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RE: Stephanie Ackner, M.D. Joins Ben-El



Doug Steiner, clinical director for Ben-El Child and Family Center is pleased to announce the addition of Stephanie E. Ackner, M.D. to the clinical staff. Dr. Ackner is a part-time consulting psychiatrist focusing on the treatment of older adolescents and adult clientele. She joins Cynthia J. Richards, M.D and Jacqueline Countryman M.D. in providing medical services to Ben-El.

Dr. Ackner graduated from the University of Kentucky with a B.S. in Biology, Magna Cum Laude. She received her medical degree from the Wright State University Boonshoft School of Medicine where she also served her residency in general psychiatry. She is a previous clinical instructor of psychiatry at the Wright State University.

Dr. Ackner provides services for Ben-El once a week on Wednesdays, alternating weeks between the Bellefontaine and Urbana offices. She is also on staff at Samaritan Behavioral Health, Inc. in Dayton.

“I’ve always had an interest in rural psychiatry as compared to a more urban setting, and I am happy to be practicing in Logan and Champaign Counties,” says Dr. Ackner.

Dr. Ackner lives with her husband Jimmy in Washington Township and is expecting twins in April. For more information about mental health services provided by the Ben-El Child and Family Center call 937-652-4555 in Urbana or 937-533-2766 in Bellefontaine.