

Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) Report

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MHSA (Mental Health Services Act) Annual Progress Report for FY 12/13 and 3-Year Plan for FY 14/15, 15/16 & 16/17:

- MHSA Steering Committee Meeting Calendar for Calendar Year 2014 has been updated
- First Draft of the MHSA 3-Year Plan has been distributed for feedback-no fiscal data yet
- Cathy Cross is gathering data to complete FY 2012/2013 Annual Progress Report.

Community Services and Supports (CSS):

- RFP for the Insight Respite Center has been released.

- **Housing:**
 - Housing Choice Voucher (formally known as Section 8) waiting list is closed. Personal Service Coordinators are helping clients provide the Public Housing Authority with additional required documents.
 - Nevada County Behavioral Health Department (NCBHD) was awarded a small HUD Permanent Supportive Housing grant in the amount of \$20,270 to support 2-3 units for chronically homeless individuals
 - NCBHD was granted a renewal on their Permanent Supportive Housing Grant that supports 13 housing units. Current we have 16 units leased with these funds. The renewal grant is for \$108,803.
 - Nevada County Housing Development Corporation is in escrow for a second MHSA funded house. Escrow closes on 8/12/14. We are having a NIMBY issue with 46 neighbors.

Prevention and Early Intervention (PEI):

- Mental Health Services Oversight & Accountability Commission (MHSOAC) has rewritten the PEI Regulations. The regulations are still with the legal department.

Programs under contract/being implemented: Suicide Prevention, Senior Outreach, 211 Nevada County, Homeless Outreach, First Responder Training, Latino Outreach, Forensic Outreach, Second Step, Early Intervention for Youth at Risk, What's Up? Wellness Checks, Truckee Wellness Center, and mentoring programs.

Capital Facility (CF):

- SB 82: Investment in Mental Health Wellness grant was awarded to Nevada County for \$500,000 to establish a Crisis Stabilization Unit (CSU) on the hospital grounds by the Emergency Department. NCBHD is working with the hospital to create an MOU and Agreement to determine all of the work details to make the CSU a reality.

Innovations:

- Mental Health Services Oversight & Accountability Commission (MHSOAC) has rewriting the Innovation Regulations. The regulations are with the Department of Health Care Service's legal department for final review.

Workforce Education and Training (WET)-

- Our Voices Matter continues to meet every month.

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- Training:
 - Mental Health First Aid: Upcoming trainings- Public Safety (8/20 & 8/27), Youth (9/17), and General (10/23)
- WRAP- New book For Veterans and People in the Military.

Technological Needs (TN): Anasazi

- Turning Point is trained on all the components that they will be using in Anasazi.

Exhibit 6 Progress Report- Cathy Cross is collecting the data from service provides for fiscal year 2012/13.