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CLIFF BACIGALUPI

Lieutenant, Portland Police Bureau, Behavioral Health Unit

Lieutenant Cliff Bacigalupi supervises the Behavioral Health Unit of the Portland Police Bureau. Lt. Bacigalupi has been a police officer since 1996 and has had six different assignments. He has a Bachelor of Science degree from California State University in Business Administration. Lt. Bacigalupi was born in Las Vegas and raised in Livermore, CA. He has two daughters (ages 16 and 3) and his much better half Lori, who keeps him in line. His hobbies include lots of time with his children, golfing, snow skiing, boating, going places where it is warm and doesn't rain. He loves being outside and doing yard work.

WENDY BALL-ENGE

Peer Support Specialist

Wendy is certified as a peer support specialist in Washington state and Multnomah County. She is currently seeking a position as a peer support specialist. Wendy has been in recovery for mental illness for 5 years. Her recovery is going very well and she is accomplishing her goals. The loving support of her friends and family, especially her husband of 7 years Kurt Enge, has helped her in her recovery. She is very happy for the support and love of her family and grateful to be able to share her story of mental illness and recovery today.

SATYA CHANDRAGIRI, M.D.

Psychiatrist, Chandras Clinic and Oregon State Hospital

Dr. Satya Chandragiri is a Board Certified Psychiatrist. He graduated from Bangalore Medical College, India and completed Psychiatric Residency at National Institute of Mental Health and Neuroscience, India and Temple University, Philadelphia, PA. In over twenty five years of work as a psychiatrist, he has served in three countries including India, Saint Lucia and US. The work settings have included clinical, academic, governmental and private sectors. He has had the opportunity in redesigning and implementing trauma informed mental health programs in various settings.

Currently, Dr. Chandragiri serves at the Veterans Affairs Clinic at Salem, OR, Harney County and group homes in Springfield, OR via Telepsychiatry and maintains a private practice in Salem, OR. He also holds an academic position at Oregon Health Science University, Portland, OR. He is also the Past President of Oregon Psychiatric Association. He has served in the past as the Superintendent and Chief medical Officer of Blue Mountain Recovery center, Pendleton, OR; Medical Director, Psychiatry Department, Salem Hospital, Salem, OR; as a psychiatrist at Oregon State Hospital with Forensic Psychiatric patients. Over the years he has developed an interest in program development, implementation and helped narrow the gap between what we know and what we do to serve those who have mental illness, substance use and justice involvement

PETE EARLEY

Author

Pete Earley is the New York Times bestselling author of *CRAZY: A Father's Search Through America's Mental Health Madness*, which tells two stories. It describes his attempts to help his college age son, Mike, after he becomes ill with bipolar disorder and is arrested. It also describes a year that Earley spent at the Miami Dade County Jail where he followed persons with mental disorders, who had been in jail, out into the community to see what sort of services they received. His book was one of two finalists for the Pulitzer Prize in literature in 2007 and has won awards from the National Alliance on Mental Illness, Mental Health America, the American Psychiatric Association and the American Bar Association. He has been invited to speak in Portugal, Brazil, Iceland and China about mental health reforms and testified three times before the U.S. Congress. He was part of a task force appointed by Virginia's Chief Justice of the Supreme Court to rewrite the state's involuntary commitment laws. Since the publication of his book, he has visited 48 states to discuss mental health reform and toured more than a hundred programs.

In a Washingtonian Magazine cover story entitled, Top Journalists: Washington's Media Elite, Mr. Earley was described as one of a handful of journalists in America who "have the power to introduce new ideas and give them currency." A former reporter for The Washington Post, he is the author of ten nonfiction books and five novels. His first book, *Family of Spies: Inside the John Walker Spy Ring* was a New York Times bestseller and was made into a five hour miniseries shown on CBS television. For his book, *The Hot House: Life Inside Leavenworth Prison*, Earley spent a full year as a reporter inside a maximum security prison. His book, *Circumstantial Evidence* helped lead to the release of a black man from death row after he had been wrongly convicted of murdering a white teenager in Alabama. His newest book: *The Serial Killer Whisperer* had the opposite impact. Six weeks after it was published, the Florida governor greenlighted the execution of a serial killer who had been on death row nearly thirty years.

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TINA EDLUND

Acting Director, Oregon Health Authority

Tina Edlund has worked for the last 25 years in health services research and health policy with the Oregon Division of Medical Assistance Programs, Providence Health System, OHSU's Health Policy Institute, and with the Office for Oregon Health Policy and Research (OHPR). She became the Deputy Director for Policy in the newly created Oregon Health Authority (OHA) in July 2009 and currently serves as the Chief of Policy and Programs.

