](#). To access FAQs, click [here](#).

### Changes to the Utilization Management Peer Review Process

Changes to the Utilization Management Peer Review process have been implemented. The Durham Center peer reviewers will no longer contact providers to request additional clinical information prior to rendering authorization denial or reduction. To view the process for requesting a post-decision peer-to-peer conversation, click [here](#).

### Family Support and Respite Program Funding Available

The NC Department of Health and Human Services is seeking proposals from qualified responders to develop, operate and/or expand community-based, family support and respite programs to reduce the risk of child abuse and neglect by promoting protective factors that strengthen and support families. To learn more, click [here](#).

### New Generation Careers Webinar

The NC Rural Economic Development Center will host a free webinar on its New Generation Careers grant opportunity on February 2. New Generation Careers will offer grants to help young adults ages 18-30 develop career goals and get jobs in rural North Carolina. For more information, click [here](#).

### Autism Society of NC Summer Camp Program

Registration for summer camp at Camp Royall, a 133-acre facility located near Pittsboro, is underway and runs until February 15. Mini-camp weekends, adult retreat weekends and winter day camp are also available. For more details, click [here](#).

### Utilization Review Resources

To access a wide variety of utilization review information and other resources, click [here](#).

Listing of trainings, programs, services and employment opportunities offered by entities other than The Durham Center are included solely for the information of our readers. Their inclusion here should not be construed as an endorsement by The Durham Center.

### Upcoming 2012 Quarterly All-Provider Meetings (Tentative Dates)

March 21  
June 20  
3:00pm  
Durham County  
Administration Building

### Recovery Support Line

(919) 956-9566  
3:00-11:00pm  
7 days a week



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## Disability 101 Training

This training for case managers and front-line staff, followed by a brown bag lunch with attorney Judith Romanowski, will be held on February 16 at 11:00am at Durham Center Access. To register, click [here](#).

## Cognitive Behavioral Therapy Training

This training will be held on February 21-23 in Durham. To learn more, click [here](#).

## Autism Society of NC Annual Conference

This year's Conference will focus of social communication and relationships, with perspectives from professionals, family members and individuals on the spectrum. It will be held on March 30-31 in Charlotte. For more information, click [here](#).

## Faith Community Workshop

A day-long workshop to help faith communities engage, encourage and serve persons who suffer from mental illness and those who care for them will be held on March 2 in Chapel Hill. Clergy, lay leaders, professionals and the general public are encouraged to attend. For more details, click [here](#).

## NC Council Statewide Directory

To learn how to advertise in the upcoming edition of the NC Council MH/DD/SA Statewide Directory, click [here](#).

## Wake AHEC Trainings

Wake AHEC is sponsoring a number of behavioral health-related trainings during February and March. For more information, click [here](#).

## Training Information from The Durham Center

To access a listing of trainings hosted by The Durham Center go to our online calendar by clicking [here](#). To access the online registration form, click [here](#).

### [Durham Center Access](#)

309 Crutchfield Street  
near Durham Regional  
Hospital

Business (919) 560-7305  
Fax (919) 560-7180

[Network of Care](#)  
durhamnetworkofcare.org

Providers, please ensure  
that you are part of this  
online resource database!

### [Durham CFAC Meetings](#)

First Monday of each month  
5:30-7:15pm

TROSA  
1820 James Street  
Durham

[Independent Living Initiative](#)  
[Housing Triage Committee](#)

First and third Tuesday  
of each month  
The Durham Center



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