

COVENANT CASE MANAGEMENT SERVICES

"LIVING THE PROMISE"

MESSAGE FROM THE OWNER.

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I WANT TO FIRST WISH ALL OF YOU AND HAPPY NEW YEAR AND SAY CONGRATULATIONS FOR MAKING IT THROUGH 2020. I KNOW WE WISH WE COULD HAVE JUST SKIPPED OVER LAST YEAR AND MOVED ONTO 2021. ALTHOUGH 2020 WAS PROBABLY THE HARDEST YEAR FOR ALL AND MANY LOST LOVED ONES FOR WHICH MY HEART GRIEVES FOR THOSE THAT DID. I AM AN ETERNAL OPTIMIST AND ALWAYS TRY AND GLEAN THE GOOD FROM THE CHALLENGING. I ALSO WANT TO ENCOURAGE ALL OF YOU TO BE HOPEFUL AS WE ENTER THIS NEW YEAR. THE NEW YEAR BRINGS NEW OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH, NEW EXPERIENCES, LEARNING FROM OUR MISTAKES AND MAKING THIS YEAR BETTER THAN LAST. I WANT TO SPEND A MOMENT AND SHARE WHAT MY LESSONS LEARNED AND TAKE AWAY FROM 2020 ARE AND WHAT TO LOOK FORWARD TO IN 2021. I ENTITLED THIS AFTER THE BIBLE VERSE FOUND IN ISAIAH 61:3 "...TO BESTOW A CROWN OF BEAUTY INSTEAD OF ASHES" 2020 COULD RIGHTLY BE DESCRIBED AS "ASHES" FOR MANY, BUT WE ARE GOING FROM ASHES TO BEAUTY AS WE LEAVE THE PAIN FROM THE PAST AND ENTER HOPE FOR THE FUTURE. HERE ARE MY 6 LESSONS I LEARNED THIS PAST YEAR:

- ALWAYS PERSEVERE!!! NO MATTER HOW THINGS START OR WHAT EVEN HAPPENS DURING OUR RACE IN LIFE, IT IS THE HOPE IN THE FINISH THAT MATTERS. GALATIANS 6:9 STATES "AND LET US NOT GROW WEARY OF DOING GOOD, FOR IN DUE SEASON WE WILL REAP IF WE DO NOT GIVE UP"
- IN LIFE THE ONLY ONE WE ARE COMPETING AGAINST IS OURSELVES. GOD MADE YOU IN HIS IMAGE AND LIKENESS AND MADE NO ONE ELSE LIKE YOU FOR THE SOLE PURPOSE THAT YOU WOULD BE THE BEST YOU. SO, STOP COMPARING YOURSELF TO OTHERS, OR LOOKING TO OTHERS APPROVAL FOR WHO YOU ARE TO BE.
- WE TRULY BECOME WHAT WE THINK ABOUT SO FOCUS ON GOOD AND POSITIVE THINGS AND ALWAYS GUARD AND PROTECT YOUR MIND FROM THOSE THAT SEEK TO HURT OR HARM YOU FROM BELIEVING HOW ABSOLUTELY AMAZING YOU ARE. SURROUND YOURSELF AROUND PEOPLE WHO WILL LOVE AND ENCOURAGE YOU. IF YOU WANT TO CHANGE YOUR OUTCOMES THEN LOOK AT YOUR THOUGHTS THAT BROUGHT YOU THAT OUTCOME AND CHANGE THEM TO BRING THE OUTCOME YOU DESIRE PHILIPPIANS 4:8 STATES "FINALLY, BROTHERS AND SISTERS WHATEVER IS TRUE, WHAT EVER IS NOBLE (GOOD), WHATEVER IS RIGHT (TRUE), WHATEVER IS PURE, WHATEVER IS LOVELY, WHATEVER IS ADMIRABLE-IF ANYTHING IS EXCELLENT OR PRAISEWORTHY-THINK ABOUT SUCH THINGS." ROMANS 12:1,2 STATES "THEREFORE, I URGE YOU, BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN VIEW OF GODS MERCY, TO OFFER YOUR BODIES AS A LIVING SACRIFICE (BE WILLING TO SURRENDER YOUR SELFISH AND DESTRUCTIVE DESIRES TO GOD) HOLY AND PLEASING TO GOD, THIS IS YOUR TRUE AND PROPER WORSHIP. DO NOT CONFORM TO THE PATTERN OF THE WORLD (THAT WHICH PLEASURES YOURSELF AND IS DESTRUCTIVE) BUT BE YE TRANSFORMED BY THE RENEWING OF YOUR MIND. THEN YOU WILL BE ABLE TO TEST AND APPROVE WHAT GODS WILL IS, HIS GOOD, PLEASING AND PERFECT WILL.

