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**Cuyahoga County Community Mental Health Board
Presents Quarterly Provider Employee Recognition Awards**

CLEVELAND, OHIO – The Cuyahoga County Community Mental Health Board (CCCMHB) presented its Provider Employee Recognition Awards for the Fourth Quarter of 2003 during its General Meeting on January 28, 2004. Mr. William M. Denihan, Chief Executive Officer explained, “The recipients of these awards embody the excellent work, outstanding advocacy, positive impact, and the values of integrity, accountability, professionalism, quality and caring that are displayed daily by the employees of our provider agencies.”

Awards were presented in three out of the four possible categories: Office Support Staff, Supervisory Staff and Administrative Staff. There was no recipient in the Direct Service Worker category. Fourth Quarter 2003 Award recipients are:

Office Support Staff – Izola Boggan, Custodial Coordinator for Bridgeway, Inc., for treating consumers of Bridgeway’s residential facilities as if they were her own family and going the “extra mile” to ensure that all of the residential sites are in “top notch” condition.

Supervisory Staff Category – Margaret Thomas, Employment and Placement Supervisor for The Employment Alliance, for serving as an advocate and working tirelessly to fight the stigma surrounding mental illness to find meaningful employment for consumers.

Administrative Staff Category – B. J. Brown, Director of the Services to Adult Care Homes (SACH) program at Lutheran Metropolitan Ministry, for being a true “hands-on” administrator by organizing educational and social opportunities for consumers residing in adult care homes, and providing free educational opportunities for operators and direct care staff.

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