AGENCY: Craig A. Pruitt, M.A., LPC
Licensed Professional Counselor
404 West 2nd Street Mount Pleasant, TX 75455
Phone: (903) 577-1224
Fax: (903) 577-1810

CLIENT TYPE SERVED: Adults, Adolescents, Children, Couples Families

SERVICES AVAILABLE:

• Marital Difficulties
• Parent-Child Conflicts
• Depression
• Anxiety School Problems
• Vocational Issues
• Grief
• Abuse Recovery
• Stress Divorce Recovery
• Emotional Struggles
• Behavior Difficulties
• Sexual Issues
• Other life Issues

COUNTIES SERVED: Bowie, Camp, Franklin, Hopkins, Morris, Titus, Upshur and Wood

FEE: 1st Session - $95.00; Subsequent Sessions - $80.00 each. Accepts Medicaid

• AS NEEDED BASIS (for referral eyes only): Pro-Bono Services may be available. Have student call office and they will be set up with appropriate service. In addition, scholarships are available on a limited basis through the Baptist Association.

BUSINESS HOURS: Monday- Thursday: 9:00am - 6:00pm
Friday: By Appointment

SPANISH INTERPRETER: None
AGENCY: Melissa Ladd, M.S., LPC
Licensed Professional Counselor
3605 NE Loop 286, Suite 900
Paris, TX 75460
Phone: (903) 517-3928
Fax: (903) 905-4109

SERVICES AVAILABLE:
Assessments
Individual Counseling
Family Counseling

COUNTIES SERVED:
Red River & Lamar

FEE:
Accepts Medicaid & Most insurance plans
Sessions - $80

BUSINESS HOURS:
Monday – Friday: 8:00am - 5:00pm

TRANSPORTATION:
None available

SPANISH INTERPRETER:
None
AGENCY: Lester Wylie Martin, M.S., LPC
Licensed Professional Counselor
2121 Main Street
Sulphur Springs, TX 75482
Phone: (903) 885-2776
Fax: (903) 885-3613

CLIENT TYPE SERVED: All ages

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: Open

SERVICES AVAILABLE: ADD/ADHD
Counseling Services
Behavior Therapy
Marital, Grief, & Couples Therapy
Addiction
PTSD
Mental Disabilities

COUNTIES SERVED: Hopkins & surrounding counties

FEE: Children: $60 per session
Adults: $50 per session

BUSINESS HOURS: Monday - Friday 8:30am-3:00pm
Other Times: By Appointment Only

TRANSPORTATION: None

SPANISH INTERPRETER: None
MHMR/TWC
AGENCY:

Lakes Regional Mental Health/Mental Retardation Center
400 Airport Road
Terrell, TX 75160
Phone: (972) 524-4159
Fax: (972) 388-2009
Web: www.lrmhmrc.org

Lakes Regional MHMR Centers - Camp, Franklin, Morris and Titus Counties:

Mt. Pleasant Service Coordination Office
2001 W. Ferguson
Suite 1020
Mt. Pleasant, TX 75455
Phone: (903) 572-2760
Fax: (903) 577-3942
Crisis Hotline: (877) 466-0660

Mt. Pleasant Mental Health Clinic & Substance Use Disorder Services
1300 W. 16th Street
Mt. Pleasant, TX 75455
Phone: (903) 572-8783
Fax: (903) 572-6965
Crisis Hotline: (877) 466-0660

Lakes Regional MHMR Centers - Delta and Lamar Counties:

Paris Mental Health Center
395 North Main
Paris, TX 75460
Phone: (903) 737-2475
Fax: (903) 737-2479
Crisis Hotline: see above

Paris Mental Retardation Center
3036 Clarksville
Paris, TX 75460
Phone: (903) 785-5392
Fax: (903) 784-2638
Crisis Hotline: see above
Lakes Regional MHMR Centers - Hopkins County

Sulphur Springs Mental Retardation Center
1400 College Street, Suite 162
Sulphur Springs, TX 75482
Phone: (903) 885-8714
Fax: (903) 439-6006
Crisis Hotline: (877) 466-0660

Sulphur Springs Mental Health Center
1400 College Street, Suite 204
Sulphur Springs, TX 75482
Phone: (903) 885-8611
Fax: (903) 439-1080
Crisis Hotline: see above

Greenville Mental Health Center
4200 Stuart
Greenville, TX 75402
Phone: (903) 445-3987
Fax: (903) 454-8498

Greenville Mental Rehabilitation Center ECI and DayHab
4804 Wesley
Greenville, TX 75402
Phone: (903) 455-5770
Fax: (903) 455-8911
ECI Phone: (903) 454-0300
ECI Fax: (903) 454-8635

CLIENT TYPE SERVED:
Adults or children with mental, emotional illness or mental retardation. Children from birth to 18 years with serious emotional disturbances, behavioral and psychiatric problems. Persons 18 years and older are linked to Adult Services.

