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leaders reviewing state-of-the-art cognitive behavioral therapy at the 7th World Congress of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (WCBCT). 262-646-1029

The Meadows Wickenburg Announces Gentle Path Program: The Meadows trauma and addiction treatment center in Wickenburg, AZ, announced the addition of Patrick Carnes' Gentle Path Program.Through this definitive and exclusive license agreement with New Freedom Corporation, Gentle Path will be relocating from Pine Grove Behavioral Health and Addiction Services in Hattiesburg, Miss. to The Meadows' newest property, Vista, located two miles from the main campus. Vista will open on October 15, 2013, offering a 26-bed facility and an exclusive and confidential setting for males 18 years and older. The Gentle Path program is based on the ground breaking work of Dr. Carnes' Thirty-Task model which has been empirically validated to be an effective form of treatment for sexually compulsive behavior. 317-344-2922

Solstice East Welcomes Hollis As Addictions Program Director: Please join us in welcoming Sarah Hollis to the Solstice East family! As a trauma-informed licensed addictions specialist working with both behavioral and substance addictions, Sarah adds an incredible amount of depth and expertise to our team. She couldn't be a better fit for the Solstice East Program!With the addition of Sarah to the Solstice East family, we are able to offer integrated addictions programming - in both individual and group therapy settings - to our students. 443-929-9122

ISPA Responds To Aspen Closings: Our industry is once again saddened due to the closing of programs needed by young people and their families to complete the education, therapy and behavioral interventions they have been working on. The independent Small Programs Alliance, an alliance of 16 programs in 9 states, stands ready with others to assist to make the transition for students and families easier. 727-512-9144

Meyer Joins AIM House: AIM House is thrilled to announce that James Meyer will be joining the team as Executive Director beginning in early August. James comes to us from the renowned Oakley School in Park City, Utah, which he co-founded in 1998 and where he has served as Executive Director for more than 14 years. 720-289-1525

Equine/Animal Assisted Therapy At Pasadena Villa's Smoky Mountain Lodge: Pasadena Villa's Smoky Mountain Lodge is proud to have three very talented Animal Care Specialists: Jason Spade, Malinda Whillock, and Thomas Donoghue to provide our residents with active treatment experiences that are real life, real time, and relevant within the stables and in our onsite group activities building. 877-845-5235.

All Male Aspie Fraternity House: Spectrum College Transition Program in Scottsdale, Arizona officially announced today that the Board of Directors has decided that the program will become an all male "Aspie" Fraternity House beginning in August 2013. We have found that our very intelligent and unique students want a typical college experience, as opposed to a "program" for students with Asperger's Syndrome. The students, in unison, put together a proposal for our Board's consideration to become a fraternity house. 480-443-7331

Stewart Joins Newport Academy: We are privileged to announce that Sarah Stewart, MSW, is now part of the Newport Academy team. As many of you know, Sarah is an exceptional professional and we are fortunate that she will be assuming the role of National Director of Clinical Outreach. Sarah has been working in the mental health and substance abuse field for 20 years. She has worked as a clinician, treating adolescents, adults, and families in both inpatient and outpatient facilities. Sarah was a director of outpatient services for a psychiatric hospital on the East Coast and owned a consulting practice