

Annual MHSOAC Data Forum: Transforming Access to Mental Health Data March 18, 2021

Please note: We will be recording this session to best capture input from attendees.

Introduction

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Data to inform and shape policy and practice

MHSOAC Vision is Wellbeing for All Californians.

- Building from the top down: tracking community wellness
 - Measure and track aspects of community wellness to inform strategic planning and help set priorities
- Building from the bottom up: understanding clients, programs and services
 - Measure and track who is being served, how they are served, the outcomes they achieve, and the investments being made



Criminal Justice

How do mental health, mental health program and treatment, and outcomes intersect with the criminal justice system?



Client Services Info

What is the impact and reach of MHSA-funded community mental health services?



Full-Service Partnerships

What is the impact and reach of MHSA-funded intensive mental health services in the Full-Service Partnership Program?

MHSOAC's Current Transparency Dashboards



Highlighting Differences to Understand Disparities

What are differences in program access, treatment, and utilization by demographic subgroups (e.g., gender, ethnicity/race, age)?



MHSA Programs

What are MHSA-funded mental health programs statewide?

Additional Current Transparency Dashboards



Fiscal

What are MHSA expenditures and revenue by programs and counties?



Allocation

How are MHSA funds allocated across programs and counties?

Fiscal Current Transparency Dashboards

To enhance MHSOAC's new dashboards, we need your input...

Agenda

- Data Offerings: Help us understand how you want to use the new data MHSOAC will publish (20 minutes)
- Data Assessment Deep Dive: A discussion of assessment tracking and clients served over time (15 minutes)
- Breakout Rooms: We'll unveil drafts of the new dashboards, and get your input on them. (45 minutes)
- **Open Session:** We'll stay around post-event to discuss additional input you want to share. (20 minutes)

What New Data Will Be Available?

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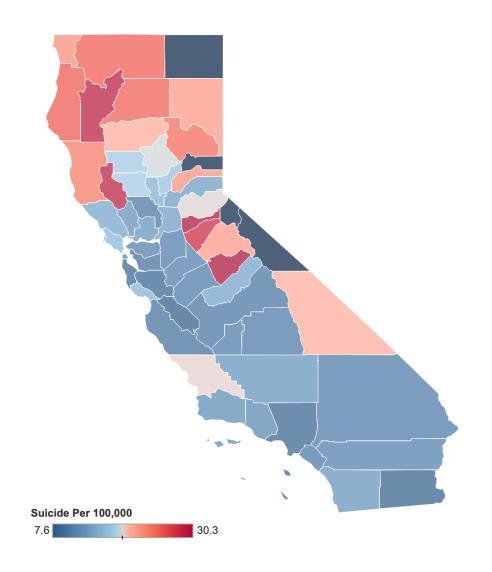
Suicide Incidence & Rate Data:

Displays information on state/county suicide incidence and rates from 2010 to 2017.

Data are available by:

- Age group
- Cause of injury
- Race/ethnicity
- Gender

Data are from the California Department of Public Health (CDPH)'s EpiCenter



Question – Suicide Incidence & Rate Data:

How would you use these data on suicide rates to inform your work? Share with us some examples.

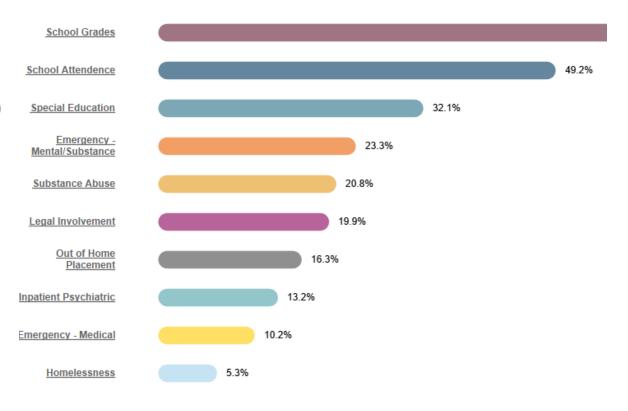
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FSP Child Indicators

% of FSP Partners that Indicate

- Homelessness
- Emergency Services (Medical & Mental)
- Inpatient Psychiatric
- Emergency Services
- Legal Involvement
- Out-of-Home Placement
- School Grades
- School Attendance
- Special Education
- Substance Abuse