She also serves as lead staff to the Oregon Health Policy Board, a 9-member citizen board with oversight responsibilities for OHA. The OHA brings most of Oregon's health and health care services into a single entity and is responsible for purchasing health care services for more than 850,000 Oregonians.

Most recently, Tina was the lead for OHA in negotiating the terms and conditions for Oregon's recent 1115(a) waiver amendment and renewal process, which paved the way for transforming the Medicaid health care delivery system in Oregon. Ms. Edlund is a graduate of the University of Oregon and has a Masters degree in Urban Affairs from Portland State University.

DAVID FITZGERALD

Supervisor, Central City Concern Recovery Mentor Program

David Fitzgerald is the supervisor of the Central City Concern Recovery Mentor Program. He is a husband, father, grandfather, good neighbor, and taxpayer. But that wasn't always his story. Having been born into a life of criminality and addiction his experience was limited: Drugs, criminality, addiction and institutions. But thanks to treatment and services and clean and sober housing he has been clean for over 16 years.

TIM HARTNETT, MSW, MHA

Executive Director, CODA

Tim joined CODA in 2002 and has served as a member of the Oregon Alcohol and Drug Policy Commission, as president of the Oregon Prevention Education and Recovery Association (OPERA), and as a member of the executive and steering committees of the National Institute on Drug Abuse Clinical Trials Network. For more than 30 years, Tim has worked with vulnerable and under-served populations, from incarcerated juveniles to homeless persons suffering from severe and persistent mental illness and substance use disorders. He has worked as a school teacher, direct-service worker, program director, research partner and state policymaker. He serves as an adjunct faculty member at Portland State University's School of Social Work. Prior to joining CODA, Tim was director of the Division of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention and Recovery for the State of New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services. He received his Master of Social Work from University of Connecticut and his Master of Health Administration from Suffolk University in Boston.

ANN KASPER

Peer Support Specialist, Multnomah Crisis Assessment and Treatment Center

Ann Kasper works as an on-call peer support specialist at the Multnomah County Crisis Assessment and Treatment Center (CATC). She has been on the LPSSC Mental Health and Public Safety Committee for five years. She has a master's degree in Applied Linguistics and speaks French, German and Japanese. Ann can tell you which hospital psychiatric units have the best desserts.

DAVID LABBY, M.D., Ph.D.

Chief Medical Officer, Health Share of Oregon

David Labby MD PhD is Chief Medical Officer of Health Share of Oregon, a Coordinated Care Organizations (CCOs) with over 165,000 enrollees in the tri county area that includes Portland. Health Share includes all of the major hospital and health systems, the Counties, and providers including those in safety net practices. Before coming to Health Share, Dr. Labby was Medical Director for CareOregon, the state's largest Medicaid Managed Care Plan. Dr. Labby practiced in Primary Care and was Medical Director of both primary care and multi-specialty settings before coming to CareOregon in 2000. He received his PhD in Cultural Anthropology.

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AMANDA MARSHALL

United States Attorney, Oregon

Amanda Marshall is the United States Attorney for the District of Oregon. Nominated by President Barack Obama in November of 2010, Ms. Marshall was confirmed by the U.S. Senate in September of 2011. As the chief federal law enforcement officer in Oregon, she oversees prosecution of all federal crimes and civil matters on behalf of the United States. She manages a staff of more than 100 people in three offices in Portland, Eugene and Medford. Ms. Marshall is committed to carrying out the mission of the United States Department of Justice: protecting Americans from terrorism and threats to national security, combating violent crime, fighting financial fraud and protecting the country's vulnerable populations – children, the elderly, hate crime victims, and victims of exploitation. She serves on the Attorney General's Subcommittees on Terrorism/National Security and Native American Issues. Ms. Marshall also serves on the Attorney General's Working Groups on Child Exploitation, Medical Marijuana and Forensic Science. Marshall also serves on the Executive Committee of the Multnomah County Local Public Safety Coordinating Council.

