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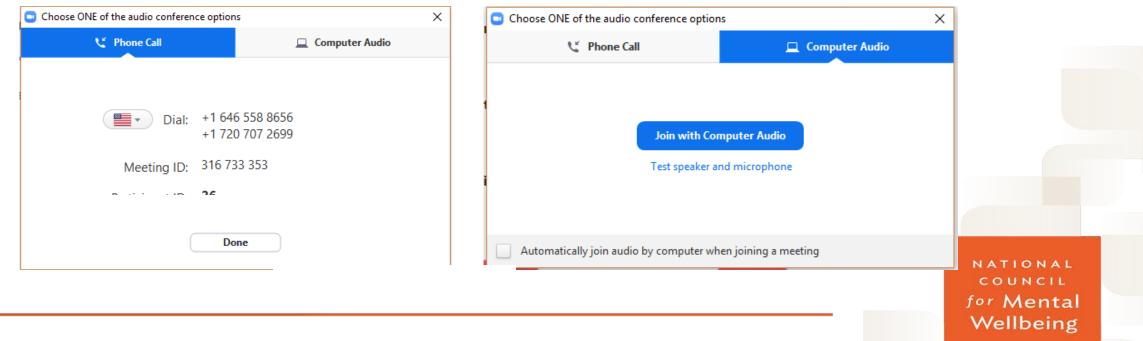
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Post Evaluation Survey

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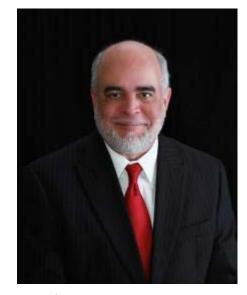
Agenda

- Welcome
- Today's Presenters
- Mark Stringer- Former Director Missouri Department of Mental Health
- Clinic Perspective- Integrity House
- Q&A Period

Today's Presenters



Samantha Holcombe Senior Director Practice Improvement Consulting National Council for Mental Wellbeing



Mark Stringer Former Director, Missouri Department of Mental Health



Katie Tracy Project Director, Integrity House

Outpatient Mental Health and Substance Use (4.f)

- The CCBHC directly provides outpatient mental and substance use disorder services that are evidence-based or best practices, consistent with the needs of individual consumers as identified in their individual treatment plan.
- If specialized services outside the expertise of the CCBHC are required for purposes of outpatient mental and substance use disorder treatment (e.g., treatment of sexual trauma, eating disorders, specialized medications for substance use disorders), the CCBHC makes them available through referral or other formal arrangement with other providers or, where necessary and appropriate, through use of telehealth/ telemedicine services.

Today's Highlights

- Integration best practices, strategies and barriers from a statewide and practice lens.
- Staffing considerations and team structures.

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Integrating Mental Health and Substance Use Services in CCBHCs

Mark Stringer Former Director Missouri Department of Mental Health

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CCBHC

Agenda:

- Brief description of CCBHCs in Missouri
- Integrating MH and SUD services
- Outcome of successful integration

MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH

Division of Behavioral Health Certified Community Behavioral Health Organizations



15 CCBHCs (*and counting)



arcgis/smith/certified-community-behavioral-health-organizations.pdf ~ December 28, 2021

Area 4

CCBHC Expansion in MO

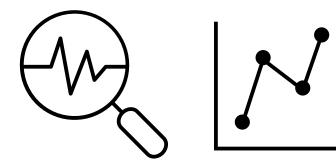
MO's CCBHC demonstration project began in 2017 with 15 agencies. 4 more agencies will be added in 2022.

> Expansion is possible under MO's CCBHC/O State Plan Amendment (July 2019). Three agencies will be added under the SPA in 2022.

> > Agencies may expand through a SAMHSA grant, independent of the DMH.



What changes do we measure?



For example: Mental Health and Substance Use Crisis Services



Components:

24-hour crisis hotlines

24-hour mobile crisis response

Clinic-based crisis intervention and resolution

The 24-hour hotline and/or mobile crisis response may be contracted to a state approved "Designated Collaborating Organization"



Requirements:

CARF accreditation for hotline and mobile response

CARF or TJC accreditation for crisis intervention services

Must meet ACI certification standards

Required Screenings

All individuals receiving a CCBHC service must receive a *health screen*.

