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Zumbro Valley Mental Health Center Adds Nurse Practitioner

Rochester, Minn. – Lisa Johnson, ARNP, joined the psychiatry staff of Zumbro Valley Mental Health Center today. Ms. Johnson is an Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner with training in both adult and adolescent psychiatry. She is currently taking appointments for psychiatric services.

“Lisa joining our staff is a significant addition to the psychiatry department,” said Gary Chaikin, MD, medical director. “Her years of nursing experience and background in psychiatric and behavioral health will enhance the excellent care already being provided. Lisa’s arrival also allows our organization to expand psychiatric services for children and adolescents, a growing need in both Rochester and the surrounding communities.”

Ms. Johnson has received numerous awards for quality of care during her career, including the Excellence in Psychiatric Nursing and the Smulekoff Award.

She received her post-graduate certificate from the University of Iowa, her master’s degree in science and nursing from Phoenix University and her bachelor’s degree of science and nursing from Coe College.

About Zumbro Valley Mental Health Center

Zumbro Valley Mental Health Center enhances the quality of life for residents in Southeastern Minnesota by serving as a community resource for the understanding and treatment of behavioral health and substance use disorders. The organization collaborates with government agencies, schools, non-profit groups and others to provide programs dedicated to improving the mental health of adults, adolescents and children. Zumbro Valley Mental Health Center is a private, non-profit organization serving Olmsted and Fillmore counties. For more information, visit our Web site at www.zumbromhc.org or call 507-289-2089.

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