



HIV HEALTH SERVICES PLANNING COUNCIL

MIDDLESEX-SOMERSET-HUNTERDON TGA

Ryan White HIV/AIDS Treatment Extension Act of 2009

To: Planning Council Members and Guests
From: Planning Council Staff
Re: HIV Health Services Planning Council Meeting Materials
Date: December 23, 2015

Natalie Aloyets Artel (Planning Council Support).....848-932-0530

Terri Fox (Quality Management & Program Support).....848-932-0537

Donna Van Alst (Principal Investigator).....848-932-0531

The following materials are enclosed for your review prior to this month's meetings:

- ❖ January Calendar of meetings
- ❖ January Planning Council Meeting Agenda
- ❖ Committee Meeting Minutes, October 2015
- ❖ Directions to meetings

You can access information about the Planning Council, our meeting minutes, and much more on the Planning Council website. Check us out at <http://www.centralnjhivplanningcouncil.org>

For any questions or concerns, contact Natalie Aloyets Artel at 848-932-0530

January

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3	4	5	6	7 12pm Planning Council Meeting and Recognition Event (Rutgers Cook Campus Center Multipurpose Room C)	8	9
10	11	12	13	14 2pm Priorities (Institute for Families)	15	16
17	18	19 2pm Membership and By Laws (Institute for Families)	20 2pm Administrative Assessment (Somerset Treatment Services)	21 10am NJ HIV Planning Group (Busch Campus Center) 1pm Our Voices (Hyacinth)	22	23
24	25	26 2pm EIIHA (Institute for Families)	27 3pm Executive (Institute for Families)	28	29	30

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MIDDLESEX-SOMERSET-HUNTERDON

Agenda Planning Council Meeting 12pm, January 7, 2016 Cook Campus Center Multipurpose Room

- I. Welcome Statement
- II. Sunshine Law
- III. Introductions
- IV. Reading of Mission Statement/Moment of Silence
- V. Evaluation Form
- VI. Roll Call of Voting Members
- VII. Approval of Minutes from November, 2015 (Quorum to Approve)
- VIII. Approval of Agenda for January, 2016 (Quorum to Approve)

Please keep in mind your conflict of interest when you vote.

Conflict of interest is defined as an actual or perceived interest, financial or otherwise, by a PC member in an action which results, or has the appearance of resulting, in personal, organizational (programmatic and service category), or professional gain

- IX. Action Items
 - Assessment of the Administrative Mechanism
 - Bylaws Amendments
- X. Administrative Agent Report
- XI. Reports
 - Executive Committee
 - Priorities/Service Standards/Comprehensive Care Plan Committee
 - Membership and By-Laws Committee
 - Administrative Assessment and Quality Review Committee
 - Our Voices “Client Caucus”
 - Early Identification of Individuals with HIV and AIDS (EIIHA)
- XII. Case Management Coordination Update
- XIII. Old Business
- XIV. New Business
 - Chair, Vice Chair, and Membership Chair Nominations
- XV. Announcements/Agency Updates
- XVI. Public Forum
- XVII. Adjournment

The Sunshine Law

“The notice of this meeting pursuant to the Open Public Meeting Act of NJ S.A10:4-10 has been complied with and shall be entered in the minutes of this meeting.”

Welcome Statement

Welcome to the HIV Health Services Planning Council meeting of the Middlesex-Somerset-Hunterdon Transitional Grant Area. We meet at 6pm, the first Tuesday of each month at the Hyacinth AIDS Foundation in New Brunswick. The meeting open is to all who wish to attend. We request that everyone adhere to the ground rules on the back of the agenda. Thank you.

Ground Rules for the Meeting

- The purpose of this meeting is to plan HIV services in Middlesex, Somerset, and Hunterdon counties that are funded through the Ryan White Part A Program.
- We encourage participants to be open-minded and flexible and to honor individual difference and diversity.
- The Chair is responsible for running today’s meeting. Everyone is expected to respect the Chair’s authority.
- You may ask a question anytime during the meeting. If you wish to ask a question, please raise your hand and wait for the Chair to recognize you.
- Due to time constraints, the Chair may choose to limit the number of people who may speak and/or the length of time allowed for discussion.
- Planning Council meetings are recorded and minutes are available to the public.
- We discourage sharing private information such as your HIV status. If private information is shared during the meeting, we expect that all who attend the meeting will keep this information confidential.
- The Planning Council’s role is to discuss service categories, not individual providers. Issues with individual providers should be directed to the Middlesex County Department of Community Services, Office of Human Services.
- Please keep your comments respectful aimed at improving services

Tenets of the HIV Health Services Planning Council

Statement of Purpose

To improve and ensure the quality and availability of care for individuals infected with, or affected by HIV who reside in or receive services in the Middlesex-Somerset-Hunterdon TGA.

