

# ***NEWS RELEASE***

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## **Warren County Awards Intoxicated Driver Resource Center to Morris County Prevention Is Key**

The Warren County Board of Chosen Freeholders approved the designation of the Warren County Intoxicated Driver Resource Center (IDRC) in October 2017 to Morris County Prevention Is Key. Cornerstone Family Programs (formerly Family Services of Morris County), which has been designated to fulfill that role for nearly three decades, notified the County that the services would not continue effective January 1, 2018.

“The County has had a strong relationship with Cornerstone Family Programs as they have served as our IDRC provider for the past 28 years. Although we are sad to see them go, we are looking forward to establishing a new relationship with Morris County Prevention in Key in that role,” said Shawn Buskirk, Director of the Warren County Department of Human Services and former director of Warren County IDRC.

The New Jersey Intoxicated Driving Program is responsible for the administration of post-conviction Driving Under the Influence interventions, and each county must designate an Intoxicated Driver Resource Center.

The Resource Center detains, educates, and screens individuals to determine eligibility. If eligible for the program, participants receive 12-hours of Alcohol and Highway Safety prevention education. The program is mandatory for all persons convicted of a first and third-time DUI offenses. Morris County Prevention is Key will offer 12 hour education classes in both their Morris and Warren county locations each month. For more information on the Warren County Intoxicated Driver’s Resource Center, contact 973-625-1998 or visit the website [www.mcpik.org](http://www.mcpik.org).

Based in Rockaway, NJ, Morris County Prevention is Key is a non-profit organization that provides prevention education programs, professional development training, advocacy, information and referral services. It maintains the county’s most extensive resource center with up-to-date materials that address issues of substance use, violence, alcohol, tobacco and other drug dependence and emerging issues of concern to Morris and Warren County communities.

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