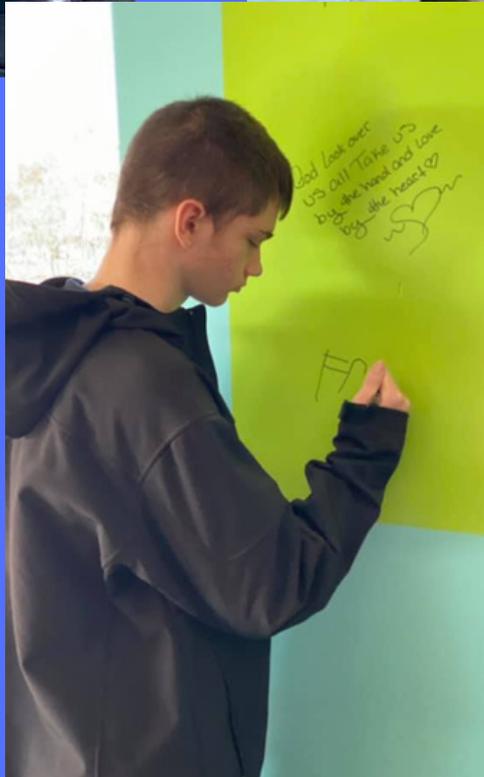
- **THE VERY GIFTS AND TALENTS GIVEN TO US BY GOD ARE FOR THE VERY PURPOSE OF REINVESTING INTO OTHERS THROUGH ACTS OF SERVICES AND LOVE. DISCOVER YOUR GIFTS/STRENGTHS/TALENTS THEN USE THEM TO BLESS AND SERVE OTHERS.**
- **ANYTHING WORTH ACHIEVING OR HAVING IS FOUND IN THE POWER OF FAITH AND BELIEF. FIRST BEGIN TO DREAM AGAIN. SECOND WRITE THAT DREAM DOWN AND ENVISION YOU HAVING IT. LASTLY GO AFTER IT! YOU DREAM IT, THEN BELIEVE IT AND THEN GO GET IT! HEBREWS 11:1 STATES "NOW FAITH IS BEING SURE OF WHAT WE HOPE FOR AND CERTAIN OF WHAT WE DO NOT SEE" HEBREWS 11:33 STATES "THROUGH FAITH'S POWER THEY CONQUERED KINGDOMS AND ESTABLISHED TRUE JUSTICE. THEIR FAITH FASTENED ONTO THEIR PROMISES PULLED THEM INTO REALITY (THAT WHICH THEY BELIEVED AND HOPED FOR BECAME A REALITY).**
- **LASTLY THERE ARE 3 DIFFERENT TIME FRAMES WE LIVE IN (PAST, PRESENT, AND FUTURE). WE MUST STOP REGRETTING AND LIVING IN THE PAST AS THAT WHICH HAS OCCURRED CAN NEVER BE CHANGED OR ALTERED. THE PURPOSE OF THE PAST IS TO ONLY REFLECT AND LEARN FROM. IN THE PRESENT IS WHERE WE ALWAYS LIVE AND WHERE OUR REAL POWER OCCURS. WE CAN ONLY CHANGE IN THE PRESENT OR MOMENT IF WE ALLOW OURSELVES TO LEARN FROM OUR PAST MISTAKES AND CREATE THE CHANGE NOW TO MAKE SURE OUR TOMORROW IS NOTHING LIKE OUR PAST. OUR FUTURE IS UNWRITTEN, UNPAINTED OR UNDRAWN. THE DECISIONS WE MAKE IN THE PRESENT DICTATE THE OUTCOME OF OUR FUTURE. THROUGH THE POWER OF DREAMS, VISIONS POWERED BY FAITH AND BELIEF THEN THE FUTURE WE ENVISION CAN BE THE REALITY WE DESIRE.**
THE KEYS TO A SUCCESSFUL LIFE ARE FOUND IN THESE SIMPLE WORDS. LIVE THEM, AND EMBRACE THEM AND YOU WILL TRULY BARE GOOD FRUIT.

