

# **Four Key Measures #3: Increasing the Number of People with Mental Illnesses Connected to Treatment**

October 2018

# THE STEPPING UP INITIATIVE



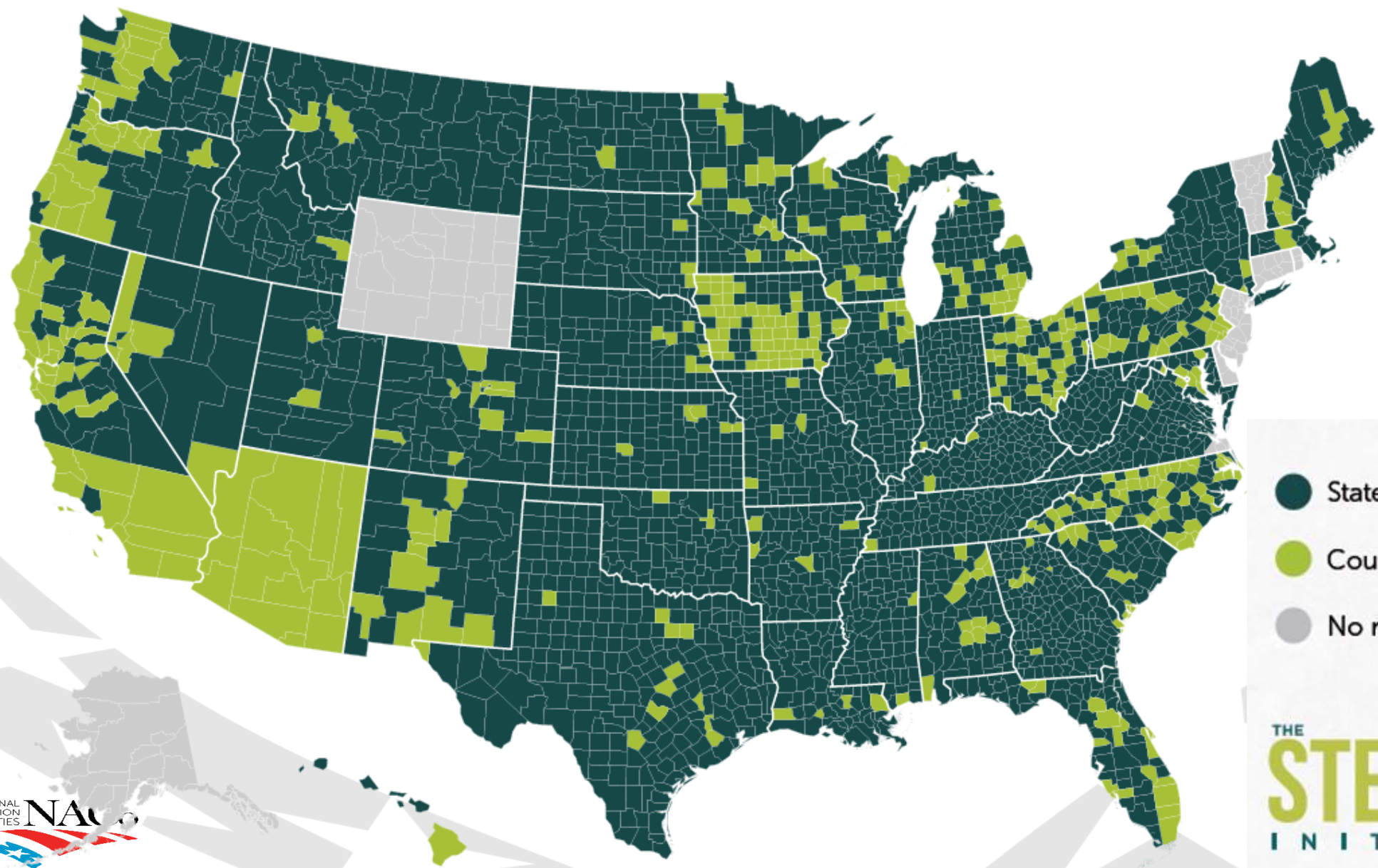
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# We are Stepping Up!



- States with county resolutions
- Counties with resolutions
- No resolutions



THE  
**STEPPINGUP**  
INITIATIVE

# Stepping Up Resources Toolkit



Monthly webinars and networking calls



A project coordinator handbook



Educational workshops at NACo and partner conferences



Guidance on measuring the number of people with mental illnesses in jail



Quarterly calls of smaller networking groups of rural, mid-size and large/urban counties that have passed Stepping Up resolutions



Written and online tools that are companions to the *Six Questions* report that present the latest research and case studies for county officials

# Latest Resources

## Project Coordinator Handbook

### Reducing the Number of People with Mental Illnesses in Jail: Six Questions County Leaders Need to Ask The Project Coordinator's Handbook

#### Choosing a *Stepping Up* Project Coordinator

Determining who will serve as the project coordinator is the first step for a jurisdiction in the *Stepping Up* planning process. A criminal justice coordinator can fill this role, if that position already exists. If not, the county can contract for these services, or the county planning team can designate someone to serve in this role—such as a staff member from the jail, behavioral health care provider, or community supervision agency—in addition to that person's regular duties. The person selected should have knowledge of the local criminal justice and behavioral health systems, have excellent facilitation and organizational skills, and demonstrate the ability to proactively drive the planning process to ensure progress.

