

# Riverside Community Care

Leading the Way in Behavioral Healthcare & Human Services

## Governor Healey Visits Riverside CBHC



***“While we recognize that May is Mental Health Awareness Month, we are a team that understands it’s something we need to bring focus to every single day.” - Governor Maura Healey***

We were honored to have Governor Healey tour the Riverside Community Behavioral Health Center in Milford on Tuesday, where she signed a proclamation declaring May as Mental Health Awareness Month. The Governor and Kate Walsh, Secretary of Health and Human Services, toured the building and spoke with Riverside employees about the benefits of expanded access and coordinated care available through CBHCs.

[Read the MetroWest Daily News article](#)

## Kaeya's Story



Watch Kaeya’s story of transformation and hope as he shares his struggles with depression, anxiety, and self-harm before arriving at Riverside’s Life Skills program.

[Watch the video](#)

## Jail Diversion Program's Dylan Jones



Dylan Jones, a clinician with Riverside, works within the Walpole Police Department in the Jail Diversion Program. This article by Sophia Brownsward of Walpole High School explains how mental health clinicians can work within local law enforcement to great effect.

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## Celebrating Hope & Healing at Riverside's Annual Gala



The Gala, held on April 28, was a feel-good event buzzing with energy, with over 125 friends of the organization enjoying conversation and a lively program. A highlight of the evening was Kaeya and his family’s participation and video (see above). We were also pleased to recognize Janet Steinmayer, president of Lesley University, for her partnership. Together, we raised over \$200,000 for

child mental health and family services, and attendees got a good dose of what makes Riverside special. [See the photos on Riverside's Facebook page.](#)

*Celebrate PRIDE!*

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**Holden Madagame**

*Trans and queer classical singer & activist*



**FEATURING A PANEL WITH:**

**Elizabeth Tomanguilla**

*Vice President, JPMorgan Chase & Co.*

**Joshua Croke**

*Nonbinary designer, facilitator, and community development practitioner*

**Maria Hassouri**

*Mother, pediatrician, writer, activist*

## Harry's Helps to Advance Men's Mental Health



2024.

A sincere thank you to Harry's for donating \$250,000 to MindWise Innovations. Since 2020, Harry's has donated \$700,000 to MindWise's goal of providing increased support to men through online mental health screenings. The partnership further supports Harry's commitment to connect 1.5M men with access to mental healthcare by

[Learn more](#)

## CBHC Opens Doors, Expands Care



Over 100 people gathered in March to celebrate Riverside's new Community Behavioral Health Center (CBHC) in Milford. CBHCs across the state, including Riverside's Milford and Norwood locations, will expand access to mental health and substance use treatment and support for many more people in need. Pictured: Riverside President Vicker DiGravio, III; Commissioner at the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health Brooke Doyle; State Senator Becca Rausch; MA Secretary of Health and Human Services Kate Walsh; State Representative Brian Murray; Riverside CEO Marsha Medalie.

[Learn more about CBHCs](#)

**We're Hiring!**



Riverside has some terrific job openings at all levels – along with great benefits and opportunities for professional development – if you or someone you know is looking to take the next step in their career.

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***Riverside Community Care** makes a difference in the lives of individuals, families, and communities through innovative and compassionate behavioral healthcare and human services. A community-based non-profit organization, Riverside offers a wide range of mental healthcare, developmental and brain injury services, early childhood and youth programs, addiction treatment, trauma response, and more. And we're now reaching a global audience with evidence-based mental health and substance use services that include educational programs, training, consulting, and crisis response for schools, organizations, and mental health professionals.*