

SFY 18 Gaps and Needs Analysis

Sub-Committee/Topic	Needs/Barriers	Goal	Timeline to Accomplish Goals <i>(If goal has been identified, but deferred to a subsequent year, please enter "Deferred")</i>	Action Plan <i>(optional)</i>	Accomplishments	Goal Achieved
Adult Behavioral Health	Lack of knowledge about resources in region 2	Develop comprehensive community guide	1a. Provide information about community resources at committee meetings. 1b. Update resources at committee meetings. 1c. Quarterly review of list of resources.	Get current guides from throughout region, put together and supplement.	Guides being collated. Additional resources being sought.	
	Lack of public awareness	Increase participation & support from community	2a. Invite programs to keep Board informed. 2b. Reach out to Programs to gather information about needs. 2c. Solicit ideas as to ways to get people connected. 2d. Annual awareness event in September. 2e. Involve NAMI		Hands Across the Bridge National Recovery Month being supported. Recovery Festival held in September in Latah County. Programs being invited regularly to present to BHB.	In Progress
	Inadequate number of Certified Prevention Specialists	Increase CPS by one in 2017	3a. Identify possible CPS candidates. 3b. Train CPS candidate.		CPS position added to the Region 2 Behavioral Health Board. CPS applied for a grant and subcommittee was created.	✓
	Limited access to care & services	a. Increase BHB awareness of funding changes/trends.	4a. Formal presentation to BHB.		Grant applied for prevention.	✓
		b. Increase access to transportation in rural areas.	4b. Network with potential transportation providers.			
	Crisis Response	Establish "Mental Health and You" Phone App	Acquire resources for Phone App in FY 18-19		Optum and Idaho Association of Counties are working together to identify and secure resources needed for start-up	In Progress
Children's Mental Health	Lack of Respite Care for Families of Children with SED	Recruit organizations to provide Group Respite Care		Met with a number of organizations in effort to recruit for Respite Care Services	A to Z Counseling in Orofino became Group Respite Provider	✓
Crisis Center	Access to BH Crisis Services across Region	Obtain State funding to launch Rural Crisis Project	Start of FY19 (July 2018)	Finalize Proposal and submit to state for approval of funding	Funding Approved to begin FY19	✓
			July 2018	Contract for state funding signed with DHW	In Process	
			June 2018	Meetings with Hospitals to update them on status	Held Meetings in May 2018	✓
			August 2018	Meetings with Counties to update them on status	Written communication out to Counties in August 2018	✓
			July 2018	Applications for Project Manager taken	Position posted and applications accepted in July-Aug 2018	✓

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Housing Committee	Affordable housing in rural areas	Find a landlord to establish a Sober House in Orofino	8/2017- 10/2018	Contact Austin Archambeau with Rising Sun.		✓
	Veterans Housing	Develop model grant proposal for housing program for Veterans with mental illness and substance abuse disorders.	8/2018 - 10/2018	One or more potential proposals written by BSU Graduate Students.		In Progress
	Homeless Shelter in Lewiston	Involve local agencies, stakeholders and the ROC in development of a plan for a shelter	8/2018 - 10/2018	Schedule a community meeting and develop an action plan.		In Progress
Telehealth Committee	Increase flow availability of TeleHealth info in Region 2	Inform Behavioral Health Board on new developments in TeleHealth	FY2018	Identify resources for information regarding TeleHealth	Subcommittee identified several sources of information on Tele Behavioral Health	✓
				Report to Region 2 Behavioral Health Board new developments in field of Tele Behavioral Health	In Progress	