

CLINICAL PERSPECTIVES

The Clinical Social Work Association of Savannah

July 2009

News and Announcements

The Clinical Social Work Association of Savannah is proud to announce the election results for the 2009-2010 Board of Directors:

Executive Board:

Cathy McRae, PhD, LCSW, President

Edward Parks, LCSW, Vice-President

Legare Nadelman, LCSW, Secretary

Helen D. Shandolph, LCSW, Treasurer

Additional Board Members:

Michael Mack, LMSW, Newsletter Editor

Maggie Lee, LCSW, Program Committee Chair

Sr. Pat Brown, LMSW, Membership Chair

Irma Gibson, PhD, CEU Chair

Andrea Liverman, LPC Representative

Mary Hill, LCSW, Member at Large

Collaborative Members:

Heather Mullin-Teasley, Web Master

Results were announced at the Annual Meeting this past June 24th. The Board would like to thank everyone who took part in this election process, and will strive to do its best to meet and exceed the expectations of our membership.

We would also like to extend our gratitude for our guest speaker, Dr. Beverly Watkins, current Chair of the SSU Advisory Council and former Chair of Department of Social Work and Assistant Vice President for Academic Affairs. Dr. Watkins provided an overview of the difficult and time-consuming process of accreditation renewal, and the CSWS-S wishes the entire Social Work department at Savannah State the best of luck in this important endeavor.

Upcoming Monthly Meeting

This note is a reminder that there will be no Monthly Colloquium at the end of July. The August meeting will be held 08/26/09 at the Hoskins Center of Memorial Hospital, and the speaker will be Debbie Kearney, PhD, of

Savannah Psychotherapy. A box lunch will be provided for a donation of \$5 per person. Please RSVP Andrea Liverman at andi0308@yahoo.com no later than August 20, 2009.

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Calendar of Events:

- 07/17/09: Program Committee Meeting. Contact Maggie Hill at (404) 226-1041 for more information.
- 08/26/09: Monthly Meeting at the Hoskins Center, Room 3, in the rear of the Memorial Hospital complex. 11:30am to 1:00pm. Speaker will be Debbie Kearney, PhD.
- 09/23/09: Legislative Luncheon at Johnny Harris' Restaurant Banquet Facility from 11:30am to 2:30pm.



Overview of Past Events, 2008-2009

2008-2009 Monthly Meetings

This past year, the CSWA-S was fortunate to have wonderful, knowledgeable guests speak on a variety of topics. The speakers and topics for the monthly meetings were as follows:

Month/Year	Topic	Speaker
August 2008	AmericanWork, Inc.	Rick Lally
September 2008	Legislative Luncheon	Sue Fort
October 2008	Reed House/NAMI	John Richards
November 2008	CMS Changes	Hunter Hurst
January 2009	The Impaired Professional	William Ellien, MD
February 2009	The Homeless Authority	Mark Baggett
April 2009	Overview of DFCS	Yvonna Brown
May 2009	PTSD/Deployment Stressors	Maj. Christopher Warner
June 2009	Annual Meeting	Beverly Watkins

2008-2009 Learning Institutes

August 2008	Sexual Anorexia/Compulsive Disorders	Frank Barker
February 2009	Dealing with Sudden Death	Chris Foley

2009 Annual Conference

March 2009	Dialectical Behavior Therapy	Shari Manning
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Additional Educational Opportunities

March 2009	LCSW Examination Prep	Jackie Pray
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Contact Our New Board Members

If you would like to receive more information about our organization, or to voice a suggestion, contact information for the 2009-2010 CSWA-S Board of Directors will be posted on our website at www.socialworksavannah.com

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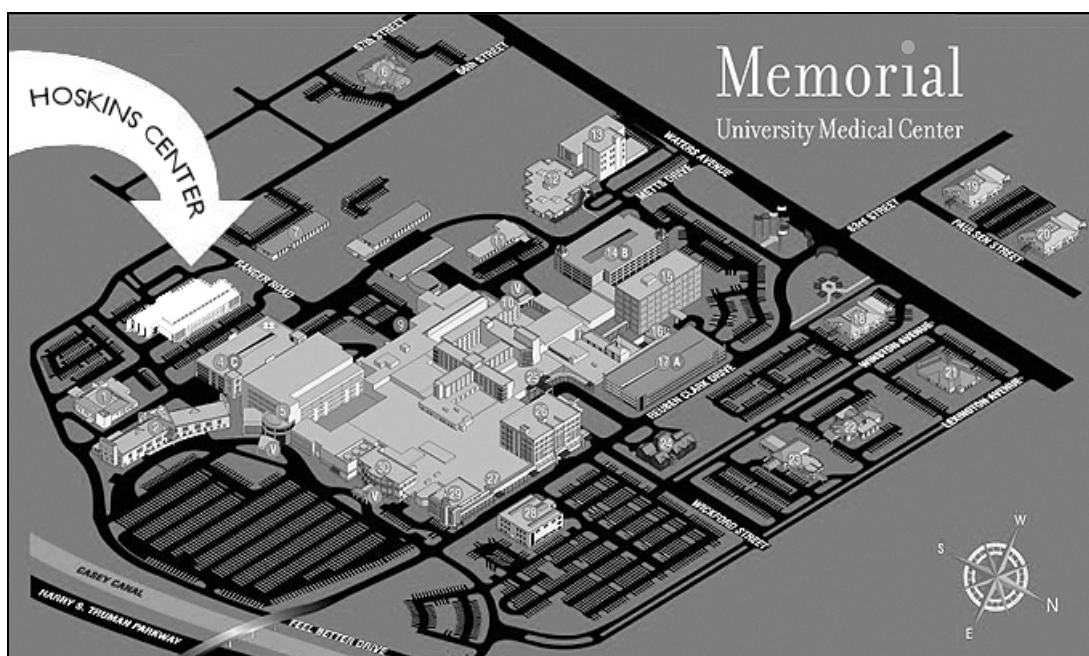
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Our New Meeting Location



The CSWA-S is pleased to announce that the new location for our monthly meetings will be the Hoskins Center of Memorial University Medical Center, located in the southeast corner of the hospital campus. From the main entrance on Waters Avenue, this corner is in the far back, towards the right. Ample parking is available, however, please observe all posted regulations and restrictions.