SERVICES AVAILABLE:
- Assertive Community Treatment (ACT) - Provides treatment, rehabilitation and support to people
with severe and persistent mental illness that have had multiple hospitalizations or involvement with the judicial system, homeless shelters or community residential placements. The ACT team helps people with both clinical and rehabilitation services.

- **Continuity of Care** - A staff person is liaison for people in state schools and state hospitals and helps people plan for return to the community.

- **Family Education** - Informs families about mental conditions, the options for treatment and the ways to manage problems.

- **In Home and Family Support** - Grant funds aid eligible individuals or their families to purchase services, support, adaptive devices or architectural modifications necessary to maintain functioning in their own home.

- **Medication Related Services** - A physician prescribes the medication a person needs to get better. A nurse (or other qualified person) assesses the effects of the medication. Medical staff teaches the skills a person needs to safely administer and monitor their medication.

- **Outreach** - Outreach activities link persons to community healthcare and support services. The goal is to reach persons who might otherwise not get care because of symptoms of a disorder, economic hardship, homelessness, and unfamiliarity with services, lack of transportation or other barriers.

- **Residential Services & Support Living** - Operates ICF-MR and HCS homes, residential living for persons with mental retardation. People who live in the community receive support to
maintain their independence.

- **Respite Services** - Both in-home and out-of-home care are provided to persons when family or caretakers need relief of their responsibilities on a temporary basis.

- **Skills Maintenance Services** - People with severe mental illness receive long-term services in day programs, which ensure personal well-being and reduce risk of out-of-home placement.

- **STAR Services** - Youth ages 7-17 who are delinquent or at-risk of runaway, truancy, homelessness, abuse/neglect or family conflict receive help with crisis intervention, conflict resolution, skills training, counseling, linkage with resources and case planning.

- **Substance Abuse Counselling** - Adults or teens receive assessment of problems, information about substance abuse, counseling and referral to treatment resources.

- **Support Housing** - Persons with severe and persistent mental illnesses choose, get and keep regular housing, with support. Services include funds for rental assistance or sources for affordable housing, in-home training, and assistance in finding housing and moving in and service coordination.

- **Vocational Services** - Assist persons with mental illness or mental retardation to prepare for, find and maintain employment. Job placement, vocational support and job coaching are provided in natural community settings. Vocational support and training for persons with long-term needs are provided in a sheltered workshop setting.

- **First Time Offender Program** - A specialized treatment program for
adolescents who are identified as being involved with the Juvenile Justice System, or are "at-risk" of involvement with the juvenile authorities for the first time and who meets the priority population criteria for services. This includes youth that are referred from the school system because of delinquent behavior. Family members may also identify their child as a first time offender if they have knowledge the child has been engaging in behavior of a delinquent nature. Children identified as "First Time Offenders" receive a specific intervention on their treatment plan to address and alleviate their delinquent behaviors. Collaboration with School, Probation, Child Protective Services and Parents is exercised to the greatest extent possible.

**FEE:**

Monthly ability to pay - Fee Schedule Sliding Scale - Fee is determined by the individual/family income, Hospitalization Insurance, Medicaid and Medicare.

