

Tim Curtin, MSW, MBA

Administrative Director, Community Services
Memorial Healthcare System

Tim Curtin has been working with the “at risk” youth population for the past 30 years.

He started out in the field of prevention working as a Park Service Worker in Harlem and in 1987 developed what was called in the “Inner City Olympics” as a way to keep kids busy and off of the drug riddled NYC streets.

He has been serving Broward County, Florida communities since 1989 and has been working with Broward County Public Schools since 1990 as a provider of substance abuse and mental health services.

As the Administrative Director of Community Services for Memorial Healthcare System, Tim designs, implements and directs award winning programs for maternal and child health, adolescent substance abuse, juvenile diversion, crime prevention, kinship and foster care, after school programs, summer camps and senior programming throughout Broward County.

Mr. Curtin is on numerous Boards including the Arts and Cultural Center of Hollywood, Broward Education Foundation, Broward Healthy Start Coalition, Florida Association of Infant Mental Health and is the Chair of the Town of Davie Youth Education and Safety Advisory Committee.

He holds a Bachelor’s degree in Criminal Justice, a Master’s degree in Social Work, a Master’s in Business Administration and is a Florida Certified Addictions professional.

Mr. Curtin presented Memorial’s tobacco prevention program at the World Health Organization Conference on Tobacco in Chicago and his youth programs have been featured in the local, statewide and national media outlets.

Maria Mendez

Manager, Senior and Family Services
Memorial Healthcare System

Maria Mendez has worked in south Florida's social service community for over 30 years with the last 17 years at Memorial Healthcare System.

Ms. Mendez is currently the Program Manager for Memorial Healthcare System's Senior Services, where she oversees and responsible for the day to day operations of Memorial Senior Partners Program, CARES Program and ALLIES Program. Ms. Mendez is also responsible for facilitating Alzheimer' and Caregiver support groups.

Ms. Mendez has worked in many community programs from prevention to intervention. Working with at-risk youth, teen parents, home based parenting program, prenatal/pregnant women, school based wellness program and substance abuse programs.

Over the past year in Broward County she has been diligently working on various task force to address issues of seniors "Silver Tsunami".

Ms. Mendez is very active in her church where she started a "Sassy Senior Program" back in 2002. Ms. Mendez is board member of local ski club that introduces low income children to winter sports. Maria loves outdoor activities and has traveled to every continent excluding Antarctica.

