

our team

As the High Risk Support Team, our knowledge and familiarity with services throughout Wayne County and surrounding areas gives us the advantage as programs continue to grow and change. We are committed to providing the best quality services to individuals through referral, linkage and monitoring.



Michelle Weed

Michelle will serve as the team's leader. She has been employed with Wayne ARC since 1997. In 2003 she became a member of the Medicaid Service Coordination team. Michelle's discipline is in criminal justice. She has assisted many individuals who have or are in need of High Risk Plans. Michelle and the High Risk Support team will train service coordinators and agency employees on how to meet the needs of High Risk and Sex Offenders.



Michael Kanaley

Michael has worked as a Service Coordinator and in the Human Services Field for 7 years. Michael has past experience in the mental health field and is working with individuals with high risk plans. Michael's discipline is in Human Services.



Gissela Bueso

Gissela has served as a bilingual Service Coordinator since 2005. Her discipline is in psychology and she has a great deal of experience supporting individuals who have high risk plans.



Dave Mason

Dave has been a Service Coordinator since 2002 and also works with high risk individuals. He has previously worked in the mental health field, and his discipline is in Counseling.

who we are

Established in 1964 by the parents of 6 children with developmental disabilities, Wayne Arc has evolved to serve over 1600 individuals of all ages at 20 locations throughout Wayne County.

our mission

Wayne ARC, a parent based organization, advocates for and serves persons of all ages with or without special needs. The Agency assists individuals in taking their full, independent, productive place in society through an array of quality individualized services.

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The Wayne Arc High Risk Support Team specializes in 3 areas of Risk Management:

- Individuals who have a history of aggressive / assaultive behaviors
- Individuals who are on parole or probation
- Individuals in need of sex offender treatment

To be eligible for assistance from the High Risk Support Team you must be OPWDD eligible and be enrolled in the Wayne Arc MSC program. Questions about eligibility? info.highrisk@waynearc.org or 315.331.7741 ext 311

our commitment

At Wayne ARC, we are committed to serving individuals with a wide diversity of needs, including those with high risk behaviors. In order to provide these individuals with additional support we have formed a High Risk Support team. The team consists of Service Coordinators, Clinicians, Day Hab and Residential Staff and Family Support Providers. Each team member has extensive experience and training assisting individuals with High Risk needs.

our focus

The High Risk Support Team's focus will be on assisting individuals with high risk needs to develop and implement a High Risk plan that will promote independence, while ensuring the individual receives the appropriate levels of oversight/training in order to successfully and safely engage in community integration. The team will access and collaborate with agency, community and legal providers to implement an individualized plan to meet the person's high risk needs.

The team's emphasis is on person centered planning and self-determination, with experience in Consolidated Support Services(CSS). The team is trained and can also serve as Brokers for the CSS program.

services we access

Article 16 Clinic

Sexual Behavioral Therapy can be provided in an individual or group setting.

Grand rounds meetings are held with clinical staff and providers to discuss appropriate services for individuals.

Social Workers can provide an array of therapies such as sexual, behavioral and crisis support.

Residential

Behavioral Specialist ABSS works with individuals who have behavioral, sexual or legal concerns.

Crisis Team is available for training staff and to assist with stabilizing the individual and situation.

Family Support Services

Crisis Intervention can provide a prompt response with linkage and referrals to additional services.

Behavior Management offers ongoing support and guidance with additional continued supports of an aftercare clinical team.

Medicaid Service Coordination

Knowledge of services that will best meet the needs of individuals displaying high risk needs.

Roosevelt Children's Center

A highly trained professional and paraprofessional staff is available to create and support behavioral intervention plans for preschoolers.

Day Services

Crisis Team is available for staff training and stabilization

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