**BUSINESS HOURS:**

Monday - Friday, 8:00am - 5:00pm
Crisis Hotline: (877) 466-0660 (24/7)

**TRANSPORTATION:**

Limited

**SPANISH INTERPRETER:**

Yes
AGENCY: Lakes Regional Mental Health Center
1400 College, Suite 204
Sulphur Springs, TX 75482
Phone: 903/885-8611
Fax: 903/439· 1080

CLIENT TYPE SERVED:
Adults
Children and adolescents up to age 17
with mental illness

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:
Psychiatric diagnosis and one of the following:
1. Identified as ED by school system
2. Global assessment of functioning (GAF) of 50 or below
3. At risk of removal from preferred living environment or day care

SERVICES AVAILABLE:
Psychiatric services including medication services, case management, skills training,
counseling (individual, group, or family

COUNTIES SERVED:
Hopkins/Franklin

FEE:
Sliding Scale Available

BUSINESS HOURS:
Monday - Friday 8:00am-5:00pm

TRANSPORTATION:
Yes (open cases)

SPANISH INTERPRETER:
Yes

Revised May 2009
AGENCY: Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services (DARS) Rehabilitation Services Division

Texarkana Office - Texarkana Rehabilitation Commission
410 Baylor Street, Suite A
Texarkana, TX 75501
Phone#: (903) 255-3220
1-800-344-3419
Fax #: (903) 255-3229
(903) 255-3230

Paris Office - Texas Rehabilitation Commission
2340 Lamar Avenue
Paris, TX 75460
Phone #: (903) 785-4536
1-800-687-8076
Fax#: (903) 784-7383

Sulphur Springs Office - Texas Rehabilitation Commission
1250 College Street
Sulphur Springs, TX 75482
Phone#: (903) **885-8651**
1-800-687-8176
Fax#: (903) 885-9579

CLIENT TYPE SERVED:
The Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services (OARS) provides services to Texans who are disabled. House Bill created the agency 2292 of the 78th Texas Legislature as part of a major transformation of the state's health and human services system. OARS administers the programs previously provided by the Texas Rehabilitation Commission.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:
A person may be eligible for this program if:
• The person has a disability that results in substantial problems in obtaining employment.
• Vocational rehabilitation services are required by that person to prepare for, get, or keep a job.
• The person is able to get or keep a job after receiving services.

Services will be determined through informed client choice; that is, after providing information about options and alternatives.

SERVICES AVAILABLE:

The Vocational Rehabilitation Program serves people with a wide variety of disabilities, including:
• Mental Illness
• Hearing impairment
• Impaired functioning of arms or legs
• Back injury
• Alcoholism or drug addiction
• Mental retardation
• Learning disability
• Traumatic brain injury
• Other physical or mental disabilities that prevent the person from finding and keeping a job.

Services, based on individual needs, include:
• Medical, psychological and vocational evaluation to determine the nature and degree of the disability and the client's job capabilities.
• Counseling and guidance to help the client and family plan vocational goals and adjust to the working world.
• Training to learn job skills in trade school, college, university, on the job or at home.
• Hearing examinations, hearing aids and other communication equipment, aural rehabilitation and interpreter services for the deaf and hearing impaired.
• Medical treatment and/or therapy
to lessen or remove the disability.
• Assistive devices such as artificial limbs, braces, and wheelchairs to stabilize or improve functioning on the job or at home.
• Rehabilitation technology devices and services to improve job functioning.
• Training in appropriate work behaviors and other skills to meet employer expectations.
• Job placement assistance to find jobs compatible with the person's physical and mental ability.
• Follow-up after job placement to ensure job success.

COUNTIES SERVED:

FEE:
Some Services Based on Economic Need

BUSINESS HOURS:
Monday - Friday, 8:00am-5:00pm

TRANSPORTATION:
As required on a case-by-case basis

Revised January 2008
AGENCY: Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services - Division for Blind Services
410 Baylor St., Suite C
Texarkana, Texas
75501
Phone#: (903) 255-3200
1-800-687-7040
Fax #: (903) 255-3209

Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services - Division for Blind Services
Serving Camp and Franklin counties
Nancy Custer, Children's Specialist
1121 ESE Loop 323, Bldg. I, Suite 106
Tyler, Texas 75701
Phone#: (903) 581-9945
(800) 687-7042
Email: nancy.custel@state.tx.us

CLIENT TYPE SERVED: Blind and Visually Impaired

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:
Children's Program - Birth to 9 years
Transition Program - 10 years +
Vocational Rehabilitation- Adults who are working
Independent Living - Adults not able to work

SERVICES AVAILABLE:
Education Support Services
Counseling and Guidance
Consumer & Parent Workshops
Information and Referral
Eye Restoration
Rehabilitation Training
Special Aids and Appliances
Orientation and Mobility
Vocational Evaluation
Vocational Training
Assistance in Locating and Securing Job Opportunities
Post-Employment Services
Reader Services
Independent Living Skills Training
Criss Cole Rehabilitating Center in Austin, Texas.
COUNTIES SERVED: Bowie Camp, Lamar, Cass, Morris, Red River, Marion and Titus Counties (Hopkins, Delta, Franklin Counties covered by Tyler office@ 1-800-687-7042)

FEE: None

BUSINESS HOURS: Monday- Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

TRANSPORTATION: Occasionally transportation can be purchased.

