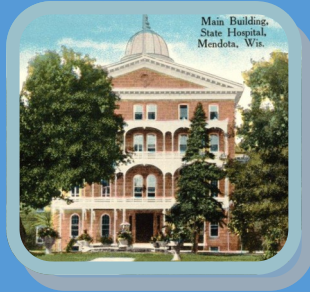


**Dual Diagnosis:
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Mendota Consumer Conference

May 3rd, 2013

At the
Mendota Mental Health Institute
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- 9:00— 9:15 NATIVE AMERICAN BLESSING
- 9:15— 9:30 DHS DEPUTY SECRETARY KEVIN MOORE
- 9:30—11:30 KEYNOTE SPEAKER
TAMRA OMAN - FROM A PERSON WHO'S BEEN THERE!
- 11:30—12:15 TREATING DUAL DIAGNOSIS
THE SERIOUS SIDE AND THE HUMOR
BRUCE CHRISTIANSON, LCSW, SAC
- 12:15—12:30 CLOSING - INSTITUTE DIRECTOR, GREG VAN RYBROEK JD, PhD.
- 12:30— 1:30 LUNCH AND DISCUSSION—FOOD SERVICE

REGISTRATION

Registration must be received by March 26, 2013. To register, please submit

Name: _____

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To: **Maria Hanson**

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Tamra Oman, SAC, is currently a Human Services Program Coordinator Recovery Support Specialist with the Wisconsin Department of Health Services. She has been an AODA Counselor for the past 7 years and during that time has also been a contracted agent facilitating anger management and domestic violence groups within DOC facilities as well as reentry programming. She has created programming being used in correctional facilities and continues to seek ways to be of service. She has been on many committees and boards in the Madison community and is currently a co-founder of the non-profit SISTER HOUSE.

She has spent the last 9.5 years since her own release from prison developing relationships, seeking education, providing presentations, creating relevant programming, educating agencies, individuals, and systems about the journey of addiction and incarceration. She has been an advocate for others who have been and are in similar situations as her own.

“Born out of my own history of addiction, mental health, incarceration, recovery, and freedom, is a passion to assist others and agencies in developing and delivering programs that offer true rehabilitation opportunities. Since my own release from prison, I have dedicated myself to assisting individuals; creating programming specific to ex-offenders and recovering persons who have multiple issues and concerns. Guiding them to seek relevant trainings; working with agencies, providers, coordinators, and educators; and getting an education that focuses on all of these things and promotes cultural competence on all levels. I truly believe in order to have a successful formula for recovery, all parties must be involved and on board, in the development of the programming as they then all have a vested interest in its success.”

“I have been on various boards in the community and feel privileged to be a part of the solution rather than focusing solely on the problem. I am an AODA counselor. Also, I am a contracted agent facilitating groups in prison and for over 8 years. My professional position is with the State of Wisconsin’s Department of Health Services at the Wisconsin Resource Center. In addition, I continue to make relationships in the community to assist people whom are working to become the persons they are created to be. I believe in people. I believe in change. I believe it’s time.”