This handbook is designed to complement the [Reducing the Number of People with Mental Illnesses in Jail: Six Questions County Leaders Need to Ask](#) (Six Questions) framework as a step-by-step facilitation guide for project coordinators. For each of the framework's six questions, this handbook provides:

- A summary of the question and its related objectives for the planning team;
- Facilitation tips to assist the project coordinator in managing the planning process; and
- Facilitation exercises designed to achieve objectives and establish an efficient process for capturing the work of the planning team.

#### The Role of the Project Coordinator

Your role as the project coordinator is critical to the success of your county's *Stepping Up* efforts. It is the project coordinator who ensures that key leaders are engaged, manages meeting agendas and minutes, coordinates subcommittee work, provides research and data to guide the decision-making process, and continuously motivates the planning team.

This handbook is designed to help you manage your county's planning process. It will guide and systematize the flow of your work as you develop meeting agendas and decide how best to utilize members of the planning team. Other members of the planning team may benefit from having access to this handbook, especially those who are providing facilitation support, such as leading subcommittee work. You are not required to fill out or submit this handbook to the *Stepping Up* partners.

Additional complementary training materials are available through the [Stepping Up Toolkit](#), including webinars, briefs that provide information and guidance for applying the Six Questions, and other [resources](#).



## Online County Self-Assessment

The screenshot shows the login page for the Stepping Up Initiative. It features a 'Welcome' message, a 'Sign In' section with fields for 'E-Mail Address' and 'Password', and a 'Create Your Account' button. A red arrow points to the 'Create Your Account' button.

The screenshot shows the 'TAKE ASSESSMENT' results page. It displays a progress bar for 'Question 6' and a 'Results' section. The results are summarized as follows:

Question	You	Others	Total Steps
Overall	45%	42%	60
1. Is our leadership committed?	100%	50%	6
2. Do we conduct timely screening and assessments?	98%	41%	12
3. Do we have baseline data?	46%	41%	22
4. Have we conducted a comprehensive process analysis and inventory of services?	42%	38%	4
5. Have we prioritized policy, practice, and funding improvements?	27%	41%	9
6. Do we track progress?	67%	43%	7

Red arrows point to the 'Others' bars for questions 1, 2, 3, and 4, with the text 'See where other counties stand in implementation progress'.

## Series of Briefs

The screenshot shows the title page of a brief titled 'IN FOCUS IMPLEMENTING MENTAL HEALTH SCREENING AND ASSESSMENT'. It includes the Stepping Up Initiative logo and a sidebar with a quote: 'Stepping Up is a national initiative to reduce the number of people who have mental illnesses in jails. Counties that have joined Stepping Up are using the initiative's framework document, [Reducing the Number of People with Mental Illnesses in Jail: Six Questions County Leaders Need to Ask](#) (Six Questions), to guide them in creating collaborative partnerships in their jurisdictions, systematically identifying people who have mental illnesses in their jails, and using data to inform systems-level changes and strategic plans to track progress over time. This brief is one of a series of companion products designed to provide counties with further guidance on how to apply the Six Questions framework. For key resources related to Stepping Up, including case studies, webinars, and network calls, visit the [Stepping Up Toolkit](#).'

#### WHY IT'S IMPORTANT

To reduce the number of people who have SMI in jails, counties need to have a clear and accurate understanding of the size of the population that has SMI. Prior to being booked into jail, some people who have SMI may never have been diagnosed and may be unaware of their mental illness, while others may have been diagnosed with a mental illness and received but discontinued treatment. Screening and assessment are essential to identifying who should be connected or reconnected to services and treatment to address their behavioral health needs, which may also decrease the likelihood that they return to jail. Having this information will make counties better able to determine the treatment resources required to address this population's behavioral health needs. Moreover, having the ability to accurately and consistently identify the number of people who have SMI will help counties to track progress toward their goals.

#### WHY IT'S CHALLENGING

Implementing a screening and assessment process can be difficult, especially for counties that do not already have the staff, tools, and procedures in place to systematically conduct these activities. Jails are fast-paced environments; with many people being released in less than 48 hours, there is little time to complete screenings and assessments.

1. This brief does not include detailed information about additional screenings and assessments for suicide, substance addiction, and criminogenic risk, which are also beneficial to complete at the time of booking into jail to best match people with other services they need. For additional information on targeting resources based on behavioral health needs and criminogenic risk factors, refer to [Adults with Behavioral Health Needs Under Correctional Supervision: A Shared Framework for Reducing Recidivism and Promoting Recovery](#).

# Upcoming Stepping Up Activities



**Webinar:**  
**Stepping Up Four Key Measures #4:**  
**Reducing Recidivism for People with**  
**Mental Illness in Jails**  
**December 12, 2pm ET**  
**Register at: [StepUpTogether.org/Toolkit](https://StepUpTogether.org/Toolkit)**



**Stepping Up Small Network Calls**  
**Next Calls in November/December**  
**Email [nwalsh@naco.org](mailto:nwalsh@naco.org) to join**

# Speaker: Maria Fryer



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Policy Advisor: Substance Abuse and Mental Health  
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Office of Justice Programs  
U.S. Department of Justice



# Today's Webinar



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Calaveras County, Calif.

Tim DeWeese  
Director, Mental Health Center  
Johnson County, Kan.



