



Julie Haar-Patton Named NY Nonprofit Media 2016 "Rising Star"



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or the second year, New York Nonprofit Media is recognizing 40 of New York's rising stars in the nonprofit world, under the age of 40, on July 21st. We are very excited to announce that our own Julie Haar-Patton, Director Care Coordination Services, PSCH-PK has been selected as one of the honorees. This award serves to celebrate the accomplishments of 40 Under 40 staff with their friends, colleagues and family. Programming at the morning breakfast will include speeches followed by an award presentation.

Julie Haar-Patton is an unusually dedicated person. She recognizes that individuals with mental illness and substance abuse face daily challenges in their recovery. With keen business acumen, she has designed programming which has the triple aim of improved care, better outcomes and reduced costs. She is a staunch advocate for their well being and reintegration within the community. Her willingness to take on difficult projects and populations reflects her profound belief in the resiliency of the human spirit.

Julie is a mentor to some 80 staff that she supervises and trains. She can resolve conflicts and handle other difficult situations with remarkable patience and admirable tact. For the indigent families of our consumers, each December, Julie organizes a clothing and toy drive which helps some 200 residents brighten their holidays. She loves people, works hard and always tries to lift the spirits of those around her.

Julie's ambitions, warmth, generosity and accomplishments complement precisely the stellar community of past recipients and make her highly deserving of this honor. We are proud that she is a member

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of our staff and look forward to her continued success with PSCH.