



Newsletter

**Fort Worth Chapter of
TAAP**

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May 23rd Speaker

Michelle O'Neal, Senior Forensic Chemist

"Controlled Substance Trends"

Lunch arrangements are made for attendees for a free sandwich. Please RSVP by 4:30 PM Tuesday, March 26th, to place your order with Robert Miles 817-265-4122.

April Minutes

April speaker MADD speaker Meredith Fisherman spoke on Sobriety Checkpoints in Texas. Currently the lobbying efforts did not net results. MADD will continue with their efforts and encourage TAAP to join with them in creating legislation to clear the road of drunk drivers.

President report

Metamorphosis was a huge success. Temporary conference team appointed by Robert Miles consists of Ron S., Judy C., and Trisha H. They will begin work on next years conference.

Peer assistance petition drive ends May 25th. Please consult Robert Miles with questions and interest.

Education VP

May speaker will be Michelle O'Neil speaking about forensics and addiction.

June speaker will be Mike McQuity presenting on the homeless population.

Special guest

Millwood hospital
Summer Sky
Right Step
Fort Worth Valley Hope

Future Meeting Dates:

May 23
June 27
July 25

Business: 11:30-12 PM

Presentation:

12 -1 PM
*North Texas Resource
Recovery Council
2700 W Airport Freeway -
Fort Worth*

Job Openings:

**Center for Therapeutic
Change** full/part-time LCDCs
full medical benefits & 401k
email resumes-Kelly Bellamy
kb_center4change@sbcglobal.
net or fax - Myra Jackson
(817) 446-9773

**Dallas County Sheriffs
Department Jail
Chemical Dependency
Program** - Need CIs and
LCDCs Charles Beran 214-
653-5980

Pine Street - LCDC
contact Greg Fowler at
817-569-4600

Santa Fe Counseling - LCDC
counselors with experience
817-492-4673

STAR Council - LCDC
DeAnn Phillips 800-375-1395
dphillips@starcouncil.org.
239 S. Virginia St
PO Box 976
Stephenville, TX 76401

The Right Step - Counselor
Interns with less than 1000
hours for their Lewisville
IOP and Euless offices
Stacy Reynolds 817-857-9100

Volunteers of America -
LCDC Counselors Susanna
Lofton 817-917-9270



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Message From Your President

What a busy spring it has been. Legislative Day in Austin February 21, 2007, Public Policy Day in Washington, D.C. March 3-7, 2007, Speaking at the Texas Tech Institute On Substance Abuse & Addiction March 21-23, 2007 and our annual Metamorphosis Conference April 12-14, 2007.

20th Metamorphosis 2007 Conference was a great success. There was an overwhelming positive response from the exhibitors, sponsors, and attendees. Thank you for your continued support of the Fort Worth Chapter.

This will be my last Presidents Message as we will be electing new officers at the Fort Worth Chapter meeting on Wednesday, May 23, 2007. The Nomination Committee will present a slate of proposed officers for consideration. Please attend and cast your vote.

I appreciate all the support from the Chapter Officers and the Fort Worth Chapter members. Together we have built the strongest TAAP chapter in the State of Texas. I feel confident that the newly elected officer will build on the pride, tradition, and service to the community that has always been a hallmark of the Fort Worth Chapter history. I will remain on the Executive Board as Past President and on the Metamorphosis Committee.

God Bless our troops

Robert Miles, President,
M.A. Counseling, A.A.C.,
L.C.D.C., A.D.C., C.C.G.C., C.P.S.