- **THANKFULNESS AND A SENSE OF GRATITUDE FOR ALL THINGS AND ALL PEOPLE**
- **EXPECTATION-EXPECT GOOD AND BLESSING WILL SOON ARRIVE**
- **HOPE-ALWAYS BE HOPEFUL AND BELIEVE IN YOURSELF AND GOD**

GO OUT AND PLANT GOOD SEEDS (KINDNESS, LOVE, MERCY) IN THE PRESENT AND IN DUE SEASON YOU WILL REAP A GREAT HARVEST IN THE FUTURE (BLESSED LIFE).

Exciting News!

**CCMS IS PARTNERING WITH SPECIAL BLENDZ
AND OPENING UP A LOCATION IN SHELBY, N.C.**



BELIEVE

YOU HAVE TO BELIEVE IN YOURSELF
YOU HAVE TO BELIEVE IN YOUR ABILITY
YOU ARE CAPABLE OF ANYTHING
YOU CAN ACHIEVE ANY DREAM
PLEASE DON'T LIMIT YOURSELF
DON'T LIVE YOUR LIFE LIMITED
IT'S NOT ALL SADNESS AND MISERY
LIFE'S A CHALLENGE BUT YOU WILL SUCCEED
TAKE CONTROL OF HOW YOU FEEL IN EVERY
CIRCUMSTANCE WORK ON YOURSELF DAILY
YOUR STORY IS FAR FROM DONE THE BEST IS
YET TO COME TO ACHIEVE YOU MUST BELIEVE
YOU CAN LIVE OUT ALL YOUR DREAMS
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Casting CALL



BIGGIE IS SEARCHING FOR LOVE! If you are looking for your "big break" and would be interested in filming a dating show with the infamous Biggie the Sasquatch, please let us know. "Biggie the Bachelor" is a comedy spin off of the popular prime time show. Send us a Facebook message, or email at Bradley.Clayton@covenantcms.com for details.





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Esther house for domestic
violence victims. Every woman
should feel beautiful in their
own skin! Help us to help them
to Believe in their self's again!
"She believed that she could and
she did!"



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JANUARY 26TH FROM 6-7PM

**4 RIVERS: LOCATED AT 124 W MAIN ST, ALBEMARLE
DINNER PROVIDED BY GLORY BEANS COFFEE HOUSE**

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GET INFORMATION ABOUT GREAT RESOURCES AND PROGRAMS IN
OUR COUNTY, FROM BUDGETING TO HEALTH, YOU'LL LEARN
SOMETHING NEW IN EVERY CLASS.

CONFIRM YOUR ATTENDANCE TODAY! CALL (704) 986-2403

Happy Birthday!



CHARLES A.

19-JAN

ADAM B.

19-JAN

LOGAN E.

9-JAN

RYAN E.

28-JAN

DUSTIN E.

19-JAN

DAVID G.

5-JAN

KESHA H.

1-JAN

ERIC H.

21-JAN

SHAQUESHA H.

4-JAN

DANNY H.

4-JAN

GERMON H.

8-JAN

JARED H.

8-JAN

STEVEN H.

15-JAN

BRANDON J.

24-JAN

TOMMY L.

3-JAN

MELISSA L.

4-JAN

MONICA M.

