

Plymouth Site Director Funmi Aguocha



The Department of Mental Health (DMH) welcomes Oluwafunmilayo (Funmi) Aguocha, LSW, in her new role as Plymouth Site Director. Ms. Aguocha received her Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Massachusetts Boston and her Master of Science from Northeastern University in Applied Educational Psychology. She is a licensed social worker with over fifteen years' experience in mental health, psychiatric rehabilitation, training, program development, and program management.

Currently, Ms. Aguocha is pursuing her Doctorate at William James College, studying Organizational and Leadership Psychology with an emphasis in Leading Non-Profits and Non-Government Organizations.

Ms. Aguocha brings over twelve years of leadership experience, including supervisory positions within DMH and the Vinfen Corporation. Previous positions have included the Massachusetts Mental Health Center Interim Director of Community Program, Adult Case Management Supervisor and Contract Monitor, Team Leader, Clinical Program Director, and Program Director.

Southeast Area Director Howard (Buddy) Baker Smith expressed his enormous gratitude to Liz Taylor, Interim Plymouth Site Director, who, in addition to her case manager supervisor responsibilities, managed the day to day operations of the Plymouth Site Office for more than six months. During that time, Ms. Taylor oversaw the implementation of the Adult Community Clinical Services (ACCS) program contract while ensuring that clients' needs were being met by the Program for Assertive Community Treatment (PACT), Clubhouse, and case management services. Throughout this very challenging period, Ms. Taylor was responsive to client and family needs and effectively managed the many demands for her time and attention.