

Region II Family Leadership Action Plan

Strategic Goal: Development of a Regional Partnership Team

Action Priorities/ Objectives	Action Strategies/Steps	Potential Outcomes	Considerations	Resources Required	Key Implementation Partners	Date To Be Accomplished	Current Status
<i>Major overarching objective that will help achieve goal</i>	<i>Key action steps necessary to achieve objective</i>	<i>Broad expected outcome if objective is achieved</i>	<i>Issues, opportunities, barriers that could impact achievement of the objective</i>	<i>Human and financial resources needed to achieve & implement action steps</i>	<i>Groups, agencies & individuals who are key to the successful implementation of the objective</i>		
Develop a cross section of regional representation of parent/caregiver leaders through outreach and engagement in the region	<p>Presentations: Public Events Conferences Organization trainings Public/Private entities Individual Outreach via phone, email</p> <p>Publications: Website Development of Regional Brochure Calendar of Events</p>	<p>Parent/Caregivers actively participate in the regional partnership team.</p> <p>Parent/caregiver trainings offered to encourage education of mental health issues in families & the impact it has.</p>	<p>Geographical constraints</p> <p>Communication Language Culture Education Level</p> <p>Stigma</p> <p>Silo(ed) services</p>	<p>~Offer travel incentives ~Gas card ~Food/Snacks ~Child care ~Carpool ~Technology Webinars Conf. calls GoTo Meeting Skype ~Accommodations to specific needs i.e. interpreter ~Family stories ~Utilization of existing resources</p>	<p>~Statewide coordinator ~Regional Coordinator ~Parent/Caregiver ~Existing Regional Family Leadership Roles i.e. FCS FRD SEL PEP School Staff Peers Consumers NAMI AOK Families Etc</p>	Ongoing	4 Meetings

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Cross-section of regional representation of public/private providers of services to children ages 0-18+ through outreach & engagement	<p>Presentations: Public Events Conferences Organization trainings Public/Private entities Individual Outreach</p> <p>Publications: Website Brochures Calendar of Events</p>	<p>~Agency representatives actively participate in the regional partnership team.</p> <p>~Collaboration of resources & funding for parent/caregivers. *grant co-writing *shared existing resources *shared event planning *county to county mentoring Note – counties with a throng of resources collaborate with developing counties</p>	<p>~Budget constraints *travel costs *staffing costs</p> <p>~Lack of value for parent voice</p> <p>~Communication *language *culture *education level</p>	<p>~Technology *Webinars *Conference calls *GoTo Meeting</p> <p>~Family Stories</p> <p>~Family engagement equals increased revenue through credibility</p> <p>~Professional accountability at state/national certification level</p> <p>~Layman's language (i.e. No Acronyms)</p>	<p>~Statewide Coordinator</p> <p>~Regional Coordinator</p> <p>~Parents/Caregivers</p> <p>~Family Leaders/Advocates</p>	Ongoing	4 Meetings

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 Strategic Goal: Development of Regional Family Coalitions

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Regional community coalitions developed to create parental empowerment within all aspects of their child's mental health/well being	<p>~Establish locations for the coalitions & determine introduction strategy</p> <p>~Determine the frequency of family coalition meetings</p> <p>~Create self/youth involvement and advocacy</p>	<p>~To create a family driven system of care for the mental health community</p> <p>~Increase family voice at various levels of the mental health system</p> <p>~Successful navigation of the children's mental health system</p>	<p>~Lack of continued family engagement</p> <p>~Lack of value for parent voice</p> <p>~Communication *language *culture *education level</p> <p>~Adjustments to more convenient meeting times for families</p> <p>~Access to childcare</p> <p>~Geographical distance</p>	<p>~Collaboration of funding & resources</p> <p>~Media</p> <p>~Technology *website *online blog/networking</p>	<p>~Regional Partnership Team</p> <p>~Statewide & regional coordinators</p> <p>~Community agencies</p> <p>~Schools</p> <p>~Parents/Care givers/Extended family</p> <p>~Youth</p> <p>~Local/State media</p>	<p>Aug. 2010</p> <p>First coalition mtg. scheduled Nov. 16, 2010</p>	<p>Ongoing development</p>

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Caregiver Leadership Development	~Development of CMH (Children's Mental Health) parent/caregiver certification program ~Development of CMH Peer to Peer mentoring system ~Develop active voice in the community *Advocate for provider relations *Advocate for increase in region/county providers *Political advocacy at state level	~Create certified CMH Parent Leaders who have a toolbox of skill to assist other families in navigating the CMH system ~Network of experienced CMH Parents who are prepared to support new parents ~Provide unified parent voice at the individual/community/stat e level	~Training/CEU tracking system ~Annual renewal and/or updated training ~Lack of basic knowledge of community CMH services ~Absence of respect and acceptance of caregiver voice by CMH providers ~Cultural & communication differences ~Deficiency of skills	~Access to online training/cert ~Collaborative curriculum *ISBE *MHJJ *Early Childhood *SEL *Etc. ~Skills Training *Empathy *Knowledge *Provider relations/Training	~Parent/Caregiv ers ~Statewide coordinator ~Regional Coordinator ~Existing CMH youth service providers, i.e. *Family Consumer Spec. *FRD *SEL *PEP *School Personnel *NAMI *Families Etc.	Sept 2010	Ongoing planning & developm ent