Jacqueline Landess, MD, JD  
Assistant Professor of Psychiatry  
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St. Louis University School of Medicine





## Sub-Measures for Key Measure Three

### Main Measure: Percentage of people with mental illness connected to community-based mental health treatment and services upon release

Suggested Sub-Measures	Suggested Data Source
The percentage of people who have mental illness who are connected to community-based behavioral health services upon release by release type	Request data from the jail and the community behavioral health provider to perform a data match (additional information may come from community supervision)
The percentage of people who have mental illness on community supervision by release type	Request data from the community supervision provider (i.e., probation)
A comparison of the two sub-measures above to equivalent data for the general population, including demographic and criminogenic information (age, gender, race/ethnicity, offense type/level, etc.)	Request data from the jail, community supervision provider and community-based behavioral health provider

# Speaker: Kristin Brinks



Kristin Brinks  
Director, Health and Human Services  
Calaveras County, Calif.

# Increasing the Number of People with Mental Illness Connected to Treatment

Calaveras County Health and Human Services Agency  
Kristin Brinks, Director

# Calaveras County


- 133 miles east of San Francisco and 69 miles south of Sacramento.
- Small rural county, with a population of 45,670.
- Over 1,000 square miles with more than 80% of residents living in unincorporated communities along the main travel corridors. Much of Calaveras is mountainous, accessed by two-lane roads with minimal public transportation to government agencies in the county seat of San Andreas.

## County Demographics:

81.2%	White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	26.9%	Over 65 Years Old
0.9%	African American	13.1%	Live Below the Poverty Level
1.9%	American Indian/Alaska Native	18,060	Households, 2011–2015
1.7%	Asian American	4,808	Veterans, 2011–2015
0.3%	Hawaiian	\$30,577	Per capita money income in 2016
12.1%	Hispanic/Latino		dollars, 2012–2016
3.8%	Reporting 2 or More Races	\$53,502	Median household income, 2012–2016

# Calaveras County

## County Challenges:

- In September of 2015, the Butte Fire burned 70,760 acres and 900 homes and structures were destroyed.
  - Calaveras County has a federal designation as a Mental Health Professional Shortage Area (MHPSA). These are areas with a shortage of clinical psychologists, clinical social workers, psychiatric nurse specialists, marriage and family therapists, and/or psychiatrists.
  - Remote areas face transportation challenges, leading to increased isolation for Calaveras residents.
  - Relative to the State of California, Calaveras County has a higher concentration of persons aged 65 and older (26.9% in Calaveras compared to 15.6% in the state overall).
  - A lack of vocational programs, community college, or university limits locally available training and higher education.
  - Factors that adversely affect low income residents living in Calaveras County include lack of affordable housing, food insecurity, and access to local medical and dental services.
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# Calaveras County Adult Detention Facility

▶ Total # of Jail Beds:	160
▶ Total current allowable inmate population (based upon medical contract):	100
▶ Ave. Daily inmate population: (January–September 2018)	90.3
▶ Incarceration total cost per day/inmate:	\$117.00

## Monthly averages from January 1 to September 30, 2018

▶ # <i>Open</i> mental health cases:	35
▶ # <i>New</i> mental health cases:	24.6
▶ # of inmates on medications:	37.5
▶ % of inmates on medications:	42.7%
▶ # of inmates on psychotropic medications:	20.4
▶ % of inmates on psychotropic medications:	17.7%
▶ 1 <sup>st</sup> thru 3 <sup>rd</sup> qtr. 2018 psychotropic med costs (total):	\$9,123.59
▶ # of Behavioral Health worker in-custody visits:	62
▶ # of Tele-Psychiatric contacts:	22.4

# Services Provided in the Adult Detention Facility

Everyone who comes into the Adult Detention Facility receives a Mental Health screening.

## Behavioral Health Staffing:

- ▶ 1 Licensed Mental Health Clinician in Jail
- ▶ 1 Mental Health Clinician at the Day Reporting Center (DRC)
- ▶ 1.5 Alcohol/Substance Abuse Counselor
- ▶ 1 Case Manager (Triage/Crisis)

## Services provided include:

- One-on-one and group therapy
- Yoga/meditation groups
- Expressive art therapy groups
- Group based substance use disorder treatment
- Seeking Safety (an evidence-based, present-focused counseling model to help people attain safety from trauma and/or substance abuse)
- Eye Movement Desensitization and Reprocessing (EMDR) (a psychotherapy that enables people to heal from the symptoms and emotional distress that are the result of disturbing life experiences)

# Services Provided in the Adult Detention Facility

–Weekly walk-throughs by the Licensed Mental Health Clinician through the Adult Detention Facility with the Sergeant to assess the health and wellness of mentally ill inmates followed by discussion with medical personnel.

–Adult Detention Facility medical must see inmates within 14 days of booking. If staff identify that an inmate may have mental health needs and/or are on medications, they are seen more promptly to mitigate potential lapses in treatment.

Additional services include:

- Computer classes and GED preparation
- Strengthening families parenting workshops
- Anger management
- Connection to public benefits (Medi-Cal, CalFresh, CalWORKs, General Assistance, etc.)

