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COLEMAN ACCESS INTERN CONTRIBUTES SECTION TO KENT PROFESSOR'S NEW PUBLICATION

RAVENNA, Ohio (February 25, 2008) – Coleman Access Intern, Adam Iarussi, MS, officially witnessed his name in print after submitting his contributed section entitled “Stories and Reflections” in the chapter “Stories for the Field” in Dr. Jason McGlothlin’s new book *Developing Clinical Skills in Suicide Assessment, Preventions, and Treatment*. Iarussi wrote on the topic of the aftermath of suicide. Dr. McGlothlin is a tenured associate professor in Counseling and Human Development at Kent State University. His book is available on Amazon.com. Dr. McGlothlin is Iarussi’s advisor. “It was exciting and very meaningful for me to have this piece published in Dr. McGlothlin’s book,” Iarussi said. “Aside from it being a great accomplishment for me, my parents were very happy to see my name in print!”

Iarussi is currently working at Coleman Access Services in Ravenna and is working to complete 600 hours in Prescreens, Diagnosis Assessments, and Crisis Intervention. He will also join Coleman’s Chief Officer of Access Services, Becky Dempster, on the Portage County Suicide Prevention Coalition.

Last year, he received his Master’s of Science in Psychology at Loyola College in Maryland. He worked in Crisis Intervention for 2 years in an Emergency room in downtown Baltimore. “I really want to help prevent pain and suffering for people. I also hope I can enhance my current skills and continue to develop others, while at Coleman, in crisis intervention,” Iarussi said. “I eventually want to become an educator of counseling and research.”

Coleman Professional Services is a nationally recognized not-for-profit provider of behavioral health and rehabilitation programs that improve the lives of individuals, families and businesses in Northeast Ohio. The company relies on an enterprise business model to diversify its funding. Coleman’s foundation and three enterprise companies produce more than 40 percent of the company’s funding for its award-winning programs.

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