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OhioRISE Staff Undergo Training

Photo Caption: Jill Tayfel, care management entity (CME) relationship manager for Aetna Better Health of Ohio, led a training session about deescalating behaviors and diagnostic criteria for mental, behavior and addiction disorders with care coordinators for the OhioRISE program, which will serve Jefferson, Harrison, Belmont, Carroll, Tuscarawas and Monroe counties. OhioRISE, which stands for Resilience through Integrated Systems and Excellence, is a specialized Medicaid managed care system for children and youth with complex behavioral health and multisystem needs with Aetna serving as the managed care partner. About 16 people attended the session on Friday at the R. Larry George Training Annex at the Jefferson County Educational Service Center in Steubenville and JCESC is one of the regional providers for the program. Another session was set for Wednesday in Canton, where JCESC also offers OhioRISE services in Stark County. For more information, contact CME Program Director Linda Trushel at (740) 792-4011, ext. 502, or go online at www.jcesc.org/CareManagementEntity. A 24-hour crisis hotline is also available at (740) 792-4012.