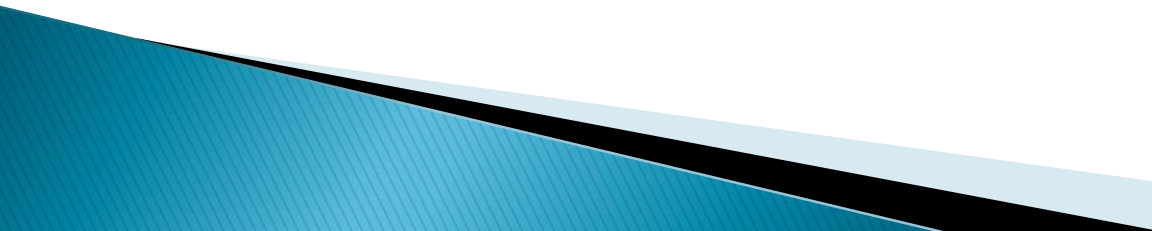


# On the Horizon

## Program:

- ▶ Health rhythms drumming (coming soon)
- ▶ Individual and Group Wellness Recovery Action Plan (WRAP) services

## Data Collection

- Length of stay
  - Client reported barriers
  - Services provided
  - Continued engagement in services post- incarceration
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# Program Referrals by Referral Year

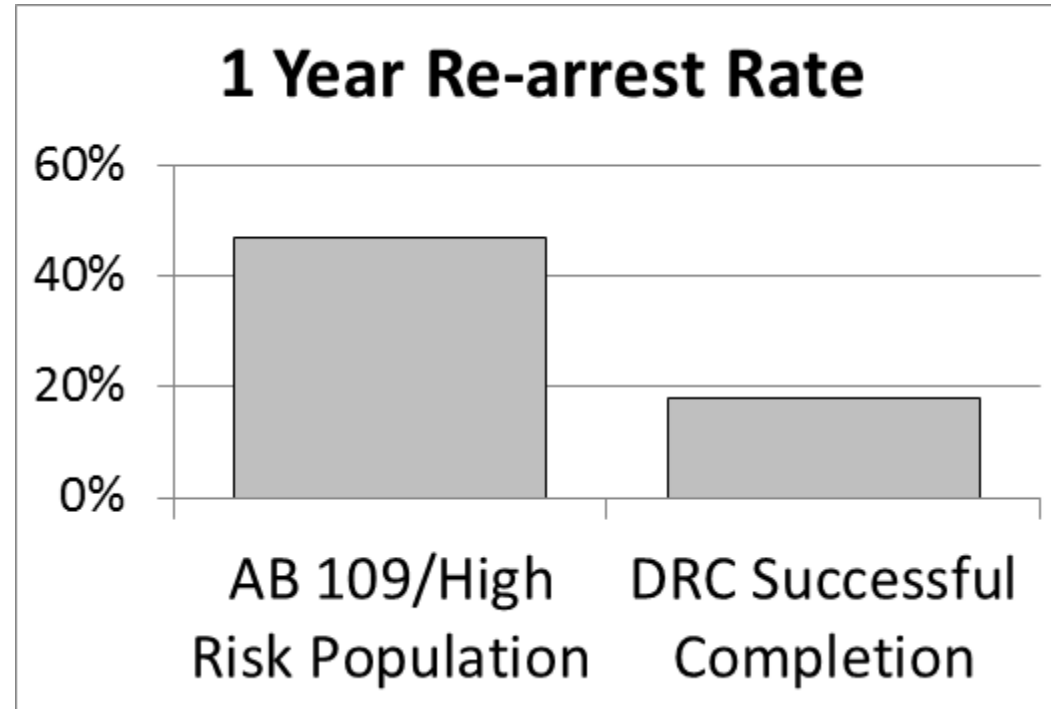
Program	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018*	Total
Anger Management	8	16	18	40	31	18	131
Anger Management (DRC)	0	0	23	27	17	22	89
Mental Health	6	7	23	38	52	19	145
Mental Health (DRC)	0	0	11	25	23	24	83
Mental Health Court	0	0	0	0	2	5	7
Substance Abuse	39	64	60	128	89	60	440
Substance Abuse (DRC)	2	10	39	43	36	33	163
<b>Total</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>1058</b>

\*2018 not a full year of data yet.

# The “Weaving” Approach

- ▶ Clinicians, Case Managers, Alcohol/Substance Abuse Counselors provide individual and group services in-custody and out of custody.
  - Builds trust with outpatient/out of custody services.
  - Client is further along in their treatment plan as the leave incarceration.
  - Criminal justice Behavioral Health staff communicate with Clinic Behavioral Health staff to ensure continuity of care.

# Statistics



Preliminarily, we believe that engagement in services, including Behavioral Health Services, through the DRC decreases recidivism.

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## Stepping Up Four Key Measures #3:

Increasing the Number of People with Mental Illnesses

Connected to Treatment

October 25, 2018



# About Johnson County, Kansas



**20**  
cities



**17**  
municipal  
& county law  
enforcement  
agencies



**1,100**  
jail beds



**760**  
avg. daily  
jail population





**Goal:** To provide research-based direction to develop an actionable plan that makes more effective use of budgets, facilitates access to mental health treatment, and promotes appropriate alternatives to incarceration

- In April 2015, the Board of County Commissioners passed a County resolutions to join the National Stepping Up initiative.
- Johnson County (KS) was one of the first four (4) counties nation-wide to engage in the Stepping Up initiative.
- In May 2018 Johnson County (KS) was identified as one of seven “Innovator” counties nation-wide.

