World of Thanks

The theme for 2008 – "Making Mental Health a Global Priority: Scaling up Services through Citizen Advocacy and Action" - is a message the World Federation for Mental Health believes is crucial to the future of our global mental health movement. The best way to create change is through concerted action and advocacy in each community of the world. Each of us has the power to change, the ability to help, and the dedication to see a different world for mental health care, treatment, and promotion. This year's material is made possible through the work and dedication of mental health supporters, advocates and leaders around the world.

The WFMH extends a very important thank you to those who have assisted in the production of this year's World Mental Health Day campaign. The WFMH Staff assisted with the research and writing this year. We would like to acknowledge the special sections written by Dr Shekhar Saxena and Professor Vikram Patel. The 2008 materials were formatted by Jean Brown of Brown Composition and our design and printing were done by Disc Makers (www.diskmakers.com). In addition, we would like to express our thanks to all the organizations that gave us Best Practice and Program information and to those who gave us permission to adapt and use their material in this packet. Particular appreciation is extended to the World Fellowship for Schizophrenia and Allied Disorders and to Mental Health Europe for their kind assistance.

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Lastly, those of you who continue to promote and actively participate in World Mental Health Day deserve the largest thanks of all. Each of you sees the need to be a part of the movement in any way you can – being the mental health advocates we speak of in this material. Your efforts, no matter how large or small, make a difference and keep this project growing each year. We thank you for your continued efforts and hope you will move into the future with us – to a better world for those who experience mental health issues.

The WMHDay campaign materials are produced and mailed free of charge due to the generous support we receive from our sponsors. We would like to thank the 2008 sponsors for giving us the ability to produce this year's campaign packet-

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2008 WMHDAY REPORT FORM

How Did You Celebrate The Day?

Here is your chance to let us know about your World Mental Health Day events and help us improve future education packets. The strength of this project lies in the effect it has in the field - therefore we urge you to send in a report of your 2008 activities. We hope everyone will join in, not only by doing something to 'spread the word' but also by letting the rest of the world know what you are doing by writing back to us! Every event - no matter how large or small - is important to us. And all pictures, news articles, and promotional materials are welcome. Most of the prominent activities, if received by 28 February 2009, will be up on the WFMH Website. We look forward to hearing from all of you!

Submission of a completed World Mental Health Day Report Form and supporting documentation on how you celebrated the day will qualify your organization for entry into the judging for the 2008 Richard C. Hunter World Mental Health Day Award for Excellence competition. To be eligible for judging, campaign report and materials must be received at WFMH by 28 February 2009.

(PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION)				
NAME:				
ORGANIZATION:				
ADDRESS:				
PHONE:	FAX:			
EMAIL:				
1. How has this educational packet improved your ability to educate people in your community?				

- 2. What impact has the WMHDAY program had on
 - Reducing stigma in your community?
 - Improving treatment or access to means of treatment?
 - Bringing more attention to your organization and work in the community?

3.	Where and how did you use the material in this packet?
4.	How many people did you reach with your event? What kinds of people did you reach?
5.	If you were to choose the one outcome that you are most proud of accomplishing through your World Mental Health Day Event, this year, what would it be? (Use additional pages, if needed)
6.	How will you follow up with what you did for WMHDay this year?
D Name:	o you know of anyone who would be interested in obtaining a copy of future World Mental Health Day Educational Material? Please PRINT their name and address below:
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Address	S:
Phone:	Fax:
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Please return this form by mail to: World Federation for Mental Health 6564 Loisdale Court, Suite 301 Springfield, VA 22150 wmhday@wfmh.com

RESOURCES and WEBSITES

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Advocacy France 5 Place des Fetes F-75019-Paris FRANCE

Office: 33 1 45 32 22 35

Email: advocacy.france@noos.fr Website: www.advocacyfrance.org

Advocacy Group for the Mentally III (A.G.M.I) Kinisi Proaspisis Dikeomaton Phichika Asthenon

Phidiou 12, 6011-Larnaca CYPRUS Office: 357 24 652061/357 99 648850 Email: agftmi@cytanet.com.cy

All China Disabled Persons Federation (CDPF)

44 Beichizi Street, Dong Cheng District

Beijing 100006 CHINA Office: 86 10 65 13 9719 Email: gjb@cdpf.org.cn Website: www.cdpf.org.cn

American Psychiatric Assn 1000 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 1825

Arlington, VA 22209 USA Website: www.psych.org

American Psychological Association Office of International Affairs

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Washington, DC 20002-4242 USA

Website: www.apa.org

Association Integration (Association for the Families

and Friends of People w/Mental Disorders)

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Bazelon Center for Mental Health Law 1101 15th Street, NW, Suite 1212 Washington, DC 20005 USA