Mission Statement

The mission of the Planning Council is to establish and implement a comprehensive plan for the organization and delivery of HIV related services as described in the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Treatment Extension Act of 2009.

Goals of the HIV Health Services Planning Council

- To identify HIV needs, prioritize service interventions, and recommend allocations to meet the priority service needs in the TGA.
- To develop a Comprehensive HIV Care Plan describing the continuum of care to meet HIV needs in the TGA.
- To develop collaborative partnerships to facilitate the implementation of the comprehensive HIV care plan.
- To evaluate the effectiveness of HIV services in the TGA.
- To assure the rapid disbursement of Part A funds to meet HIV needs.
- To manage the operations of the HIV Health Services Planning Council.

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MIDDLESEX-SOMERSET-HUNTERDON

Planning Council Meeting Minutes

6pm, November 10, 2015

390 George Street 6th floor

Attendance: Janice Chapin, Vanessa Cheek, Conneil J. Gavin, Sylvester Graham, David Jones, Edward Kelly, Maureen McKinley, John Marcinkiewicz, Roseann Marone, Nerlene Mayers, Joy Melendez, Bobby Rosenberg, Ricardo Salcido, Barbara Schlichting, Stephen Sidorsky, Pam Simone, Sheree Key, Han Le, Dana Reaves, Frances Higgins, Iris Gomez, Audria Russell, Jeffrey Cooper, Jacquelyn Williams, Idalexia Fernandez, Brigitte Nyandja, Erika Barrero, Pam Simone, and Natalie Aloyets Artel.

The meeting achieved quorum 14 out of 18 members are present

The meeting was called to order by Conneil J. Gavin at 6:03pm.

The Welcome Statement and the Sunshine Law were read.

Review of Minutes

October, 2015 minutes - 1st Janice Chapin; 2nd Vanessa Cheek - 13Y:0N:0A - minutes approved

Review of Agenda

November, 2015 agenda -1st Barbara Schlichting; 2nd Ricardo Salcido - 13Y:0N:0A - agenda approved

Planning Council Training

Natalie Aloyets Artel gave an overview training of the bylaws amendments and the Assessment of the Administrative Mechanism. Both will be voted on at the January Planning Council meeting.

Administrative Agent Update:

Lucy Counts reported that the HRSA site visit will be held from December 1 – 4, 2015. They have requested a consumer meeting, as well as a meeting with the Planning Council Executive Committee. Lucy Counts added that we do not know if they will be able to attend our World AIDS Day Event as they have a very full schedule during their 4-day visit. Lucy Counts noted that the FY 2016 Grant Application was completed and submitted on November 2nd. Lucy Counts reported that Hyacinth AIDS Foundation has received the contract to provide Housing Services in the TGA for the remainder of the program year, which ends on February 29, 2016. Lucy Counts also noted that there are funds that need to be reallocated; the total dollar amount is unknown, but a number of agencies have contacted the County and indicated that they will be unable to spend their full allocation. Lucy Counts noted that this is due to a number of consumers receiving insurance (Medicaid or ACA Marketplace Insurance). Lucy Counts also added that the funds that were allocated for Health Insurance Cost Sharing Assistance need to be reallocated since there was no response to the RFA. Lucy counts noted that she hopes to have the exact amount of unallocated funds by the end of this week. Based on billing thus far, it does not appear that any of the currently funded agencies will be able to spend additional funds; many of them are underspent for this time of the year.

Reports:

Executive Committee:

Edward Kelly reported that the Committee reviewed Planning Council evaluations and will be seeking a bigger space for the Planning Council meeting. Ed Kelly also noted that the Committee chose Thursday, January 7th for

the Planning Council Recognition Day event. This will follow the January Planning Council meeting. Ed Kelly added that the Committee discussed the upcoming HRSA site visit.