# Power of Data

## Justice Information Management System (JIMS)

**John Doe** \*\* MULTIPLE ARRESTS \*\*

Name: [REDACTED]  
Race: W Sex: M DOB: [REDACTED] Bk Time: [REDACTED] @ 16:00  
CPN #: [REDACTED] Booking #: [REDACTED] Ref Time: [REDACTED] @ 11:00 PD: [REDACTED] [Exit]

ROA Def Info Documents Charges Court Events

Main **Outreach Info** Booking Refresh

Cases (1)

No.	Date Added	Case No.	Bill To	Charge / Description	Type	Level
1	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	JCSO	[REDACTED] - FORGERY	F	6

Photo Date: 06/02/2018

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## My Resource Connection (MyRC)

The image shows a hand icon pointing towards a tablet and a desktop monitor. The desktop monitor displays the My Resource Connection website. The website header includes the logo and the tagline "Collaborating for Success - A resource provided by Johnson County, Kansas". Below the header, there is a "Quick Services Search" bar and a "News" section with several news items dated June 1, 2012.

# Justice Information Management System (JIMS)



# My Resource Connection

*Collaborating  
for Success*



**My Resource Connection**  
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A resource hosted by Johnson County, Kansas

Home Services Jobs Apartments Map

Quick Services Search ?

Go

Common Searches:

• Event -

placement

ancies

News ▾

- Wish to speak with an individual who can direct you to the various health and human services you might need? Call **Johnson County's OneAssist** at **913-715-8989**.
- Have a news item you would like to contribute? Please [send it to us](#) and we will post it here.
- Wish to be notified of news items soon after they are posted? [Send us your email address](#).

June 1, 2017

**Capitol Federal Savings Bank is hiring!** Apply online at [www.capfed.com/careers](http://www.capfed.com/careers). [More info...](#)

June 1, 2017

Do you need a **personal care attendant for an I/DD youth**? Ohndrea Rodgers is looking for an attendant care opportunity with I/DD youth. If you are interested, please contact her at **816-372-7197** or **3056927@gmail.com**. [More info...](#)

June 1, 2017

**Great Wolf Lodge (10401 Cabela Dr., Kansas City, KS) is hiring** multiple positions! Applicants may [apply online](#). [More info...](#)

June 1, 2017

**The Autism Training Program**, organized by [Kansas Center for Autism Research and Training](#) will take place at [University of Kansas Medical Center \(3901 Rainbow Blvd., Kansas City, KS\)](#) on these dates: March 20-24; April 13/14, 20/21, 27/28; May 15-19; and June 12-16. [More info...](#)

June 1, 2017



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AIMS-Notification <myrc@jocogov.org>

MyRC Alert for Coleman, Kelsey (MNH) regarding Johnson County Sheriff Bookings and Releases

To Coleman, Kelsey, MNH

Cc Murphy, Jessica, MNH; MNH-Med Records

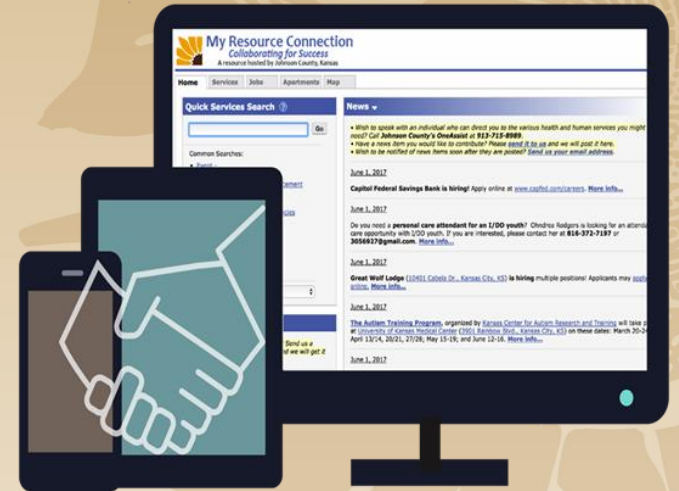
Bing Maps

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The Johnson County Sheriff recently booked and/or released the following client:

**Client Initials: PA (MYAVATAR System ID: 45049)** ← Click on link to view in MyRC

Alert: Client booked Jul 17 2018 6:14PM -- currently in custody



**My Resource Connection**  
Collaborating for Success

A resource hosted by Johnson County, Kansas

Home Clients Services Jobs Apartments Map

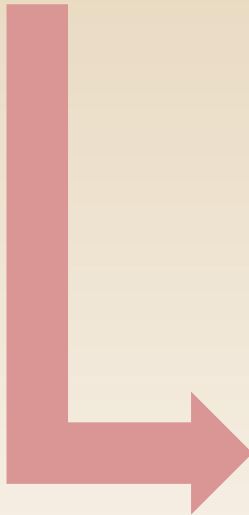
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+ 260000020	A███, P███	02-██	██	Male	White	OLATHEPD/Mental Health
+ 160037195	███	02-██	██	Male	WHITE	KDOC/PAROLE
+ 270001208	███	02-██	██	Male	White	SHR/Detention
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# Using Data to Connect People to Services

Creates new opportunities



We're able  
**to identify  
residents  
who likely  
struggle**



We have  
**opportunity  
to engage  
at-risk  
persons**



We can  
**improve the  
coordination  
of care**

# University of Chicago

## Data Science for Social Good



### Using data to connect people to needed services

- Project focuses on reducing recidivism and improving outcomes for people with complex health needs.
- Johnson County, Kansas partnered with DSSG in 2016 to better predict the likelihood of re-entry into the criminal justice system for people who had previously interacted with both the mental health and criminal justice systems.
- This year, Johnson County expanded our access to data from police departments and public health centers to improve these predictions.