Phone: 202-467-5730

Email: webmaster@bazelon.org Website: www.bazelon.org Cape Consumer Advocacy Group (CCAB)

c/o Cape Mental Health Society Private Bag X7, Observatory 7935

22 Ivy Street SOUTH AFRICA Office: 021 447 9040

Email: info@cmhs.co.za

Website: www.capementalhealth.co.za

Centre for Advocacy in Mental Health (SCARF)

Research Centre of Bapu Turst

B1/11; B1/2, 6th Floor, Konark Pooram

PUNE 411 048 INDIA Email: wamhc@vsnal.net

COMHBO (Community Mental Health & Welfare

Bonding Organization

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Chiba Prefecture, JAPAN Office: 81 47 322 1360

Email: udagawak@comhbo.net Website: www.comhbo.net

Depression and Bipolar Support Alliance

730 N. Franklin Street, Suite 501 Chicago, Illinois 60610-7224 USA Website: www.dbsalliance.org

Diversity Health Institute, AUSTRALIA Email: dhi@swahs.health.nsw.gov.au

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Email: marynettle@user-consultant.freeserve.co.uk

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Email: kunsunchan@hotmail.com / ksjosephchan@yahoo.com.hk

Implementis – www.implementis.eu

Mental Disability Rights International 1156 15th Street NW, Suite 1001 Washington, DC 20005 USA

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15 Longford Place Karrinyup, WA 6018 AUSTRALIA

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B-1000 Brussels BELGIUM Email: info@mhe-sme.org Website: www.mhe-sme.org

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Mental Health Recovery and WRAP

PO Box 301

W. Dummerston, VT 05357 USA

802-254-2092

Email: info@mentalhealthrecovery Website: www.mentalhealthrecovery.com

MIND, the Mental Health Charity 15-19 Broadway, London E15 4BQ

UNITED KINGDOM Email: contact@mind.org.uk Website: www.mind.org.uk

Movement for Global Mental Health Website: www.globalmentalhealth.org

National Alliance on Mental Illness

Colonial Place Three

2107 Wilson Blvd., Suite 300 Arlington, VA 22201-3042 USA

Website: www.nami.org

National Mental Health Consumers' Self-Help

Clearinghouse

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Email: info@mhselfhelp.org Website: www.mhselfhelp.org

NGO Committee on Mental Health

Phone: 212-362-0755

Email: mentalhealthngo@worldnet.att.net Website: www.mentalhealthngo.org

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Psychosocial Recovery & Development, East Timor

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Rethink Head Office Royal London House, 5th Floor 22-25 Finsbury Square London EC2A 1DX UNITED KINGDOM Website: www.rethink.org

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la Salute Mentale

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World Health Organization Avenue Appia 20 CH - 1211 Geneva 27 SWITZERLAND www.who.int

WHO Advocacy for Mental Health Module - www.who.int/mental_health/resources/en/Advocacy.pdf

World Fellowship for Schizophrenia and Allied

Disorders

Email: info@world-schizophrenia.org Website: www.world-schizophrenia.org

**This list is intended to supplement the resources listed in the preceding text. It is by no means a complete list of good resources on this theme. Do not hesitate to do your own searches and further educate yourself on the subject!

The WFMH has a new Online Directory to help with your search for Advocacy Resources! www.wfmh.org/00GlobalAd.htm

The Richard C. Hunter Mental Health Day Award 2008 Nomination Form

Nominee Name:		
Organization Name:		
Address:		
 City:	State/Province:	
	Country:	
Phone:	Email:	

Please read the information below carefully before submitting your nomination.

<u>Deadline</u>: Material must be received no later than February 28, 2009. Send material and nomination form to WFMH Secretariat, 6564 Loisdale Court, Suite 301, Springfield, VA 22150 USA or email to dmaguire@wfmh.com or fax to US+703.313.8683.

General Information:

Purpose: To recognize those individuals or organizations who produce and carry out activities under the auspices of WMHDay. The RCH Mental Health Day award will be presented annually in honor of an outstanding WMHDay activity that has created awareness of the year's theme and of mental health in general.

All material sent in will be reviewed and a final winner will be chosen by June 1, 2009. The chosen person or organization will be notified and sent a special award as the RCH Mental Health Day Award winner, along with a mention on our website and at our 2009 World Congress in Greece.

Criteria:

- The activity will have focused on the current year's theme.
- The activity will have had to occur at some point during 2008.
- The nominee will need to have information on the numbers of possible people reached/influenced, material handed out and in what type of arena this was held.
- Pictures, reports, articles, documents, etc should be sent in to help substantiate the depth and reach of the event.