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PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZERS VOLUNTEER AT NAMI-DE

NAPO-GPC MEMBERS SUPPORT MENTAL ILLNESS AWARENESS

For GO (Get Organized) MonthSM, and Philadelphia-area Professional Organizers were ready to help local nonprofits get the job done!

Members of the National Association of Professional Organizers – Greater Philadelphia Chapter (NAPO-GPC) volunteered their time and organizing talents at the Wilmington, DE, office of the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI Delaware) on February 11, 2011.

“We were excited to help such a great organization,” says NAPO-GPC member and GO Event Coordinator Carla Shipman of Middletown, DE. “Many of us have clients who struggle with mental illnesses or who have friends or family members who can benefit from NAMI Delaware.”

Volunteers included Shipman and Professional Organizers Naomi Cook of Devon, PA, Kathy Luskus of Newtown Square, PA, and Gen Wallace-Roe of Hockessin, DE.

The National Alliance on Mental Illness in Delaware (NAMI Delaware) is a statewide organization of families, mental health consumers, friends, and professionals dedicated to improving the quality of life for those affected by life-changing brain diseases such as schizophrenia, bipolar disorder, and major depression. NAMI’s mission is support, education and advocacy. Visit www.namide.org or call (302) 427-0787 for more information.

NAPO-GPC is a nonprofit member organization whose missions are to educate members, to promote the highest standards of ethics and professional competence, and to raise public awareness regarding the benefits of organizing. For GO (Get Organized) MonthSM, NAPO-GPC members also were VIP guests on *Good Morning America* and volunteered at Impact Thrift Store in Pennsylvania and Gilda’s Club South Jersey. To find a Professional Organizer in your area, use the search tool on www.napo-gpc.org.

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PHOTO CAPTION

Members of the National Association of Professional Organizers – Greater Philadelphia Chapter (NAPO-GPC) volunteer at the National Alliance on Mental Illness in Wilmington, DE (NAMI-DE) for GO (Get Organized) MonthSM. Pictured are (left to right): NAMI Delaware Development Director Bryan Abramson with Professional Organizers Carla Shipman of Middletown, DE; Naomi Cook of Devon, PA; Kathy Luskus of Newtown Square, PA; and Gen Wallace-Roe of Hockessin, DE.