



# MHSA Idea Bank for March 17, 2016/INN Proposed New Programs

Children/Youth (Ages 0-5/6-17)			
	Ideas	Current or Related Program (Y/N)	Expansion or New Program
Innovation	<p><b>MoPride/Stanislaus County Probation Department</b></p> <p><b>Sub-Population:</b> LGBTQ adolescents involved with Juvenile System of county Probation department</p> <p><b>Primary Purpose:</b> Promote interagency and community collaboration related to mental health services, supports, or outcomes;</p> <p><b>Results:</b> Social inclusion, stigma reduction, peer support and resource education in the community</p> <p><b>Contribution to Learning:</b> Make a change to an existing mental health practice/approach, including an adaptation for a new setting or community ;</p> <p><b>Strategy:</b> Outreach and Engagement; Community Support; Peer Counseling; Peer Support</p> <p><b>Activities:</b> Create and facilitate peer support groups(s) for adolescents that identify as LGBTQ (lesbian, gay, transgender, bisexual, queer, etc) while incarcerated within the juvenile justice system; Provide resources (including MoPride, Josie’s Place Drop-In Center, the Place, The Spot, and others) to build community of support for adolescents; MoPride staff may also link youth to local Gay-Straight Alliance (GSA) at their high school to help build a network of support when they return to campus; Create a support network for family of adolescents identifying as LGBTQ; Activities would include communication and leadership skills, promote positive self-esteem, increase self-care, and suicide prevention awareness; Peer counseling and sensitivity training could also be offered to probation department staff as needed</p>	<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes    <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>*CSS - Josie’s Place *PEI Outreach</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Possible Expansion</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Possible New Program</p>



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Adults (Ages 18 - 59)			
	Ideas	Current or Related Program (Y/N)	Expansion or New Program
Innovation	<p><b><u>Our Community Outreach and Engagement Program</u></b>  <b>Sub-Population:</b> Homeless individuals  <b>Primary Purpose:</b> Increase access to mental health services to underserved groups  <b>Contribution to Learning:</b> Make a change to an existing mental health practice/approach including an adaptation for a new setting or community; <b>Results:</b> Behavioral health community capacity building program for neighborhoods impacted by high rates of homelessness related to SMI; Improve safety of homeless and community residents  <b>Activities:</b> Provide training and staff support for neighborhood associations and Municipal Advisory Councils to develop strategic outreach and engagement action plan; Partner with existing engagement teams; Increase access and community support for homelessness/SMI population</p>	<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes    <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>*CSS - SHOP            *PEI- Community Capacity Building Initiative            *WET community trainings through PEI funds: Mental Health First Aid, ASIST, QPR, SafeTalk, Effective Self Help Group facilitation</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Possible Expansion</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Possible New Program</p>



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Older Adults (Ages 60 & Older)			
	Ideas	Current or Related Program (Y/N)	Expansion or New Program
Innovation	<p><b>Senior LGBTQ Community</b>  <b>Sub-Population:</b> Senior LGBTQ  <b>Primary Purpose:</b> Increase access to underserved populations  <b>Contribution to Learning:</b> Make a change to an existing mental health practice/approach, including an adaptation for a new setting or community;  <b>Results:</b> Social inclusion, outreach, support and education, understanding of rural and urban LGBTQ seniors that comprise an intersection of multiple disadvantaged populations that include people of color, medically vulnerable, mentally ill, living with HIV/AIDS, undocumented immigrants, and socio economically marginalized  <b>Strategy:</b> Outreach and engagement, community support, peer counseling, peer support  <b>Activities:</b> Develop and provide resources for Senior LGBTQ community (gay, lesbian, transgender, bisexual, queer, etc.) resources for medical care; Create a safe place for LGBTQ older adults to age while fully integrating and fostering an agency wide culture of openness and acceptance; Reduce effects of a lifetime of social stigma and prejudice, both in the past and present; Provide peer counseling and resources for psychological and emotional resources for LGTQ at the end of life; Provide resources for mental health treatment including but not limited to depression, disability, chronic illness, grief, poverty, social isolation.; Promote feelings of belonging through peer support groups, inclusive community senior events, awareness of LGBTQ equality rights, transgender rights, and suicide prevention information.</p>	<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes    <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>* Josie's Place            * PEI</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Possible Expansion</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Possible New Program</p>