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News Advisory for Friday, July 1, 2005

Innovative System of Care for Mental Health and Substance Abuse Begins July 1, 2005

Santa Fe, June 28, 2005 - The New Mexico Interagency Behavioral Health Collaborative with ValueOptions New Mexico will detail the innovative approach to improving the Behavioral Health System in New Mexico during a news conference on Friday, July 1.

Friday will be the first day that services provided by 15 separate state agencies will be managed by one statewide entity, ValueOptions. New Mexico will be the first state in the nation to bring all public mental health and substance abuse services together in order to improve the care for behavioral health consumers.

The news conference will be held at ValueOptions New Mexico's Albuquerque Service Center, 2400 Louisiana NE, suite 100, beginning at 10:30 a.m., Friday, July 1, 2005

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