

Comprehensive Alcohol, Drug and Behavioral Health Services

8801 Lipan Street ● Thornton, CO 80260 ● Main 303.657.3700 ● Fax 303.657.3727 ● ArapahoeHouse.org

December 13, 2016

Dear community stakeholder and partner:

You are invited to an important meeting to discuss the future funding and availability of withdrawal management (social detox) for Arapahoe, Jefferson and Adams counties.

Arapahoe House provides the vital service of withdrawal management, which monitors patients as they safely withdrawal from drugs and/or alcohol. The availability of these services means that care is able to take place in a safe and appropriate environment, keeping intoxicated clients from ending up in county jails or emergency departments.

Over the last several years Arapahoe House has significantly subsidized the withdrawal management program within these communities. While our mission calls us to provide quality and affordable treatment, we can no longer sustain the gap in funding associated with providing this important community service.

As a critical community partner, we are coming to you to help us address this unsustainable model. We are hosting a stakeholder meeting to introduce our new funding model that will allow us to keep our withdrawal management doors open through June 30, 2017.

We hope you will join us, or send a representative, for this very important discussion, which will be held:

December 20, 2016 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Arapahoe House 8801 Lipan Street Thornton, CO 80260

RSVP to Hannah Martin hmartin@ahinc.org or 303-412-3610

If you have any questions about this meeting, please contact Aleah Horstman, Chief Operating Officer at 303-412-3641 or ahorstman@ahinc.org.

Sincerely,

Mike Butler

President and CEO