- A subset of individuals should be screened for metabolic syndrome.
- CCBHCs must also be designated as a CMHC Health Home for adults and youth.
- A subset of individuals will be enrolled in healthcare home.

All adults and youth must be screened for depression.

All adults must be *screened for problems with alcohol and drug use*.

All adults and youth with a diagnosis of major depressive disorder must receive a *suicide risk assessment*.



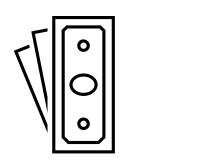
Integrating MAT

• MAT along with behavioral therapies must become routine practice.



Metrics and Value-Based Payments

Pay 4 Performance



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Reimbursement is based on achieving specific results.

Incentivizes raising performance to get results.

Value-Based Payments (VBP)

- Meet all nine (9) performance measures
- Meet the statewide benchmark
- Show improvement over previous FY performance

VBP \geq 1% of total PPS payments.



Value-Based Payments (VBP)

- Provide incentive payments to CCBHCs
- Calculated annually
- CCBHC must meet all nine (9) performance measures to receive a VBP:
 - Suicide Risk Assessment for Major Depressive Disorder (Adult)
 - Suicide Risk Assessment for Major Depressive Disorder (Youth)
 - Adherence to antipsychotic medication for Schizophrenia (Adult)
 - Follow-up within 7 & 30 days post hospitalization (Adult)
 - Follow-up within 7 & 30 days post hospitalization (Youth)
 - New Alcohol or Other Drug (AOD) dependence with *initiation* of AOD treatment
 - *New AOD dependence with <u>engagement</u> in AOD treatment*

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Integration Strategies & Barriers

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Integration

- Integration is not just coordinated care.
- Integration is not just co-located care.
- Integration is mental health, substance use, and physical health clinicians acting together to design and implement a unified patient care plan.



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CCBHC—An Integration Challenge

CCBHCs must provide outpatient mental health and substance use disorder treatment services, in addition to physical health services.

- Organizational challenges
- Reimbursement barriers
- Health IT
- Telehealth
- Training

Organizational Challenges & Lessons Learned

- Integration in a traditional fee-for-service reimbursement environment is difficult, but still possible.
- Collaborate with the other partners when hiring personnel.
- Staff at **all** levels must buy in to the model, including organizational leaders.
- Be clear about role definitions and responsibilities.
- Flexibility is a must; silos are antithetical to integration.
- How does larger oversight/problem-solving happen?
- Consider combining advisory bodies.

Reimbursement Barriers

- Separate funding streams for MH and SUD services, with requirements to designate which stream is used—when the fact is that we are not treating the condition, we are treating the person.
- Payers for CCBHC services should strive to move beyond feefor-service to a prospective payment or similar model as soon as possible.

Health IT

- Many EMRs were developed to keep MH, physical health, and SUD information separate because of antiquated rules about confidentiality.
- Again, we are not treating the condition, we are treating the person, so records must show the complete picture in order to achieve fully integrated care.

Telehealth

- Although physical co-location is ideal, telehealth technology presents opportunities for integration that did not exist until recently.
- Can be used for
 - counseling when client cannot come into the clinic due to transportation, childcare issues, or illness.
 - psychiatry consultation.
 - medication prescribing, including addiction medications.
- Use appropriate HIPAA compliant platforms, ie. Doxy, Business Zoom.

Training

- All training must begin with the understanding that we are treating the whole person.
- Training for MH and SUD integration must acknowledge that both conditions at their core are brain diseases that manifest themselves differently.
- Desired outcomes of treatment are identical: e.g., improvement in symptoms and functioning, meaningful employment, social support, stable housing, etc.

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Staff Cross Training

Use MH and SU Champions to provide training at clinical meetings to increase competency, reduce stigma, and promote shared culture and team-based care.

