

**NORTH CAROLINA DIVISION OF MENTAL HEALTH,  
DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE  
SERVICES AND DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE  
WORKSHOP ON**

**ACCESSING CARE: POLICY DIRECTION FOR CLINICAL  
ASSESSMENT, PERSON CENTERED PLANNING AND  
AUTHORIZATION**

**March 20, 2008  
8:00 AM – 5:00 PM**

**AGENDA**

**Presenters**

**Christina Carter – DMH/DD/SAS**

**Tara Larson – DMA**

**Jane Harris – Value Options**

**Welcome / Introductions / Goals**

**Person Centered Thinking – MH/DD/SA**

**Flow Chart**

**Clarification of Screening, Triage and Referral**

**Lunch (on your own)**

**Clinical Assessment**

**Authorization Process**

**Do the Service / Submit the Bill**

**Early Periodic Screening Diagnosis and Treatment**

**Q&A**