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Services for the Deaf or Hard of Hearing:

Division for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services (DHHS)
(Texas Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing)
P.O. Box 12904
4800 North Lamar, Suite 100
Austin, TX 78711
Phone #: (512) 407-3250
(512) 407-3251 (ITY)
Fax #: (512) 407-3299
Website: www.tcdhh.state.tx.us

Communication Access

Provided to persons who are deaf or hard of hearing for essential services and community participation. This service includes sign language or oral interpreters, and real-time captioning.

Information and Referral

Information and referral regarding deafness and/or hearing impairment is provided to all persons who inquire, regardless of hearing loss. Referrals are made to the appropriate sources for additional services and/or information in the local communities or where appropriate.

Hard of Hearing Services

For persons who are hard of hearing, late deafened or oral deaf. Includes training, information, referral and adaptive equipment, demonstrations provided by a hard of hearing specialist.

Senior Citizens Program (SCP)

Geared toward bridging the communication barriers and reducing the isolation facing persons who are deaf or hard of hearing, ages 60 or older. Services vary from area to area and may include coping skills training, independent living services, and recreational activities.

Early Intervention Program (EIP)

Funds various projects to identify individuals with possible hearing loss and provide information about available resources. Projects target high-risk populations.

Communication Access Mentor Program

Funds projects through local service providers for advanced training opportunities for interpreters to upgrade their skills.

Regional Specialist Program

Funds projects through local service providers to assist state and local governments, organization and private entities in making their services accessible and readily available to individuals who are deaf or hard of bearing. The program also addresses attitudinal and cultural barriers of the

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target population which may hinder successful service delivery, provides information and referral services, and may provide training geared toward the needs of both the service population and the service providers.

**Interpreter Outreach and Training**

Offers agency sponsored training opportunities for interpreters. Continuing Education Units (CEU’s) for certification maintenance are awarded to participants in any approved training.

**Camp SIGN**

Camp SIGN is a weeklong summer program for children between the ages of 8 and 17 who are deaf or hard of hearing. The camp program is totally dependent on donated funding. Camp SIGN is a communication barrier free environment for students who are deaf or hard of hearing. Camp SIGN is for boys and girls between the ages of 8 and 17 who are deaf or hard of hearing who can benefit from the outdoor training program. For more information, please contact Ann Horn at (S12) 407-3251 TTY or by e-mail at ann.hom@dars.state.tx.us.

**Certification of Deafness for Tuition Waiver**

Provided to applicants for tuition waiver at state supported post-secondary schools in Texas. Applicants must have an average uncorrected hearing loss of 55 decibels (dB) or greater (using 500, 1000, 2000 and 4000 Hz) or a physician who will certify that the applicant is "functionally deaf and the primary mode of communication in the classroom is visual" to qualify.

**Interagency Contract Local Service Providers**

**Deaf Action Center**
3115 Crestview Drive
Dallas, TX 75235
Phone#: (214) 521-0407
Toll Free#: 1-866-685-0407
Fax#: (214) 521-3658
E-Mail: seniorcitizens@deafactioncentertexas.org
advocacy@deafactioncentertexas.org
communication@deafactioncentertexas.onz

**Merritt Interpreting Services**
3626 N. Hall, Suite #504
Dallas, TX 75219
Phone#: (214) 969-5585
Fax#: (214) 969-5592
E-Mail: merritt.interpreting.services@ainnail.net

**Goodrich Center for the Deaf**
2500 Lipscomb Street
Ft. Worth, TX 76110
Phone#: (817) 926-5305 Voice
(817) 926-4101 TTY

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Fax #: (817) 921-9528  
Website: www.goodrichcenter.com  
E-Mail: patriced@goodrichcenter.com

Division for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services (DHHS)  
(Texas Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing)  
1530 SSW Loop 323, #120  
TJC- West Campus  
Tyler, TX  75701  
Phone#: (903) 534-1222  
Toll Free#: 1-866-275-4887  
Fax #: (903) 561-3780

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