# Brief Jail Mental Health Screen

**BRIEF JAIL MENTAL HEALTH SCREEN**

Section 1  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Detainee #: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_ AM  
PM

Section 2

Questions	No	Yes	General Comments
1. Do you <i>currently</i> believe that someone can control your mind by putting thoughts into your head or taking thoughts out of your head?			
2. Do you <i>currently</i> feel that other people know your thoughts and can read your mind?			
3. Have you <i>currently</i> lost or gained as much as two pounds a week for several weeks without even trying?			
4. Have you or your family or friends noticed that you are <i>currently</i> much more active than you usually are?			
5. Do you <i>currently</i> feel like you have to talk or move more slowly than you usually do?			
6. Have there <i>currently</i> been a few weeks when you felt like you were useless or sinful?			
7. Are you <i>currently</i> taking any medication prescribed for you by a physician for any emotional or mental health problems?			
8. Have you <i>ever</i> been in a hospital for emotional or mental health problems?			

Section 3 (Optional)  
Officer's Comments/Impressions (check all that apply):  
 Language barrier  Under the influence of drugs/alcohol  Non-cooperative  
 Difficulty understanding questions  Other, specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Referral Instructions: This detainee should be referred for further mental health evaluation if he/she answered:  
• YES to item 7; OR  
• YES to item 8; OR  
• YES to at least 2 of items 1 through 6; OR  
• If you feel it is necessary for any other reason

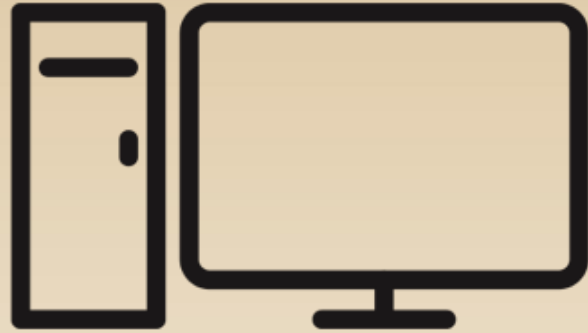
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Person completing screen \_\_\_\_\_

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- Conducted by jail staff at intake
- It is not considered protected health information (a person cannot self diagnose)
- We attempt to screen every detainee booked



# Booking & Release Processes



Screen results  
entered in JIMS

**by the  
Sheriff's Office**

Flagged referrals  
are stored in the  
JIMS application  
& accessed  
when released  
from jail



Upon release from jail, mental  
health staff **look up each  
person in Electronic  
Medical Record (EMR)**

# Outreach Efforts



JIMS Application  
provides  
real-time notification  
of release

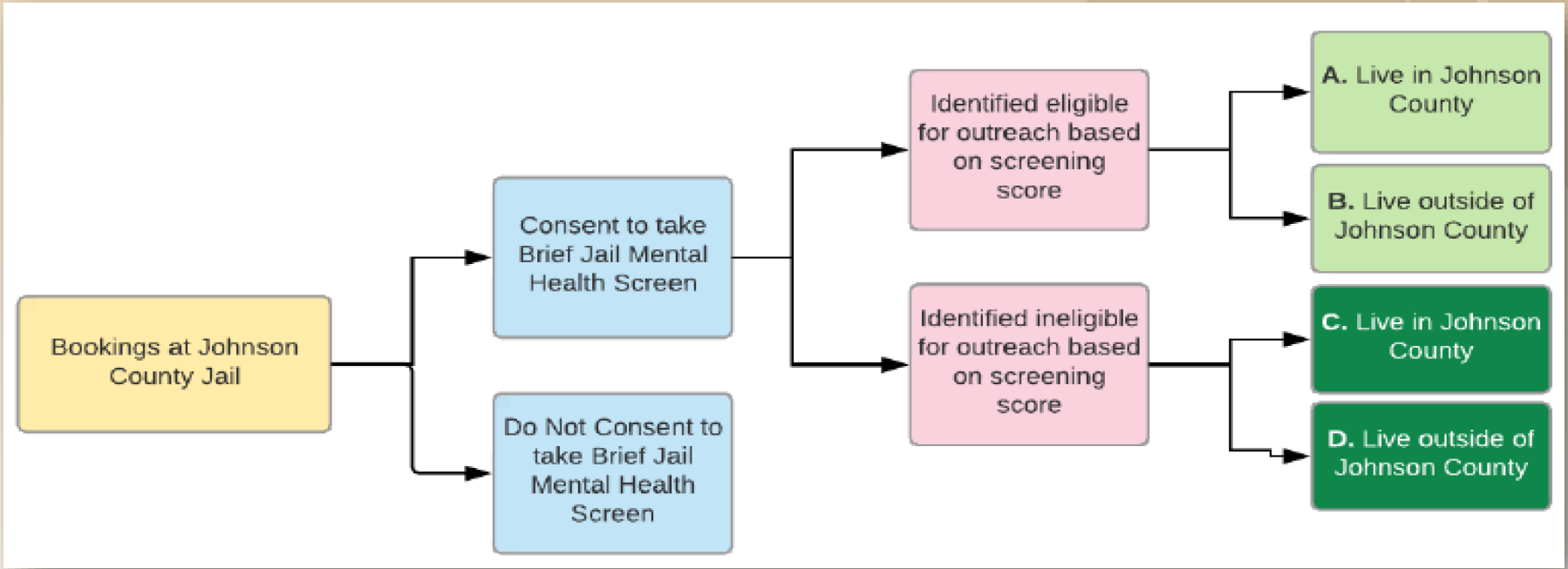
## Our goals:

- Two outreach calls to flagged individual within 72 hours of release
- First outreach within 24 hours of release
- Face-to-face, when deemed necessary

# Next Steps: Research Evaluation



Notre Dame's Lab for Economic Opportunities is conducting a quasi experimental evaluation of the Brief Jail Mental Health Screen and Outreach in Johnson County.



