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# Louisiana Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Assn. Assistance Programs:

#### Louisiana HBPA Substance Abuse Program

The Substance Abuse Program provides a recovery program for all licensed individuals in the horse racing industry. It is for those who seek assistance for alcohol abuse, drug abuse, or a gambling addiction.

The Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse of Northwest Louisiana (CADA) provides a state certified facilitator at each racetrack during its operating season. The facilitators are available to conduct confidential evaluations and address assessment needs.

Detox and in-house treatment may be provided for individual cases. Two therapy groups and one 12-step meeting are held weekly at each racetrack during the operating season.

If someone you know needs assistance through these programs, please contact your area counselor or Kenna "Latch" Latolais, Program Director.

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### **Outreach Program**

In addition, an Outreach Program has been implemented to provide the following services:

- Educational sessions on compulsive gambling and substance abuse
- Site visits to horse farms and area training centers
- Information on the LA HBPA Assistance Programs
- Assessments, counseling, and referrals
- Assistance with licensing restoration
- Assistance for DWI offenders

#### **Employee Assistance Program**

The Employee Assistance Program (EAP) provides assistance to employees that are experiencing personal problems that affect work performance. Confidential sessions are provided for employees experiencing problems such as:

- Marital/family
- Emotional
- Legal/financial
- Addiction
- Health concerns

EAP programs statistically reduce worker's compensation claims. It is important that trainers and employers utilize this program.

