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RE: Business News: New Program Administrator – Kenny Hughes

Defiance: Mark Schlater, chief operations officer for Champaign Residential Services, Inc. (CRSI) is announcing the promotion of Kenny Hughes as Program Administrator in the northwest regional office, effective immediately. The office, located at 414 Third Street in Defiance, Ohio serves the counties of Defiance, Paulding, Fulton, Williams, Putnam, Henry and Van Wert. CRSI, headquartered in Urbana, Ohio, provides services for individuals with MR/DD in over thirty Ohio counties.

Hughes has been with CRSI since November 2000. He began as a part-time support specialist serving consumers while working on his Bachelor's Degree at the University of Northwestern Ohio in Lima. After receiving his degree in Healthcare Administration, he was later promoted to program specialist.

As program administrator, Hughes will oversee the daily operation of the northwest regional office. Some of his duties are to provide adequate staffing, training and working within a budget. He also is responsible in assuring that all policies, procedures, rules and regulations are followed and to make sure consumers are benefited by following the agency's mission and philosophy to empower and support individuals with challenges.

"I look forward to serving the community and individuals with MR/DD by providing the best possible care in all of the counties we serve", says Hughes. To contact him call 419-784-0886 or e-mail khughes@crsi-oh.com