John Marcinkiewicz discusses the access to mental health services as an ongoing issue. A number of people agreed that access continues to be a problem. John Marcinkiewicz suggested revisiting the pilot program and possibly revising it as a way to increase access.

Priorities Committee:

Joy Melendez reported that the Committee is working on the Integrated Care Plan and also updating service standards.

Membership and By-laws Committee:

Stephen Sidorsky reported there are currently have 18 members; 8 of who are unaffiliated consumers (44%). There are 4 prospective members, three of whom are unaligned consumers and one a prevention provider in the membership pipeline. Stephen Sidorsky added that the Committee will review the attendance and leave policies again to possibly give unaffiliated consumers a little more flexibility in their attendance and to clarify the minimum length of a leave of absence.

Administrative Assessment and Quality Review Committee:

Barbara Schlichting reported that the Committee held a conference call to finalize the Assessment of the Administrative Mechanism report. The Committee worked on the summary identifying recommendations for improvement.

Our Voices Client Caucus Committee:

Bobby Rosenberg reported that the Committee conducted World AIDS Day planning, and reviewed the Stigma Program.

Early Identification of Individuals with HIV/AIDS Committee:

Nerlene Mayers reported that the outreach program hosted a health fair on Sunday, October 25th at the Perth Amboy Moose Lodge. This was a collaborative event. The outreach program plans to host a collaborative event with Street Outreach, Planned Parenthood, and Hyacinth. The outreach program did outreach at Middlesex County College where they tested thirty people. Nerlene Mayers added that Yvette Molina presented her intern Mary Kate Marasco who will do her project on HIV outreach and how best to target social media to get the outreach results we want. Mary Kate Marasco explained that she will do an assessment by interviewing providers and consumers to understand our needs, conduct a literature review to serve as a resource for agencies, develop and facilitate social media training for professional, and develop best practices workshop we can use in our TGA.

NJ HIV Planning Group

Roseann Marone reported NJ HIV Planning Group hosted the ‘2015 Resources Unifying Prevention, Care, and treatment Summit’ on Monday, October 26th from 9-4pm at the Cook Campus Center. Roseann Marone noted that this was a state wide effort to gather providers involved in prevention, care, and treatment with the goal of reducing state viral load. Loretta Dutton gave a presentation that reducing viral load was the State wide goal for all HIV providers. She asked that providers work extra hard with consumers who do not have a suppressed viral load.

Roseann Marone added that the October NJHPG meeting included a presentation from the Latino Commission on AIDS. Roseann Marone announced that the NJ Department of Health received the Public Health Accreditation. Roseann Marone added that the Part B application for funding for homeless youth services went out to potential providers. Roseanne Marone added that Ann Barchi from the Rutgers School of Nursing is heading up the Stigma Index project with Deloris Dockrey. Roseann Marone added that Part B had its HRSA site visit.

Case Management Coordination:

N/A

Consumer Quality Workgroup

N/A

Old Business:

N/A

New Business:

N/A

Announcements

Frances Higgins announced that Hyacinth is beginning the Housing Assistance program. She distributed a flyer about the program. The program will provide short term housing assistance to Ryan White clients.

Barbara Schlichting announced that Somerset Treatment Services is hosting a Narcan training. Please speak to her for details.

Public Forum:

Natalie Aloyets Artel reminded all unaffiliated consumers that she can reimburse their meeting related expenses.

Natalie Aloyets Artel announced the upcoming World AIDS Day event,

Adjournment:

1st Barbara Schlichting; 2nd Bobby Rosenberg

***** The next meeting will be at 12pm, Thursday, January 7th at the Cook Campus Center MPR C.**

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Membership and By-Laws Committee September 1, 2015 4pm, Hyacinth

Attendants: Steve Pitts, Janice Chapin, Ricardo Salcido, Stephen Sidorsky, and Natalie Aloyets Artel.

Introductions: Stephen Sidorsky called the meeting to order at 4:10pm. The members present introduced themselves.

