



## NEWS & NOTES

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Holly Stevens has joined NAMI New Hampshire as the non-profit organization's first public policy director. According to a press release, Stevens has been working in health policy for the past five years in **Concord** and said she will be working with mental health and suicide prevention advocates to effect change on the policy level in the state.

The towns of **Salem**, Epping and Groveton have been awarded funding totaling \$500,000 to hire additional police officers, with Epping and Groveton each getting \$125,000 and Salem getting \$250,000, according to a press release from the Department of Justice. The grant funding comes from the Department's Office of Community Oriented Policing Services Hiring Program.

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