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Amerigroup Issues

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AHCA and Amerigroup are aware of the issue that a every-one in Amerigroup had with accessing their HIV medications. If you are still having to get a prior authorization and prove that your medications are medically necessary, AHCA is asking that you contact 1-877-254-1055 and let them know what pharmacy and what medication. According to Amerigroup, there was a glitch in the system that occurred sometime after October 1st and they are actively working to resolve this issue. So if you still are not able to get your HIV medications because your Medicaid HMO claims that you need a prior authorization, please contact AHCA and let them know immediately. We would like to thank AHCA and Amerigroup for working so quickly to resolve this issue.

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Do you need Case management?

If you or someone you know is in need of case management, we are always taking new clients. We do not believe in a wait list. We currently provide case management in Pasco, Hernando, Hillsborough, Citrus, Sumter, Pinellas, Manatee, and Polk Counties.

The West Central Ryan White Care Council!

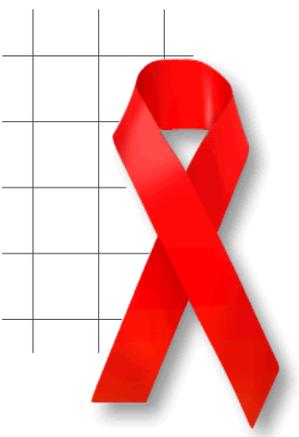
Have you been wanting to get involved? Have you thought hey I can drive to Tampa? Are you in Manatee, Hardee, Highlands, Hillsborough, Polk, Pinellas, or Pasco Counties? Then come and check out the Care Council. If you are a Person Living with HIV/AIDS they will reimburse you for mileage. You have to attend 2 meetings a month and you get to see the process and be involved in the process. If you are interested, then check out their website at:

<http://thecarecouncil.org/>



Casino Night!!!

Our Casino Night was a great success. We would like to once again thank the community and for all of our supporters for making this event a success. We look forward to working with everyone for next years event! Thank you again to everyone that attended, and that was involved in the event!



"People say nothing is impossible, but I do nothing everyday."

Winnie The Pooh