Meeting minutes: The July meeting minutes were reviewed and approved.
1st Steve Pitts; 2nd Janice Chapin - 2Y:0N:1A

Administrative Agent

N/A

Old Business:

Ricardo Salcido brought up the issue that some individuals on a leave of absence took the leave because they could not attend the Planning Council meeting, but still wanted to attend the Committee meetings. Steve Pitts and Natalie Aloyets Artel explained that at this time we do not have a structure to allow for this. When an individual takes a leave they are on leave from all Planning Council meetings. After further discussion, the group agreed to table this discussion until the next Membership Committee meeting.

New Business:

Membership Review

The Committee reviewed the current membership. They reviewed the membership summary and discussed how our membership reflects the epidemic of HIV/AIDS in our TGA. We currently have 21 members; 9 of who are unaffiliated consumers (43%). There are 2 prospective members, both unaligned consumers in the membership pipeline.

11 Caucasian (50%)
7 African Americans (32%)
1 Hispanic (5%)
1 Asian (5%)
1 American Indian (5%)

10 Male (47%)
11 Female (53%)

The Committee reviewed the status of our TGA meeting the HRSA categories. The Medicaid representative category and local health remain unfilled.

Attendance Review

The Committee reviewed attendance. Natalie Aloyets Artel reported that Christina Nash, Anne Abbatiello, Vanessa Cheek, and Karen Marcinczyk were all on a leave of absence.

Recruitment Review

The Committee reviewed the recruitment chart and discussed people/agencies to follow up with.

Review of Prospective Planning Council Members

N/A

Bylaws Review

N/A

Announcements:

N/A

Adjournment: 1st Steve Pitts; 2nd Janice Chapin

***** The next meeting is on Tuesday, November 17th at the Institute for Families.**

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Administrative Assessment & Quality Review Committee Meeting Minutes Conference Call

11am, Friday October 9, 2015

Attendance: Maureen McKinley, Ricardo Salcido, Barbara Schlichting, and Natalie Aloyets Artel.

Assessment of the Administrative Mechanism Final Report (Draft)

The group reviewed the requested changes from the September AAQR Committee meeting. They voted to approve the FY 14-15 report.

Approve the Assessment of the Administrative Mechanism Final Report FY 14-15.

1st Ricardo Salcido; 2nd Maureen McKinley – 3Y: 0N:0A

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“Our Voices” Client Caucus Meeting

October 15, 2015

1pm, Hyacinth

Introductions:

The meeting began at 1:00 p.m. with lunch. At 1:15pm, the Chair began the formal part of the meeting with introductions, the reading of the Our Voices/Client Caucus mission statement and a moment of silence.

Old Business:

Zufall Recruiter Program

Elizabeth Rolon from Zufall Health Center discussed the Patient Navigator client to client recruiter program. She explain how clients would recruit 5 other people in their social network to get HIV tested and get a gift card incentive for their efforts.

World AIDS Day Planning

The Committee reviewed the World AIDS Day planning worksheet and continued planning. They discussed performances, work assignments, getting donations, and the theme. Martisha Dwyer attended and discussed the spiritual program to help shape that aspect of the program.

Stigma Program

Mark Cruz from the Rutgers HOPE program described the Shades theatre program which is comprised of many health education/stigma fighting skits. Mark Cruz took questions and answers to assist our group in formulating our stigma program. The group also invited Shades to perform at World AIDS Day.

New Business:

N/A

Reports:

N/A

Announcements:

N/A

Public Forum:

The group discussed the recent client deaths and the role of stigma.

Adjournment:

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Early Identification of Individuals with HIV/AIDS Committee

Meeting Minutes

October 27, 2015

1pm, Institute for Families

Introductions: Marion Goldberg, Iris Gomez, Cindy Leon, Nerlene Mayers, Bobby Rosenberg, Yvette Molina, Elizabeth Rolon, Aissa Oduro, Mary Kate Marasco, Rose Vergara, DreShonda Williams, and Natalie Aloyets Artel

Minutes from September, 2015 meeting

1st Bobby Rosenberg; 2nd Iris Gomez - motion passed 7Y:ON:OA

Administrative Agent Report

N/A

Outreach Report

DreShonda Williams gave the outreach program report. The program hosted a health fair on Sunday, October 25th at the Perth Amboy Moose Lodge. This was a collaborative event. DreShonda Williams added that in October they hosted an event with PRAHD where seven people were tested. There are also plans to host a collaborative event with Street Outreach, Planned Parenthood, and Hyacinth. DreShonda Williams added that the outreach program did outreach at Middlesex County College where they tested thirty people. DreShonda Williams added that she held the first peer training meeting.

