

## Innovations in Treatment

Henderson Mental Health Center offers innovative and comprehensive treatment for the mentally ill in Broward county.

- Homeless Services ease the transition from homelessness to home living. At Henderson the Homeless outreach Program has a proven track record of success in easing a homeless person off the streets. Through innovative partnerships with local and federal housing programs, a once homeless person can learn to live independently with all the necessary supports and services to ensure a normal life.
- The C.O.U.R.T. project is a specialized forensic program providing alternatives to incarceration for individuals who are suffering primarily from a mental illness and involved with the Broward County Mental Health Court, the first of it's kind in the nation. Services include Case Management, residential services so individuals can receive services and support in a secure, safe and homelike environment.
- Adult Day Treatment services provides services to people with mental illness who do not have a high school diploma, job training, or basic living skills. Provides assistance to achieve a General Equivalency Diploma (GED), skills training, vocational training, job placement and social skills development. Day treatment services also provide treatment for substance abuse with it's dual diagnosis programs. Support groups for clients and their families are also available.
- Youth and Family services target children and adolescents who suffer from problematic behavior and psychiatric issues such as depression, truancy, destructiveness, substance abuse or behavior disorders. The services offered are trained therapists and counselors, individual and group therapy, family therapy, psychiatric services, home and community services, case management and after school or day treatment programs.

Henderson Mental health Center maintains an ongoing Quality Improvement Program (QIP) which is an agency-wide effort that seeks continuous improvement and innovation

in all organizational activities. Henderson is the oldest, largest and most comprehensive community mental health center in Broward county.