# Thank you!



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# INTRODUCTION



St Louis County Jail  
Clayton, MO

- St Louis Co Jail
  - 1200-1500 population
  - >15,000 processed annually
  - ~15-30% with SMI
- Mental Health Team
  - 1-2 psychiatrists
  - 1 psychologist
  - 1-2 social workers
- St. Louis University's Role

# OVERVIEW

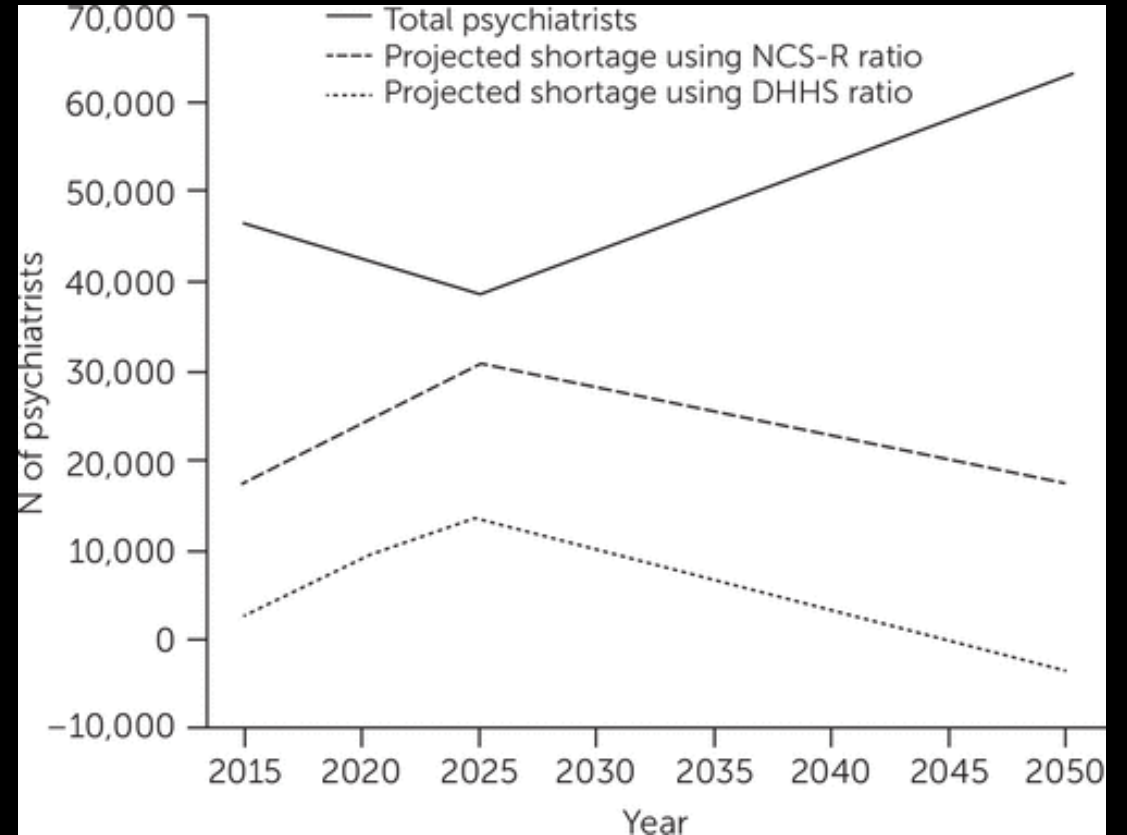
- Psychiatrist Shortage
  - National & Local Impact
- Recruitment/Retention in Corrections
- Integrating Psychiatry in Corrections