Sample of Training Topics:

- Motivational Interviewing
- Mental Health First Aid
- Evidence based care: Addiction, MH, Medical
- ASAM Levels of Care
- SBIRT
- MAT

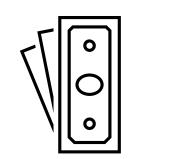
Staff Cross Training

- Encourage varied staff attendance at Learning Collaboratives or community trainings.
- Team based case consultation meetings increase understanding of client issues and allow input based on areas of expertise.

Recovery Supports

- Use Peer Specialists, Recovery Coaches, Outreach Staff as *extenders of the team*.
- As with all members of the treatment team, Peer Specialists must be cross-trained.

Some Results of Successful Integration





Missouri's Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinics

Improving Outcomes & Access to Care Missouri's Impact Report | Year 4

3,562

Veterans Served by CCBHCs **41%**

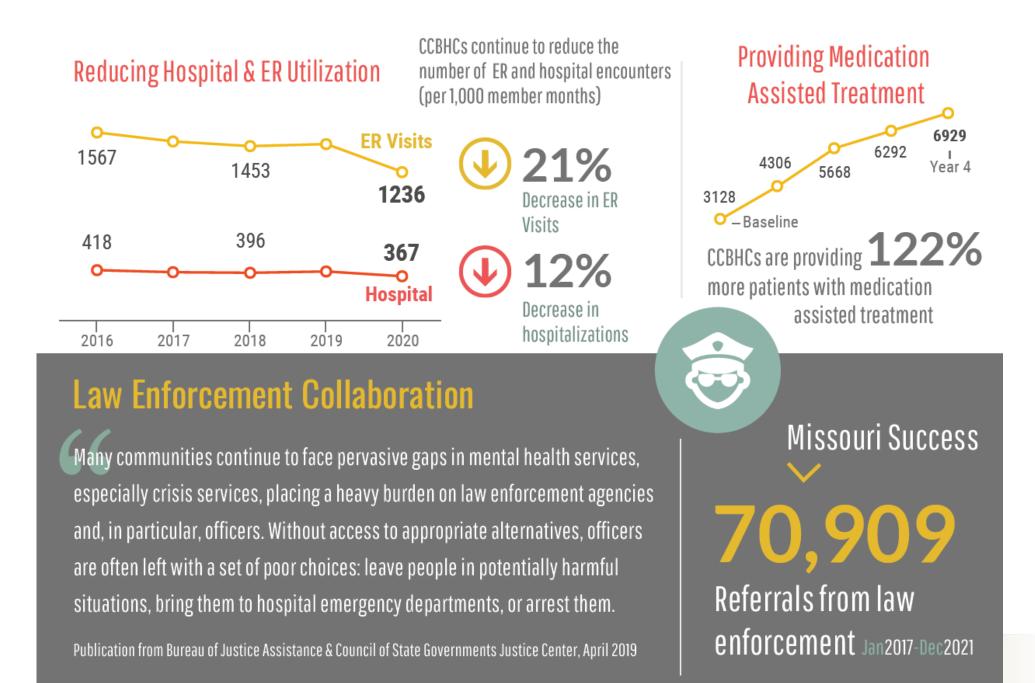
Overall increase in veterans served from baseline to Year 4

