The Medical Director Institute (MDI) advises National Council members on best clinical practices and develops policy and initiatives that serve member mental health and substance use treatment organizations, their constituent clinicians and the governmental agencies and payers that support them.

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Looking Ahead to 2023

MDI began work on several projects that will be completed and released in 2023.

- **Toward a National Standard for Service Intensity Assessment and Planning for Mental Health Care** – A report that aims to align care providers to a single model, such as the LOCUS Family of Tools, to standardize determinations of severity and course of treatment.

- **Mass Violence in America: Causes, Impacts and Solutions** – Update of the popular 2019 report to reflect the newest information and research pertaining to mass violence in America.

- **Measurement-informed Care** – An issue brief outlining the MDI’s recommended outpatient measurements.

- **Quality Measurement in Crisis Services** – An innovative new report providing a brief framework of optimal metrics to lead the mental health field in enhancing the quality of crisis systems nationally.

- **DEI Video Series** – Additional interviews were filmed for release in 2023.

- **MDI and Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinics (CCBHC) ECHO** – Planning and recruitment in progress for the learning collaborative launching in April 2023.