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### Spindletop Center Announces Appointment of Clinical Mental Health Leader to Community Champion Program

**BEAUMONT, TX** – Spindletop Center is proud to announce the appointment of Emily Ross, LPC-S, CCTP-II as a Better Business Bureau of Southeast Texas Champion. 15 incredible individuals are being recognized as going above and beyond to support the BBB mission. It's through dedication, hard work, and unwavering commitment to the community and their role in their respective organizations and the BBB Education Foundation they make a profound difference each and every day.

"We are so grateful for your continued support, and it's because of champions like you that we are able to achieve great things for our community. Your contributions inspire us to keep pushing forward and strive for even more success in the year ahead. Thank you for being an essential part of our journey. We couldn't do it without you!" said the BBB of Southeast Texas.

"I am honored to represent Spindletop Center in the Better Business Bureau of Southeast Texas Champion Program. This exciting opportunity allows us to celebrate and uphold Spindletop Center's values of honesty, transparency, and ethical practices," said Emily Ross, LPC-S, CCTP-II.

The Champion Program seeks to enhance relationships with a powerful network of like-minded organizations committed to making a positive difference in our Southeast Texas community. Through leveraging the valuable tools and opportunities provided by the Champion Program the organization will be able to further advance the mission of trust and integrity for the community we serve.

Emily is a licensed professional counselor with over 21 years of clinical experience working with diverse populations in a multitude of settings. In her role at Spindletop Center, Emily coordinates the collaboration between Spindletop Center, Lamar University, and other institutes of learning for the clinical intern program which assists the next generation of mental health providers as they develop their clinical skills through practicum and intern experiences. A

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key aspect of the role is to help these students develop a love for our SETX community so that they remain here and increase our front-line mental health workers.

For more information about Spindletop Center and its services, please visit [spindletopcenter.org](http://spindletopcenter.org).

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Spindletop Center is a non-profit healthcare organization specializing in behavioral healthcare, programs for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities and substance use services for each stage of life. Our Center serves more than 16,000 people annually throughout Jefferson, Hardin, Orange, Jasper and Chambers counties and has campuses in Beaumont, Port Arthur, Orange and Silsbee. We promote healthy living in our community through innovative and best-practice options that meet the unique needs of every family.

***The mission of the Spindletop Center is to help people help themselves by providing resources and support.***

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