

Brenda Holleman  
Human Services Supervisor II  
Human Services

Brenda began her career with Wake County as a student counseling and psychology intern in 1987. After her graduation from North Carolina State University, she began working in the mental health center on Falstaff Road.

Throughout her employment with Wake County, Brenda worked as a Registered Nurse and a Social Worker. For the past 14 years she has served as the Program Manager for the PACT Team and the McKinney program. Brenda has a passion for working with people with mental illness and from 1993 to 2000 she worked with the dual diagnosed - Thomas S team. This group consisted of clients who had a mental illness and were also developmentally challenged. Brenda currently works with the homeless mentally ill as the Program Manager for the McKinney Team in the housing division.

Brenda was nominated for the Wake County employee of the year award in 1989. During the 1990's, she was an active member of the DART Team, which went into disaster areas or worked directly with police, fire and EMS to lead groups to assist them in processing tragic events.

Brenda loves her work with this population and believes that if you do something you love, you really never have to work! She will truly miss her clients and staff.

Brenda will continue working part time as a Licensed Professional Counselor in private practice in Raleigh and hopes to spend more time at the beach.

Please join me in congratulating Brenda on her retirement.