Myneka Macenat from Hyacinth reported via email that Hyacinth collaborated with Cindy Leon to host the National Latino AIDS Awareness Day at Eric B. Chandler on October 19th from 10 to 1pm. Myneka Macenat added that they had a table full of HIV/AIDS pamphlets in Spanish, snacks (cookies, and chips), beverages and condoms and lubricants at the table. Myneka Macenat stated that they gave the HIV tester at Eric B raffle tickets to give to the patients that got tested. Myneka Macenat added that after being tested patients received a goody bag with promotional items and was given a chance to win a pinata filled with toys and candy which was placed on the table for all to see.

Old Business

Meeting Date and Time Change

The Committee discussed moving the meeting to 3pm every 4th Tuesday. Natalie Aloyets Artel noted that this was an available time in the IFF conference room schedule. The Committee agreed to this new day and time.

New Business

Prevention, Care, and Treatment Summit

Natalie Aloyets Artel gave an update on this summit. This was a state wide effort to gather providers involved in prevention, care, and treatment with the goal of reducing state viral load. Loretta Dutton gave a presentation that reducing viral load was the State wide goal for all HIV providers. She asked that providers work extra hard with consumers who do not have a suppressed viral load. The summit included presentations on the Cross Part Collaborative and on the effects of HIV on overall health over time.

Social Media & Outreach

Yvette Molina presented her intern Mary Kate Marasco who will do her project on HIV outreach and how best to target social media to get the outreach results we want. Mary Kate Marasco explained that she will do an assessment by interviewing providers and consumers to understand our needs, conduct a literature review to

serve as a resource for agencies, develop and facilitate social media training for professional, and develop best practices workshop we can use in our TGA.

Needs Assessment

Pam Simone gave an update on the comprehensive Needs Assessment

Announcements

N/A

Adjournment

1st Blanca Jackson; 2nd Cindy Leon

*****The next meeting will take place at 3pm on Tuesday, December 22nd at the Institute for Families.**

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Executive Committee Meeting Minutes 3pm, Institute for Families October 28, 2015

Attendance: Ed Kelly, Maureen McKinley, John Marcinkiewicz, Bobby Rosenberg, Barbara Schlichting, Stephen Sidorsky, Lucy Counts, and Natalie Aloyets Artel.

Review of September, 2015 Minutes

Motion to approve August, 2015 minutes

1st Barbara Schlichting; 2nd Stephen Sidorsky – 3Y:0N:0A

Administrative Agent Update

Lucy Counts reported that the HRSA Site visit is scheduled from December 1st through the 4th. Lucy Counts noted that there will be a pre site visit conference call to plan the visit. Lucy Counts noted that the site visit team is Durkia Hudson, our new project officer, Mae Rupert the HAB North East branch chief, along with three program, fiscal, and quality management consultants. Lucy counts added that the FY 2016 grant was submitted. Lucy Counts also added that the housing service was funded and approved to begin. Lucy Counts also noted that the Planning Council will need to reallocate some unspent funds. Lucy Counts will email details regarding the spend down to the Planning Council ahead of the next Planning Council meeting.

Reports:

Priorities, Comprehensive Care Plan, and Service Standards Committee

N/A

Membership and By-laws Committee

Stephen Sidorsky reported that there are four prospective members in the pipeline. Stephen Sidorsky added that one member is on a leave of absence. Three members resigned – Christina Nash, Ursula Smith, and Brian Robles. Stephen Sidorsky also added that one of the linkage to care coordinators and a Part B representative will be applying to join the Council in early 2016.

Administrative Assessment and Quality Review Committee

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Our Voices

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Quality Management Update:

N/A

Review of Planning Council Meeting Evaluations:

The Committee reviewed the evaluations and requested that Natalie Aloyets Artel look into moving the meeting to a bigger space.

Review of attendance:

The Committee reviewed attendance. Natalie Aloyets Artel noted that one person was on a leave of absence, three people resigned, and four are in the prospective membership pipeline.

Old Business:

John Marcinkiewicz opened a discussion about continued poor access to mental health services. John Marcinkiewicz noted that need especially in the newly diagnosed. He stated that it's difficult to get consumers in therapy and to see a psychiatrist. Access given the limited number of providers remains a major hurdle.