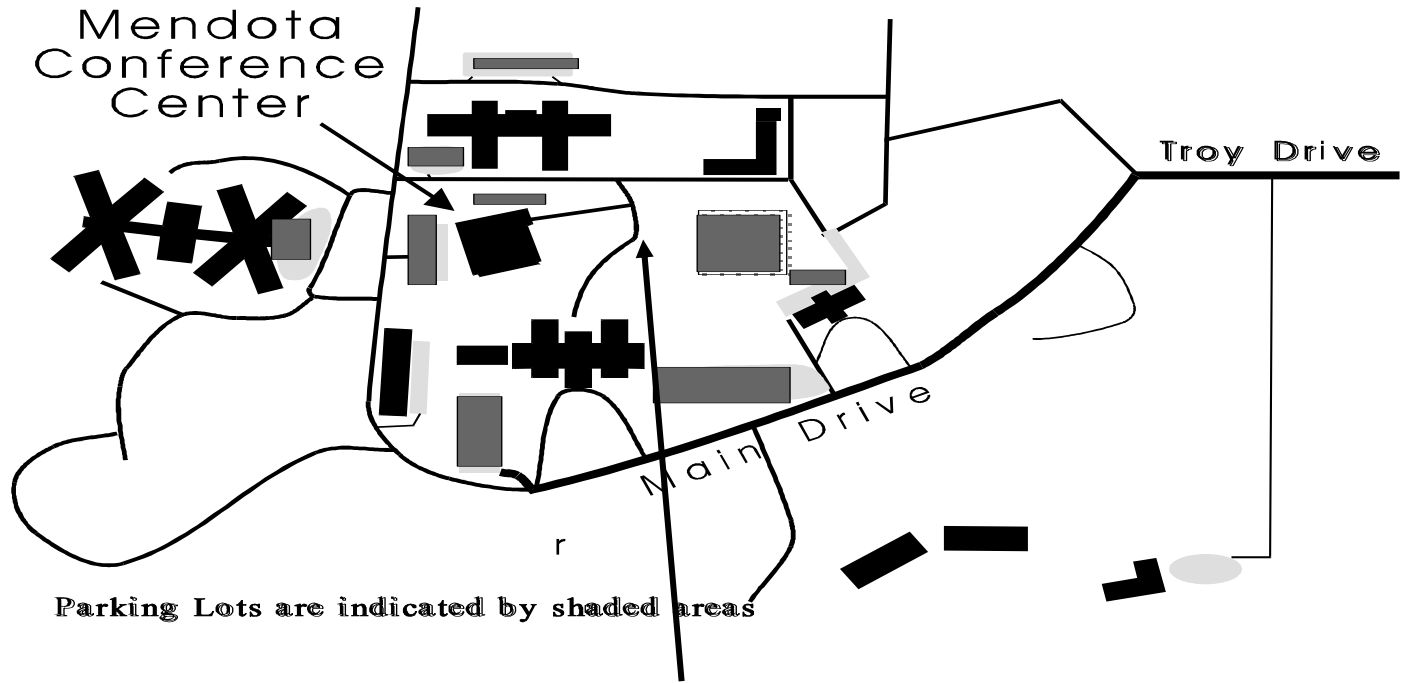
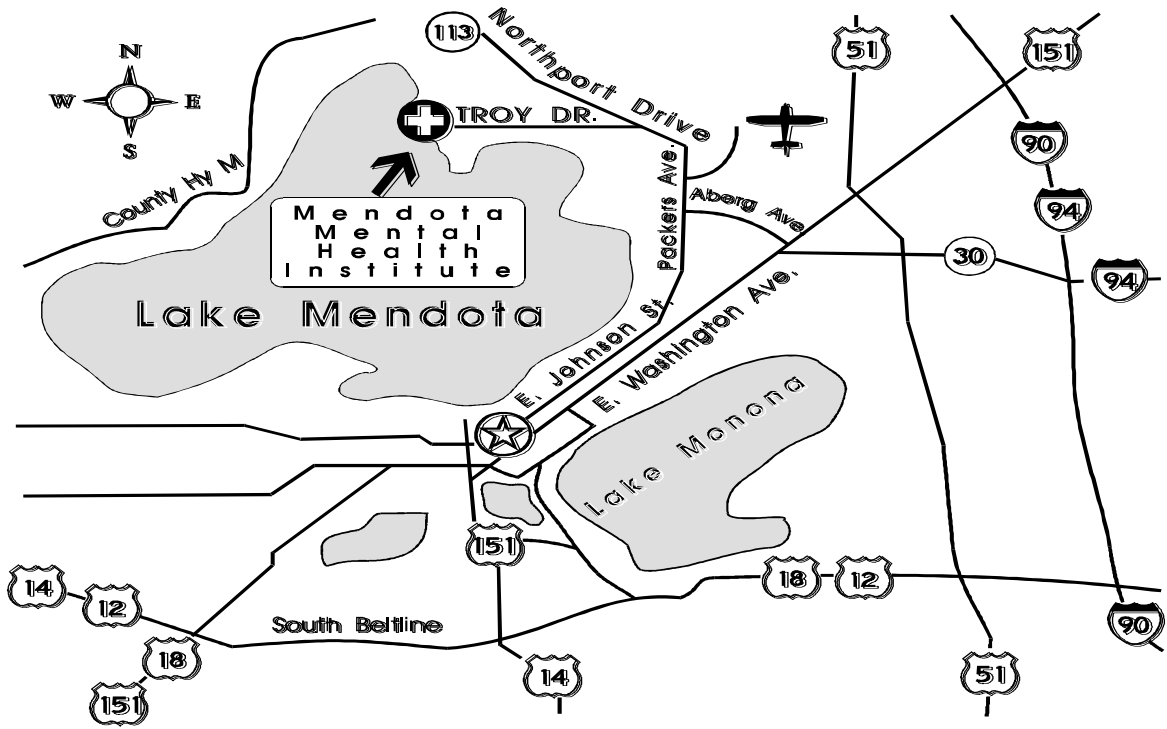
Bruce E. Christianson, LCSW, SAC is a skilled clinical social worker with over 14 years experience working in law enforcement with correctional personnel and their clients. He has worked 10+ years in community corrections as a program manager of residential treatment programs including an AODA residential program. Bruce has been a unit social worker at Mendota Mental Health Institute since 2003.

Bruce has a Masters Degree in Social Work and his field of training is in community corrections and psychiatric setting. He is also a licensed clinical social worker and a certified alcohol and drug Counselor. He is skilled in and enjoys group facilitation and co-facilitation in day treatment, residential and institutional settings. Bruce is an expert trainer in the Levels of Service Inventory -Revised, Criminal Conduct and Substance Abuse Treatment program authored by Kenneth Wanberg and Harvey Milkman, and a trainer in the Foundations of Fatherhood program and Long Distance Dads Program.

“My overall goal in working with consumers is to help them to obtain and maintain the best recovery they can. I also believe it is a calling in my life to work with consumers, and in general help and/or serve others.”

Any question contact Maria Hanson at 608-301-1444

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