GINGER MARTIN

Deputy Director, Multnomah County Department of Community Justice

A Deputy Director of the Multnomah County Department of Community Justice, Ginger Martin is responsible for promoting department-wide goals, continuous quality improvement, and aligning resources to carry out the strategic plan for Community Justice. Prior to working in Multnomah County, she served as an assistant director in the Oregon Department of Corrections and head of the Transitional Services Division. Ginger Martin has 30 years experience in state-level corrections policy and in addictions treatment. She has consulted on issues related to corrections policy and offender treatment programs at the county, state, and federal levels. She has a Masters degree from Arizona State University and a Bachelors degree from Northern Arizona University. She currently serves on the boards of the International Community Corrections Association and the Women's Commission on Alcohol and Drug Issues of Oregon. She has served on the Institute of Addictions Studies Board and as chair of the state licensing board for social workers

PAMELA MARTIN, Ph.D., ABBP

Director, Addiction and Mental Health Division, Oregon Health Authority

Pam Martin joined the Oregon Health Authority in 2013. She has been a licensed clinical psychologist for more than 30 years, and worked in both inpatient and outpatient settings. She directed behavioral health programs for the University of New Mexico and the State of New Mexico as director of the Behavioral Health Services Division and then as the director of Behavioral Health for juvenile justice facilities. She has administered Medicare, Medicaid and commercial health plans for local and national plans and has been active in state and national professional organizations and advocacy groups. She holds degrees from the University of California, Berkeley and Rutgers, and a doctorate in clinical psychology from the State University of New York and is a diplomate in cognitive and behavioral psychology from the American Board of Professional Psychology.

GREG ROBERTS

Superintendent, Oregon State Hospital

Superintendent Greg Roberts has more than 40 years of experience in the mental health field. Before coming to the Oregon State Hospital in September 2010, Mr. Roberts served as the CEO at each of New Jersey's five psychiatric hospitals, as well as the director of the state's Office of State Hospital Management. Since assuming leadership of the Oregon State Hospital, Mr. Roberts has overseen numerous improvements at the hospital. These changes include a comprehensive treatment mall programming that provides patients with more choices and treatment options designed to better meet their individual needs and the Excellence Project, which has given staff the means to both suggest improvements at the hospital, as well as the ability to make them happen. This has brought new ideas into the decision-making process and created a sense of collective ownership among hospital staff. Mr. Roberts and his leadership team worked tirelessly with staff to address the long-standing issue of mandatory overtime. Together they have implemented a new scheduling system that has reduced mandatory overtime and improved staff-to-patient ratios throughout the hospital. Another change was the creation of the Recovery Services Department. This department is staffed almost entirely by consumers, who not only work directly with patients, but also bring balance to the treatment teams by sharing their unique perspective with other clinical disciplines. These changes, along with many more, have helped transform the Oregon State Hospital into a world-class psychiatric facility that truly inspires hope, promotes safety and supports recovery for all.

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NAN WALLER

Presiding Judge, Multnomah County

Judge Nan Waller was appointed to the Multnomah County Circuit Court in 2001 by Governor John Kitzhaber. She was appointed to serve as Presiding Judge for Multnomah County by Chief Justice De Muniz for the term beginning January 1, 2012. Prior to her appointment as Presiding Judge she served as the Chief Family Court Judge for five years. Judge Waller worked for 12 years as a Multnomah County Circuit Court Referee. She was a lawyer with the Metropolitan Public Defenders and a staff attorney with Montana Legal Services.

While in the Court's Family Law Department Judge Waller was involved in numerous collaborative efforts to improve outcomes for children and families. As a result of her efforts she was awarded the Chief Justice's Juvenile Court Champion Award in 2001; the Department of Human Services 2006 Mental Health Award for Excellence; the Department of Community Justice's Community Justice Appreciation Award in 2008; the Crime Citizens Commission Distinguished Service Award in 2008; the Oregon State Bar President's Public Service Award in 2009 and was named National CASA Judge of the Year in 2011.

Judge Waller co-chairs the Domestic Violence Fatality Review and is chair of CARSA (Community Action to Reduce Substance Abuse) as well as Wraparound Multnomah, a children's mental health initiative. She also serves as a member of the Executive Committee of the Multnomah County Local Public Safety Coordinating Council. She received her BA from Stanford University and graduated from the University Of Oregon School Of Law.

JENNIFER WILLIAMSON

Representative, Oregon House District 36

Jennifer Williamson is the state representative for Oregon House District 36 in West Portland. She has been appointed as a member of the House Judiciary Committee and as the Co-Chair of the Joint Ways and Means Subcommittee on Public Safety. Williamson is committed to making our communities safer, ensuring that Oregon is leading the way using evidence based practices, and spending our dollars in the most effective way possible. She is a practicing attorney, who received her JD, cum laude, from Willamette University, Throughout her professional career, she has continuously advocated to protect women's rights and promote inclusive health care policies for all Oregonians. Williamson also serves on the Executive Committee of the Multnomah County Local Public Safety Coordinating Council.