



ZEPF CENTER
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GENERAL OVERVIEW

General Information:

- ✧ Mission: Create hope, and support wellness, recovery and career development through integrated services and community partnerships.
- ✧ Local non-profit serving residents of Lucas County, Ohio
- ✧ Serve 7,300 children and adults with SPMI
- ✧ Employ 556 staff
- ✧ Key services: behavioral health, vocational, child & adolescent psychiatric, medical, residential, therapy; career development..
- ✧ Current IPAT level = 3





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Primary Care Provision

- ✧ FQHC partnership
- ✧ On-site PC services offered 2.5 days per week
- ✧ Staffing and other costs provided by partner:
 - APN s 2.5 days a week
 - 2 APN's 1 Medical Assistant
 - 1 community coordinator
 - 1 scheduler.
- ✧ Types of services on site
 - PCP
 - Lab
 - Pharmacy
 - Dental services




ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- ✧ **Peer support services**
 - The Challenges***
 - developing the process of hiring
 - training requirements (not just for the peers but for staff as well). It continues to be a process and a learning experience.
- ✧ **Self Management Programs**
 - **Open Art Studio**
 - **WHAM**
 - **WMR**
 - The Challenges***
 - related costs
 - training and staff time.
- ✧ **Client Engagement**



IF I KNEW THEN WHAT I KNOW NOW...

What is one piece of start-up advice:

To have constant and consistent communication

What would you recommend grantees NOT do?

Assume

What is one recommendation to newer grantees regarding sustainability?

Create a plan from the very beginning



MOVING FORWARD

- ❖ **Has there or will there be any changes in your partnership arrangement?**
 - *Not at this time.*
- ❖ **Will you expand the population you serve?**
 - *Yes and work closely with our Dual population/SUD*
- ❖ **Are there any services you would add/subtract?**
 - *We would like to add comprehensive lab services, and education and support services*
- ❖ **Describe biggest challenge and efforts to sustain services.**
 - *The too-frequent change (by the FQHC) in the particular PC provider who is assigned to the PBHCI project.*

