1727 Veterans Highway Suite 300 Islandia, New York 11749 631-656-0472

Linda E. McLehose, LCSW-R

Education

1998 Master of Social Work SUNY Stony Brook Stony Brook, NY
 1996 BA Psychology Queens College Flushing, NY

Licensure and Certificates

- Licensed Clinical Social Worker R071203
- Dialectical Behavior Therapy Intensive Training Behavioral Tech, Inc. January 2016
- Foundations of Exposure Therapies- Behavioral Tech, Inc. May 2017
- SIFI Certified

Employment History

2011- present Long Island Behavioral Medicine Islandia, NY

- Provide individual, couples, and group psychotherapy
- Specialize in treating first responder patients through the World Trade Center Health Program
- Provide Comprehensive Dialectical Behavior Therapy services

2013- 2016 The Association for Mental Health and Wellness Director of Clinical Services Ronkonkoma, NY

- Oversee operations and ensure effective day to day delivery of clinic services for both sites of the agency
- Provide staff oversight of professionals, para-professionals and support staff
- Provide clinical supervision to program directors and therapists
- Develop and enhance the quality, range and effectiveness of both programs
- Monitor and respond to program deliverables including budget, revenue, enrollment, level of services
- Monitor program and client outcomes
- Provide direct service to clients including individual and group psychotherapy
- Serve as Chairperson for Incident Review Committee

2007- 2013 Clubhouse of Suffolk, Inc. Ronkonkoma, NY Clinic Coordinator

- Develop new program component, implement best practices, track outcomes.
- Oversee enrollment into and discharge from clinic; ensure and monitor participant's minimum participation and service requirements.

- Coordinate/oversee scheduling for and ensure maximum service productivity for medical staff.
- Serve as clinical liaison between rehabilitation staff, clinic staff, and collaterals in order to mitigate client risk through clinical interventions and service coordination.
- Provide individual and group psychotherapy.
- Ensure completeness, sign-off, and regulatory compliance of clinic service records.
- Serve as Chairperson for Special Review Committee.
- Provide group supervision/task supervision to team members; supervise administrative assistant; supervise graduate level social work students; cover clinical group supervision meetings.

2005- 2007 Clubhouse of Suffolk, Inc. Ronkonkoma, NY Program Coordinator, Medication Symptom Monitoring Program

- Coordinate and facilitate symptom management and wellness based workshops in the agency and in the community.
- Train colleagues in relapse prevention practices.
- Generate monthly/quarterly reports for units of service provided.
- Provide supervision to coworkers/supervise graduate level social work students.

2000-2004 Clubhouse of Suffolk, Inc. Ronkonkoma, NY Psychiatric Rehabilitation Practitioner, Pathways Project IPRT

- Develop and implement psychiatric rehabilitation curricula.
- Facilitate psycho-social rehabilitation groups of 8 to 12 individuals.
- Provide individual rehabilitation counseling.
- Supervise graduate level social work students.

Presentations

- Hwang, J. & McLehose, L. September 2016. "Difficult But Not Impossible": DBT and the Value of Social Work. Invited presentation by The Association for Mental Health and Wellness at Adelphi University Hauppauge Center.
- Hwang, J. & McLehose, L. October 2016. "Difficult But Not Impossible":
 DBT and the Value of Social Work. Invited presentation at the New York
 State Chapter of the National Association of Social Workers Annual
 Conference, Albany, New York.

Memberships

National Association of Social Workers