



## WHAT CURRENT AND FORMER MCET CONSUMER STAFF HAVE TO SAY.....

- ❖ *“MCET is important to me because I feel I am now part of the solution to the world-wide improvement of mental health issues. Previously working for companies in which the end product is not of profound value; serving more superficial solutions (such as automotive parts)”.*
  
- ❖ *“My employment with MCET has provided me with many benefits. It has helped me in my recovery by getting me out to talk to people everyday. It helped me, financially, to be able to rent a bigger and nicer home for my children. Working with other consumers has been wonderful. We share and exchange resources that otherwise I may never have known were available. We are a great support system for each other and have all become very good friends.”*
  
- ❖ *“Working with MCET has not only provided a source of income for me, but has taught and allowed me to be a voice for other consumers. I have learned so much in my position at MCET and have personally benefited from what I have learned. This knowledge has helped my family as well as other consumers to “speak up” for the best delivery of services from OCCMHA and the Core providers. The value of empowering consumers by involving them in the quality improvement process is priceless and I appreciate the opportunity to be a part of it. OCCMHA has set an excellent example by utilizing our services and striving to make services better for us consumers. The mission of MCET speaks for itself.”*

- ❖ *“Working for MCET nearly three years I have found the work enjoyable and profitable. I have enjoyed helping other consumers by acting as a voice, through the interview process, for others to receive better quality of services. I am looking forward to further time at MCET.”*
  
- ❖ *“I enjoy working at MCET because MCET is a group of consumers doing surveys and evaluations of consumers' services and supports MCET works best because consumers can relate best to consumers, As a long time supporter of consumer empowerment, I believe MCET show the true spirit of consumer empowerment. As a consumer myself, I feel that MCET has discovered a way to truly measure the feelings and attitudes of consumers. That's why I work for MCET and that is why I support MCET all the way.”*