

***With you every step of the way.***

## Kaufman County Bridge Program

We offer a variety of services to assist those in the community that need linked to providers or resources.

Services provided include:

- Care Coordination.
- Screenings for substance use & co-occurring disorders
- Linkage to Treatment
- Referrals to Community Resources
- Consumer Benefits Program
- Urgent Medication Refills for psychiatric medication
- Crisis intervention
- Peer Recovery Specialists

### SOUTH & EAST CARE COORDINATION

Our goal is to help screen the referred individual for their current needs, identify barriers, refer and link them with area community resources, mental health providers and/or OSAR for substance abuse assistance to help establish a network of care for that individual to be successful in the community, or upon release from incarceration or a hospital setting.

Community Resources Linked/Referred To:

Local mental health providers

Combination appointments with OSAR & Care Coordination

Medical providers/indigent care

Local housing resources

Utility Assistance Programs

Employment Services

Food Pantries & Clothing banks

Community Support Groups

Transportation

### CONSUMER BENEFITS PROGRAM

NTBHA's Consumer Benefit Organization (CBO) is staffed with Consumer Benefits Specialists (CBS) available to screen and assist your NTBHA-funded clients in the application process for many programs. These include SSI and SSDI disability benefits, Texas Medicaid of various types, CHIP, TANF, SNAP, Medicare Savings Programs (QMB, SLMB, QI, QDWI), and Extra Help.



### OSAR (OUTREACH, SCREENING AND REFERRAL)

OSAR serves as the first point of contact for individuals seeking substance use treatment services. OSAR Counselors at the North Texas Behavioral Health Authority (NTBHA) provides substance use screenings and referrals to substance use services and recovery support services. The types of services we can assist referring to providers are: Outpatient, Detox, Ambulatory Detox, Residential, MAT, and Peer Recovery Support. We can assist those ages 13 and up. We can assist those that are no income to low income & uninsured with referrals to NTBHA providers. We can also assist those with Medicaid, Medicare or private insurance in finding a provider within their network. We also have a priority admissions counselor that assists those struggling with opioid addiction.

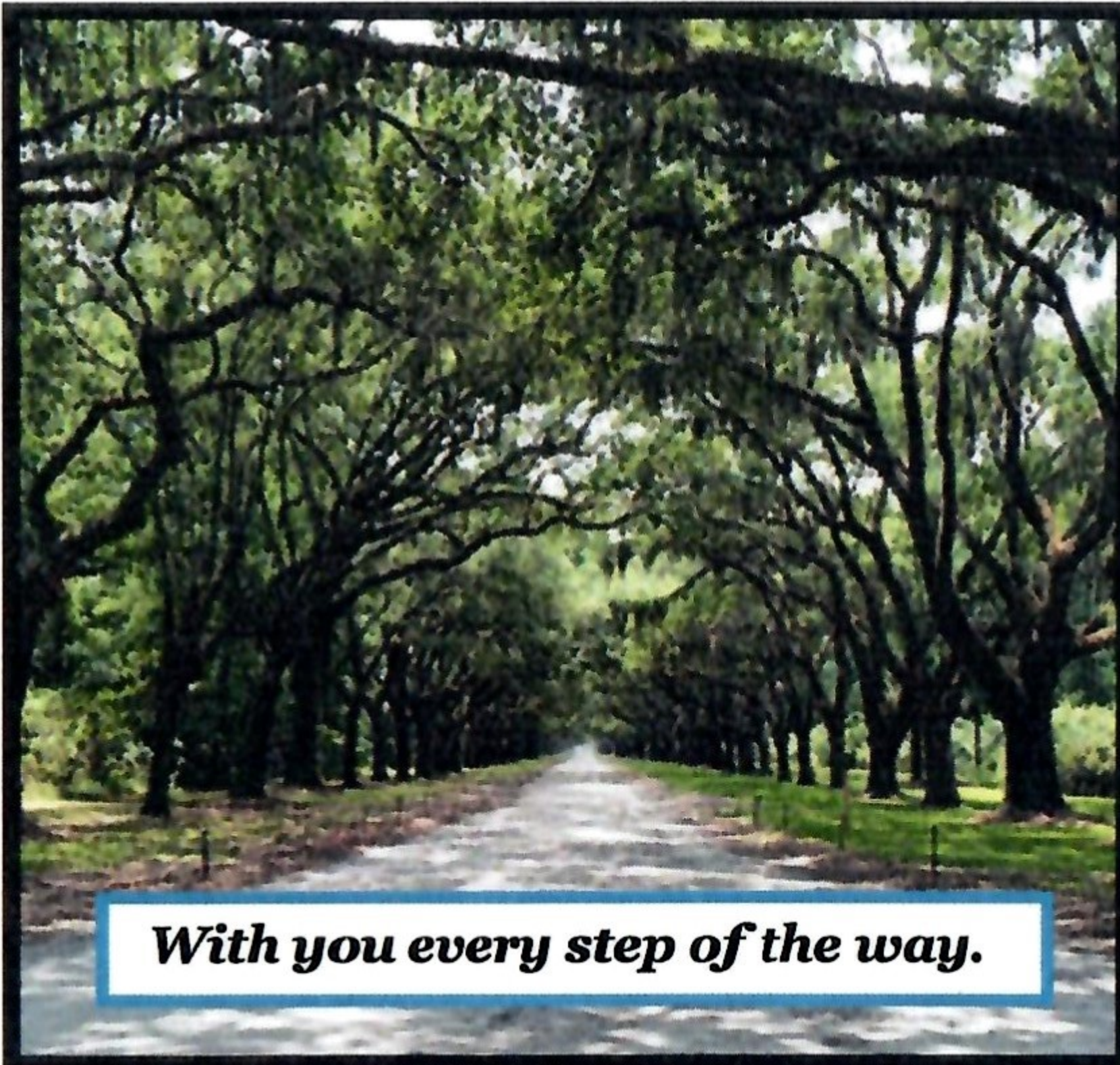
### Southern Area Behavioral Health Partner

Crisis services are offered to patients in need of urgent care. SABH can provide patients with crisis interventions and urgent medication refills Monday– Friday 12 pm-9 pm on site. Available on weekends via telehealth. The number to schedule for the weekend telehealth is 972-283-9090.

### APAA

The Association of Persons Affected by Addiction (APAA) offers non-clinical peer to peer assistance. They offer peer specialists that support recovery, the process of change where people with a mental health disorder or substance use disorder improve their health and wellness, live a self-directed life, and strive to reach their full potential





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## VISION

We envision a caring supportive network that proactively empowers youth, adults, and families impacted by mental health disorders, alcohol, and/or drugs to achieve a healthy quality of life and a recovery-informed community.

## MISSION

To remove barriers by providing screening, linking and referral services for individuals with substance use and/or mental health disorders through linkage to treatment and recovery oriented services.

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