



The Nation's Voice on Mental Illness

Michael Lake

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Toledo, OH #####

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Dear Mr. Lake,

Thank you for contacting NAMI, the Nation's Voice on Mental Illness. We have recently received your letter detailing your frustrating experience with trying to get treatment from the VA.

Trying to get the help you need from a government agency is always difficult and it sounds like you have had a particularly hard time. We appreciate your sharing your experience. We are, however, unable to advocate for individuals.

I certainly wish you well in your efforts. Please contact us again if we can be of assistance.

Feel free to call the NAMI National Information HelpLine at (800) 950-6264, M-F, 10:00 am to 6:00 pm, ET or e-mail us at info@nami.org with further questions.

Sincerely,

Ann Wroth

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