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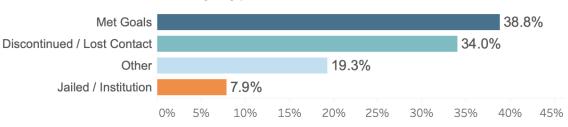
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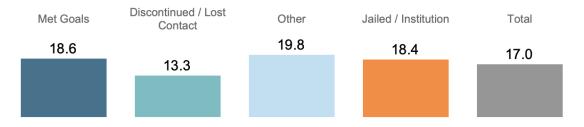
- FSP Discontinuations, by Type of Discontinuation (Met Goals, Discontinued Lost Contact, Other, Jailed/Institution)
- Average Months in FSP
- Average Length of Partnerships

All data are available at a county level.

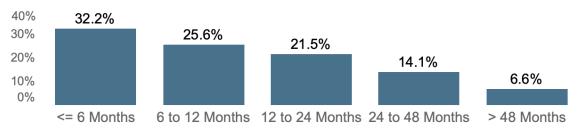
FSP Discontinuations by Type



Average Months in an FSP



Percent of Partners by Time in FSP



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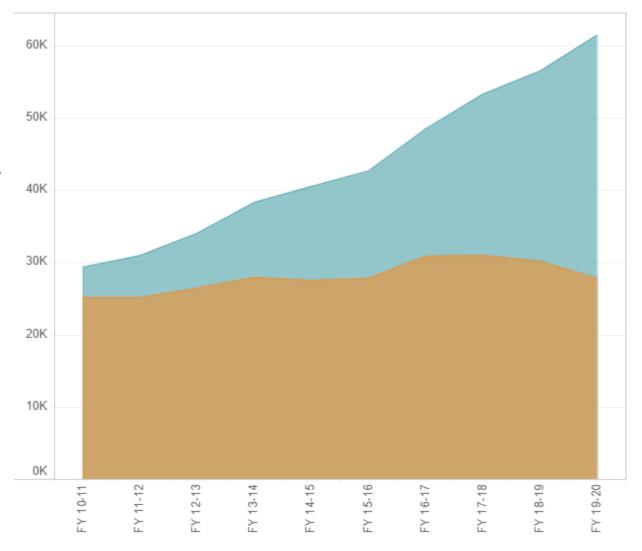
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FSP/CSI Assessment Data:

These dashboards were created in response to the Covid-19 pandemic. The primary motivation was to measure changes in MHSA clients served during the pandemic.

- What is a KET?
- 2. What is a 3M?
- 3. What are reporting requirements for FSP and CSI Services?

Partners vs. Partners with any Assessment/Key Event by Fiscal Year - California



Assessment Dashboards

Andy Krackov



Challenges with MHSA Data Reporting

What new challenges has Covid-19 introduced in collecting and submitting MHSA data?

What other challenges do counties and providers face when collecting and submitting MHSA data?

We see declines in trends in tracking and engagement for clients from communities of color. Why is that?

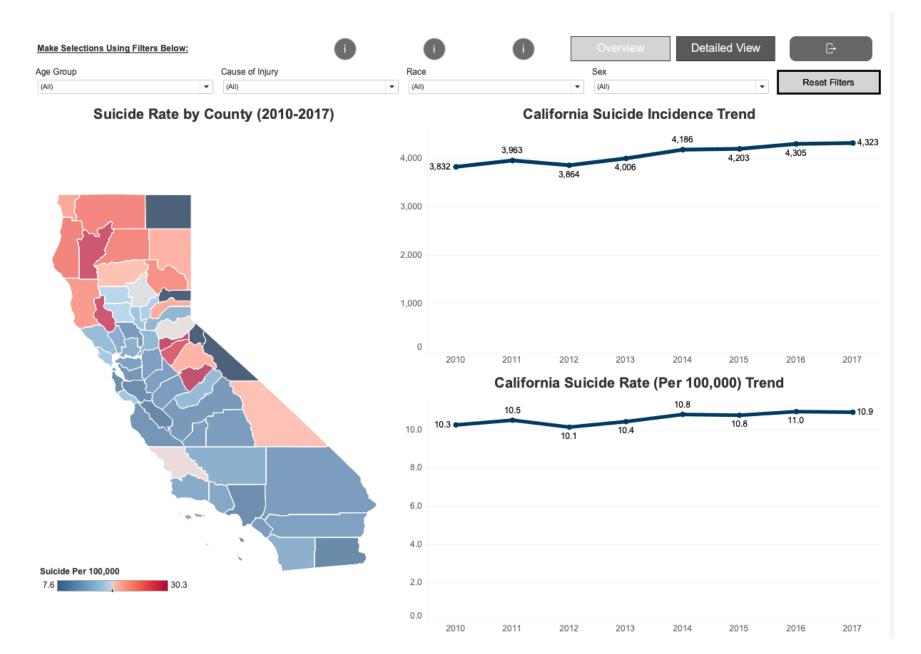
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Breakout Rooms:Reviewing Dashboard Prototypes

We'll split into four groups, each of which will have an opportunity to provide input on four drafts of dashboards.

