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IL Region 5
Metro East

14th Annual Consumer Conference

Friday
August 6, 2010
9am – 3pm

8am Registration

Southwestern Illinois
College (SWIC)
Belleville Campus
2500 Carlyle Avenue
Belleville, Illinois

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Metro East Consumer
Leadership Council;*

*Madison County Mental
Health Board;*

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Keynote Presenter Antonio Lambert

At age 17, Antonio Lambert was carrying the scars of nine bullets and was sentenced to 22 years in prison. A life of severe depression and substance abuse had taken their toll. Now, he has emerged as a respected community leader and national speaker. "I once thought prison was where I was supposed to be," he says. "But I was wrong." Antonio, a Certified Peer Specialist in North Carolina, is a member of an Assertive Community Treatment (ACT) team for a mental health agency, Envisions Of Life, LLC. He is also an Advanced Wellness to Recovery Action Plan Facilitator as well as a Peer Instructor for the National Association of Peer Specialists (NAPS). Antonio, with a reputation of "wowing" his audience, will be in Illinois not only for our conference, but also for two national conferences being held in the Chicago area in 2010. He is presenting at the National ACT conference in June and is the keynote for the NAPS conference in late August.

Other Highlights

Wellness Workshops
Recovery Stories
Information Tables
Consumer Art Show

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