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Michael B. Baker

WARWICK — Michael B. Baker, 36, of 741 Manomet Court, a senior rehabilitation counselor employed by the State of Rhode Island since 1978, died yesterday at home.

Born in Providence, he was a son of the late Louis and Priscilla

(Dressler) Baker. He lived in Warwick for 20 years.

Mr. Baker was a 1978 graduate of Providence College and received a master's degree from Rhode Island College in 1980.

He was presented the Jack Kemp award in 1984 from People Actively Reaching Independence for being an outstanding service provider. In 1989 he was listed in the National Register of Distinguished Service for Rehabilitation.

Mr. Baker was a member of the Providence College Independent Living Advisory Board, the Vocational Rehabilitation Placement Task Force, the Vocational Rehabilitation Agency Policy Review Committee, the National Spinal Cord Injury Foundation board of directors from 1982 to 1984, and the Rhode Island College Rehabilitation Counselor Program Advisory Committee.

Mr. Baker was president of the P.A.R.I. board of directors from 1980 to 1982, a member of the National Association of Independent Living, the National Rehabilitation Association, the Rhode Island Rehabilitation Association, and a member of the Stroke Sub-Committee for the American Heart Association.

He leaves a sister, Karen Kirshenbaum of Colorado Springs, Colo., and two nieces.

The funeral will be Wednesday at noon at Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick. ✓

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April 25, 1993. Beloved son of the late Louis and Priscilla (Dressler) Baker. Devoted brother of Karen Kirshenbaum of Colorado Springs, CO. Loving uncle of Emily and Melissa Kirshenbaum. Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 12 Noon at the MAX SUGARMAN MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 458 Hope St. (corner of Doyle Ave). In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to P.A.R.I., 500 Prospect St., Pawtucket, RI 02860, or your favorite charity. Shiva will be observed at his late residence, 741 Manomet Court, Warwick, Wednesday and Thursday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. and Saturday 8-10 p.m.

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