New Business:

Planning Council Recognition Day

The Committee agreed to hold this on Thursday, January 7th at the Cook Campus Center.

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Review of Planning Council Agenda

The Executive Committee reviewed and approved the November agenda.

Announcements

N/A

Adjournment:

1st Maureen McKinley; 2nd John Marcinkiewicz

Directions to Meetings

- Hyacinth
- Institute for Families
- Rutgers School of Social Work @390 George Street
- Somerset Treatment Services

HYACINTH
317 George Street, Suite 203
New Brunswick, NJ 08901
732-246-0204

LOCAL TRAFFIC

Take Route 27 into New Brunswick to Nielson Street

Turn onto Nielson and proceed to the next light

You will be at the corner of Nielson Street and New Street

Turn right onto New Street and proceed to the middle of the block

Parking will be located on the right

Walk up the stairs enter the building

Take the elevator to the second floor, Suite 203

FROM THE TURNPIKE

Exit onto Rt. 18 North

Proceed on Rt. 18 North to the New Street exit

Take New Street to traffic signal

You will be at the intersection of Nielson Street and New Street

Proceed on New Street to the middle of the next block

Parking will be located on the right

Walk up the stairs enter the building

Take the elevator to the second floor, Suite 203

*****The Planning Council meeting is in the conference room on the 2nd floor in Suite 203.**

**Institute for Families
55 Commercial Avenue, 3rd floor
New Brunswick, NJ 08901
732-932-0512 x25745**

LOCAL TRAFFIC

Take Route 18 to Commercial Avenue.

Take first right on to Neilsen Street and first left on to Elijah's Way.

Park in the deck on your left.

FROM THE TURNPIKE

Exit onto Rt. 18 North

Proceed on Rt. 18 North to Commercial Avenue.

Follow directions above

**Rutgers School of Social Work
390 George Street 6th floor
New Brunswick, NJ 08901**

From the New Jersey Turnpike:

Exit 9 to Route 18 north. *Bear right* as Route 18 splits - following overhead sign to the **NEW STREET exit** (.6 miles). At end of New St. exit ramp, turn right at traffic light onto Neilson Street. Go 4 blocks and make a left onto CHURCH STREET (across from the Hyatt Hotel). The Lower Church Street Parking Deck is on the left. See **390 George** below:

From Route 1:

Exit onto route 18 north. *Bear right* as Route 18 splits - following overhead sign to the **NEW STREET exit** (.6 miles). At end of New St. exit ramp, turn right at traffic light onto Neilson Street. Go 4 blocks and make a left onto CHURCH STREET (across from the Hyatt Hotel). The Lower Church Street Parking Deck is on the left. See **390 George** below:

From the Garden State Parkway:

Take the Parkway to NJ Turnpike South. Exit 9 to Route 18 north. *Bear right* as Route 18 splits - following overhead sign to the **NEW STREET exit** (.6 miles). At end of New St. exit ramp, turn right at traffic light onto Neilson Street. Go 4 blocks and make a left onto CHURCH STREET (across from the Hyatt Hotel). The Lower Church St. Parking Deck is on the left. See **390** below:

From Route 287:

Exit 10 to Easton Avenue. Proceed to the end of Easton Avenue. Go under train trestle and bear left onto Albany Street. 2 more traffic lights make a right onto Neilson Street and first right onto CHURCH STREET. The Church Street Parking Deck is on the left. See **390 George** below:

**Somerset Treatment Services
118 Westend Avenue
Somerville, NJ 08876
908-722-1232**

DIRECTIONS

Take Route 287 north to the Route 22 exit-you will be going west toward Somerville.

Take Route 22 for approx. 1 1/2 miles to the exit for Routes 202 and 206 South (Princeton-Flemington).

Follow the exit onto 202/206 for approx. 1/2 mile to the exit for the Somerville circle (signs for 206 South-Princeton).

Go 3/4 of the way around the circle to the exit for Route 28 East-that is West End Avenue.

Go approx 1/4 mile to Middaugh St.

Our building is on the corner of West End and Middaugh on the left hand side. It is a large yellow Victorian building. Parking and main entrance are in the rear. Phone # (908) 722-1232.