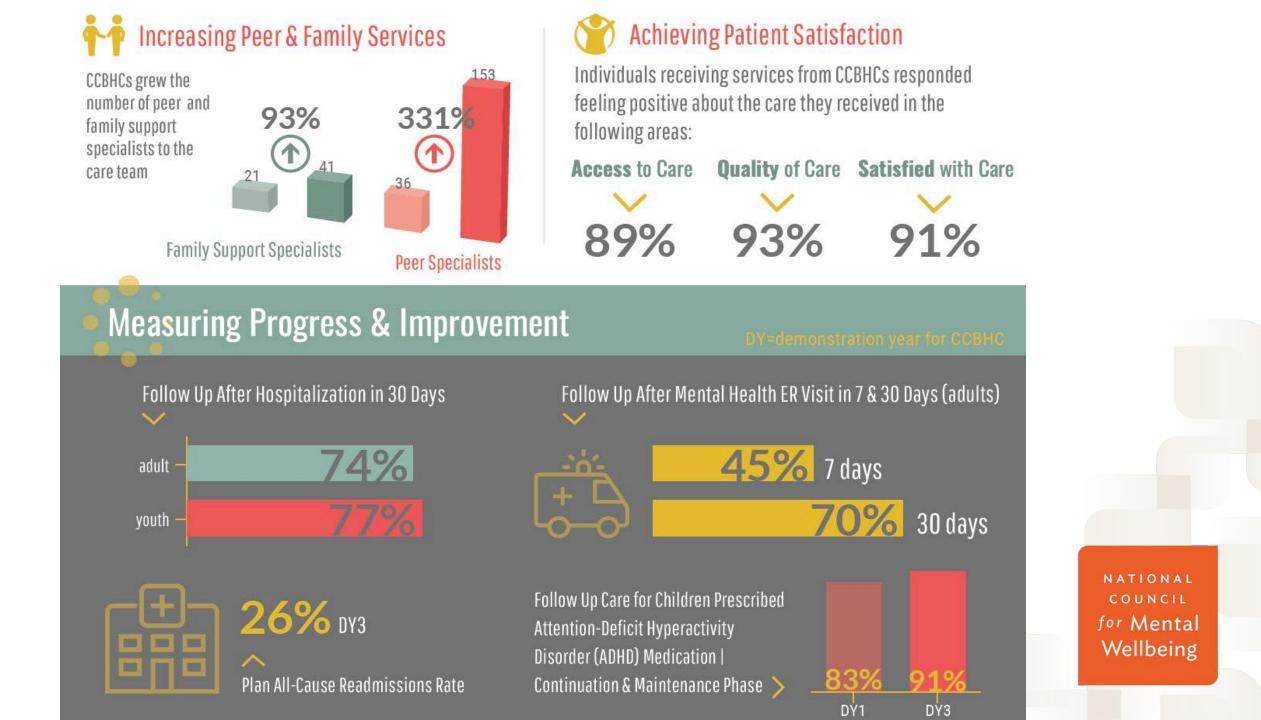
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27% + Solution Increase in patient access to care

Overall increase in patients served from baseline to Year 4

Missourian's Served by CCBHCs 140,884 146,665 150,578 119,002 121,431 Baseline Year 2 Year 4 Year 1 Year 3





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Integrity House

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ORGANIZATIONAL REACH

- Newark, NJ Campus
- Secaucus, NJ Campus
- Morris Plains, NJ Outpatient Program
- Toms River, NJ Outpatient Program
- Bergen New Bridge Medical Center
- Hudson County Correctional Center

PROGRAMS

- SUD Outpatient Levels 1, 2.1 & 2.5: outpatient, intensive outpatient, and partial care services
- Halfway House Level 3.1: clinically managed lowintensity residential services
- Long-term Residential Level 3.5: clinically managed high-intensity residential services
- Short-term Residential Level 3.7: medically monitored inpatient withdrawal management (WM)
- WM Level 4: medically monitored intensive inpatient WM
- CCBHC Expansion Added MH, Primary Care, Crisis Support, Targeted Case Management
- Other Programs: Prevention, Reach for Recovery, Support Team for Addiction Recovery, Womens' Wellness Center, Supportive Housing (men and women)

Integrating Mental Health and Substance Use and Lessons Learned

- Structure of Workforce
- Organizational Changes
- Experience of Care
- Lessons Learned/Recommendations



Questions?





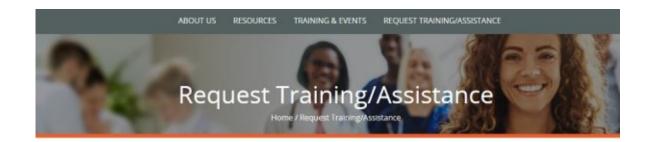
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