20-JAN

GUY M.

2-JAN

TAVON R.

22-JAN

DEACON R.

19-JAN

PHOUTASON (PHOEY) S.

8-JAN

YURI S.

31-JAN

CHARLEY T.

12-JAN

NYDA T.

28-JAN

ANTHONY V.

8-JAN

LAMAR W.

30-JAN

THOMAS W.

18-JAN

LAUREN WOOLFORK

21-JAN

ASHTON W.

30-JAN



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LOOKING FOR POTENTIAL AFL PROVIDERS



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ALTERNATIVE FAMILY LIVING

AFL (Alternative Family Living) Service:
A residential service provided in the primary residence of an AFL Provider (couple or single person) who receives reimbursement for the cost of care.

Become an AFL

As humans we need to feel loved, safe and valued. If you have room in your heart and home to provide these needs and you are interested in knowing more about being an AFL contact us to speak with our intake specialist.



IS THIS YOU?



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WHAT CAN CCMS DO FOR YOU?

TOGETHER WE CAN DO GREAT THINGS!

Covenant commits to a partnership with YOU and the community, to assist with making your dreams come true and advocating in all areas of your life-side by side!

How Covenant plans to accomplish these Goals:

1. RELATIONSHIPS! RELATIONSHIPS! RELATIONSHIPS!
2. By living out the Covenant's philosophy: to help them through the life stage processes, so their life is truly fulfilled.



"Our VISION

To serve, inspire, and unite our community to become a sanctuary by using our gifts to create healing, restoration, and harmony.

Our MISSION

We will covenant to serve our community by dedicating ourselves to educating, advocating, and partnering through faith, love, and hope.

Our PURPOSE

We will faithfully honor one another's gifts by serving each other in a spirit of humility and honor.

How Covenant is equipped to do that:

1. Covenant provide services through NC Medicaid innovations waiver program: Community Navigator, B-3 Community Guide, Community living and Supports, Community Networking, Respite, and Supported Employment, Residential Supports, Community Transition, Crisis services, Individual goods and services, self direction training, Specialized Consultative Services (Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, Behavioral support, Speech Therapy and a Registered Nurse).
2. Covenant has qualified professionals based on character and accountability.
3. Have had a high percentage of appeals being overturned where individuals received the needed equipment and services reinstated

How we can serve you:

- Advocate at school IEP meetings, and appeals procedures
- Help prepare and advocate at annual Individual Support plans for Medicaid services, as well as SIS and Psychological evaluations.
- Links to legal services, and community Parent advocates
- Find local funding for utility and housing payments, furniture, or medical supplies, repair bills, or transportation, job assistance, and school placement.
- Assist with filing of Guardianship, power of attorney, and estate planning (wills, trust, insurance)
- Locating a suitable provider for services, finding a Day Program to attend for when your child is out of school
- Obtain needed medical professionals for Medical, Dental, Psychological, or Psychiatric care
- Identify volunteer opportunities, and classes in the community
- Provide needed Occupational therapy for therapeutic needs to address fine motor or sensory needs or assessments for equipment for modifications purposes
- Provide needed recreational Therapy to address Communication, socialization, behavioral, independent living, personal Care needs through play therapy.
- Assist with referrals for social security benefits, and obtaining Medicaid
- Getting food stamps, finding resources for food, clothing, and Christmas gifts

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Why choose CARF? CARF accreditation is a seal of approval announcing to persons served and their families that you provide services focused on their needs. It is a sign of assurance to third-party payors and governmental regulators that you have met internationally recognized standards, and it is a tool for quality improvement within your organization.

The value of accreditation is more than a certificate hanging on the wall. It is evidence that your organization strives to improve efficiency, fiscal health, and service delivery—creating a foundation for consumer satisfaction. Organizations that have participated in an accreditation survey demonstrate:

1. A higher degree of internal quality.
2. Greater involvement of persons served in their services.
3. Increased cohesion among staff members at all levels within the organization.
4. Enhanced status of the surveyed services within the community.

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