Suicide Incidence & Rate Dashboard

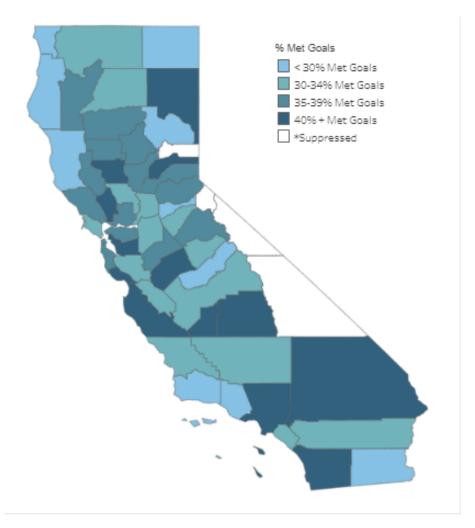


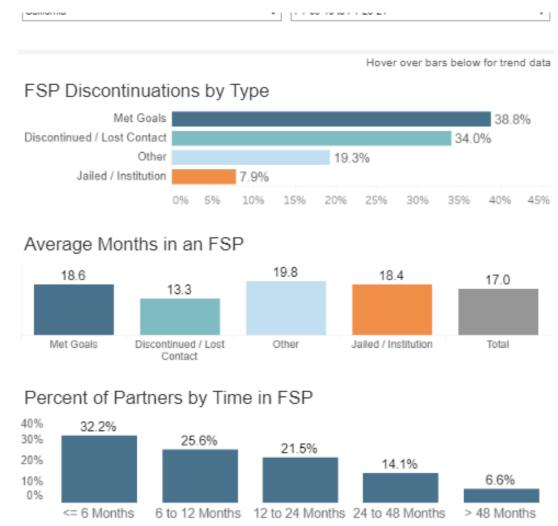
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- What functionality is important to offer?
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Reasons for Exiting a Full Service Partnership (FSP) Dashboard



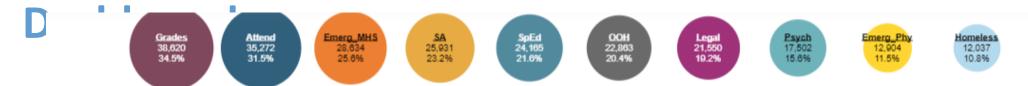


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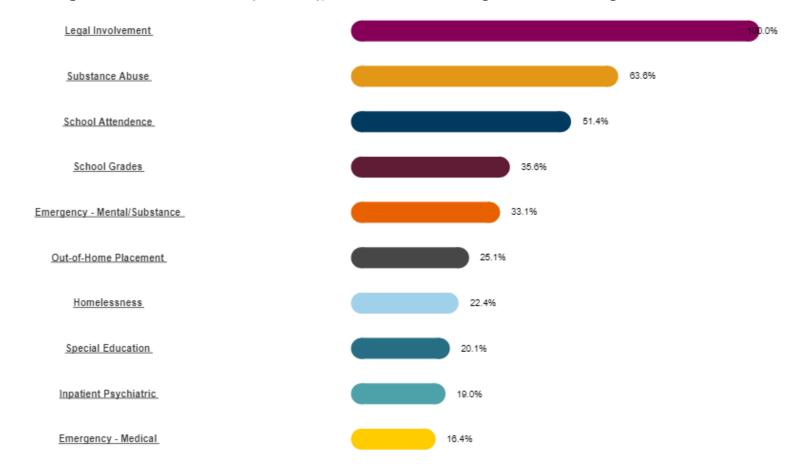
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FSP Child Indicators



Of 21,550 Partners with Legal Involvement Indicator (Race: All), What are the Percentages for Co-Occurring Indicators?



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Open Session

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