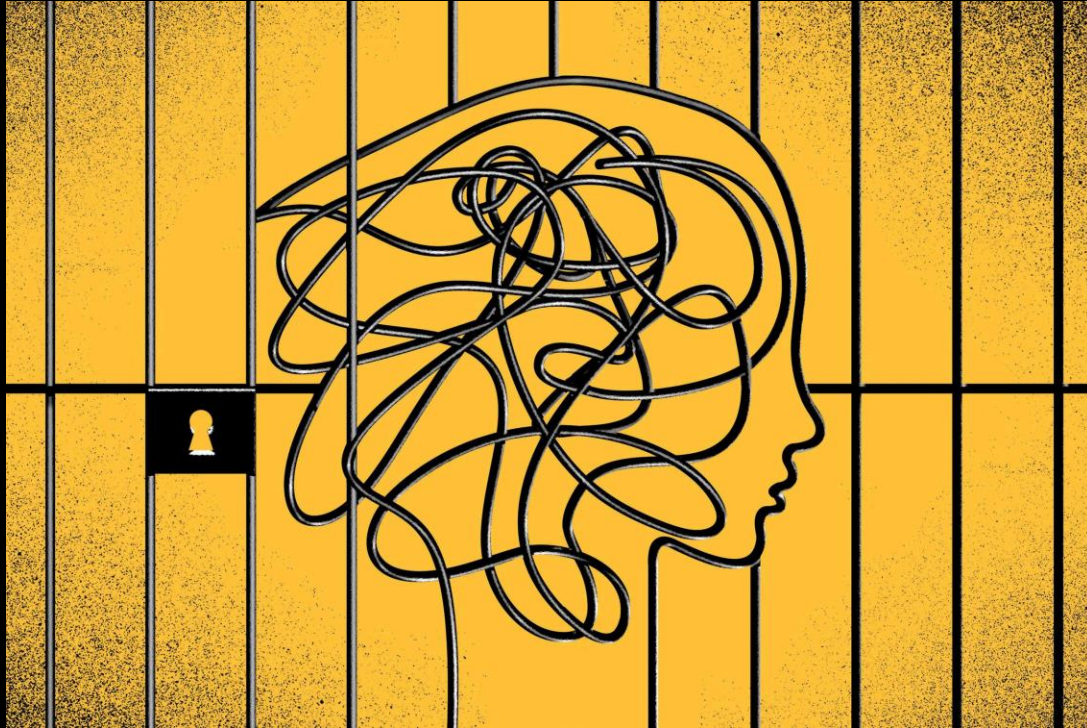
# THE NEED FOR PSYCHIATRISTS

- By 2024- shortage of 31, 000
  - 55% > age 55 (AAMC)
  - No increased entry
- Other Challenges
  - Stigma
    - Less valued sub specialty
  - Salary
    - Loans & Reimbursement
    - Private Payors
  - Clustering in Urban Areas
    - 41% in CA, NY, PA, TX, FL
    - MO: 61% counties=no psychiatrist



A Satiani et al. Projected Workforce of Psychiatrists in the United States: A Population Analysis. Psychiatric Services. Epub March 2018.

# PSYCHIATRISTS IN CORRECTIONS



- Shortage nationally, even tougher in corrections
- Why?
  - Remote Locations & Logistics
  - Perception about Patients
  - Perception about Environment
  - Confidentiality
  - Safety
  - Lack of Resources

# APA RESOURCE DOCUMENT (2016)

WHY SHOULD MORE PSYCHIATRISTS PARTICIPATE IN THE TREATMENT OF PATIENTS IN JAILS AND PRISONS?

- High number of patients with acute needs
- Education of trainees
- Administrative Opportunities
- Systems Change
- What Type of Psychiatrist?
  - “[Because of inherent challenges in the correctional environment] this requires that a psychiatrist have a strong mission for patient care, a deep respect for clinical excellence, a desire to improve the human condition, and a capacity for work within a complex system.”

# THAT'S THE WHY BUT WHAT ABOUT THE HOW?

- Salary, Lifestyle....
- Perception/vision
  - “Just a prescriber” vs.
  - Leader/Innovator/Member of Team
- Attitude toward mental health
- Support from administration
- You CAN practice evidence based medicine



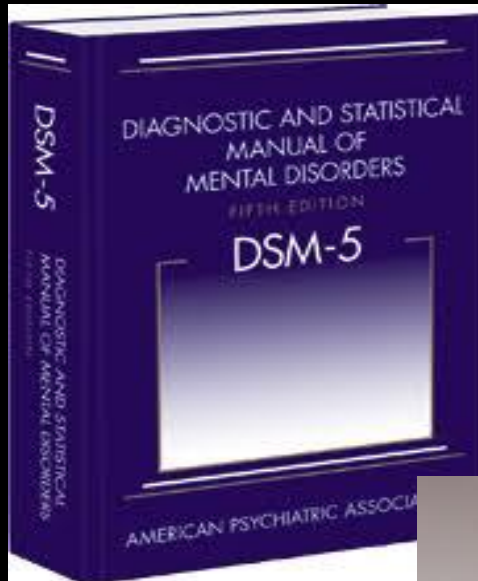
# INCREASING INTEGRATION

- Team Meetings
  - M&M, weekly interdisciplinary rounds, discharge planning
- QI projects
  - Suicide
  - SMI Screening
  - Discharge Planning
- Education Programs
- Community Liaison



# TYPES OF PARTNERSHIPS

## THE FORENSIC PSYCHIATRIST IN CORRECTIONS



- Forensic Psychiatry Fellowship
  - 4 year general psychiatry + 1 year
  - Forensic evaluations
  - State hospital experience
  - Correctional experience
- Benefit of Forensic Background
  - Unique knowledge of systems
  - Experience working in jail/prison
  - Understanding of legal process

# TYPES OF PARTNERSHIPS: ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS<sup>1</sup>



- Involvement of Trainees
- Enhances Recruitment & Education
- Diverse Perspectives
- Research Opportunities

<sup>1</sup>Appelbaum KL et al. A University-State-Corporation Partnership for Providing Mental Health Services. *Psych Serv.* (2002); Trestman RL et al. The Compelling Case for Academic Health Centers Partnering with Correctional Facilities. *Academic Medicine* (2015).

# TYPES OF PARTNERSHIPS



- Telepsychiatry
- Collaborative Care/Consultant
- Role of APNs/PAs
- Locums



# SUMMARY



- Shortage of psychiatrists
- Innovative ways to increase recruitment into jails/prisons
- Opportunities to help change the system, to lead and to educate
- Consider academic affiliations

# Questions



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# Upcoming Stepping Up Activities



**Webinar:**  
**Stepping Up Four Key Measures #4:**  
**Reducing Recidivism for People with**  
**Mental Illness in Jails**  
**December 12, 2pm ET**  
**Register at: [StepUpTogether.org/Toolkit](https://StepUpTogether.org/Toolkit)**



**Stepping Up Small Network Calls**  
**Next Calls in November/December**  
**Email [nwalsh@naco.org](mailto:nwalsh@naco.org) to join**

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