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*Promoting Wellness and Recovery*

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# Recovery Requires a Community: Overview

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# Agenda

- What is Recovery Requires a Community?
- How did the program come into being?
- What is the basic process?
  - Individuals
  - System
  - Fiscal Transfer
- What are the impacts so far?
- How could I create something like this in my state?

# What Is Recovery Requires a Community?

- An OhioMHAS budget initiative.
- Provide financial assistance to individuals with mental illness to transition and remain stable in community after an institutional stay.
- Works closely with the Ohio Department of Medicaid's Money Follows the Person Demonstration.
- Helps to enforce the Olmstead decision, reduce service delivery costs to the state and other systems, and increases community linkage while reducing institutional placements.

# Program Goals

- In combination with Ohio's MFP program, transition 2,000 individuals in the next three fiscal years (500 FY 14, 700FY 15, 800FY 16)
- Creating individual and systemic programs to reduce barriers to transition.
- Foster greater inter- and intra- agency collaboration that leads to long term transitions for individuals and stewardship of taxpayer dollars.

# Program Creation

- Office of Health Transformation “Hot Spot”
- Spring 2012: The “Applied, Approved, Not Enrolled”
- Summer 2012: “What would you do if...”
- Fall 2012 – Winter 2013: Data Analysis and Program Design
- Spring 2013 – July 1, 2013: Budget

# Program Creation: Local Feedback

- Ohio Regions:
  - Cuyahoga County (Urban)
  - Athens, Hocking, Vinton Counties (Appalachian)
  - Summit, Stark Counties (Suburban)
  - “Paint Valley Region” (Rural West)
- “If money wasn’t an issue, what would lead to sustainability?”
- Charette Process
- Process Created Current Main Categories

# Program Creation: Data Analysis

- 900 Individuals in Nursing Facilities who contacted Ohio's MFP program
- 466 (51%) did not leave the NF
  - 174 (19.3%) were "Applied, Approved, Not Enrolled"
  - 292 (32%) started and did not complete the MFP Process.
- 434 (49%) Moved to Community
  - Per Member Per Day Cost Savings: \$96.60



# Referrals

- Coordination between MFP and Recovery
- Coordination between PASRR and Recovery
  - Time limited approvals
  - Denials
- Coordination between providers and Recovery
- Non MFP participants can still be served!

*Not an exhaustive list*

# Process: Individuals

- Release of Information
- Application
  - The “but-for” item
  - Due diligence and best practice
  - Incorporates the largest and smallest needs, including housing
- Approval and Funding
- Recertification

# Process: System Level

- Real-Time data from individuals
- Aggregate and disseminate with recommendation and funding.
- Emphasize creative, evidence based solutions that are cost-effective.
- May impact local, state, or federal level.
- Rapid Housing Project: Toledo

# Process: Fiscal

- Recovery estimates the amount of people served in upcoming quarter.
  - Medicaid then forwards general revenue to Recovery Program based on estimate.
- At the end of the quarter, Recovery provides actual transition figures and estimates next quarter.
  - Medicaid adjusts the next quarter allotment of money based on outcomes of previous quarter.

# Program Impacts

- Case load is 89 (most within the last quarter)
- **0% Recidivism Rate**
- Costs have ranged from \$294 - \$94,000 (mean currently at \$10,000)
- Requests have not followed a specific pattern except for housing assistance.
- Currently projected to meet 500 individual goal.
- Adult Care Facility Incentive Program

# How to Replicate

- Find data on:
  - Cost differential between institutional vs. community care.
  - Outcomes of individuals from MFP program
- Build local partnerships with local providers and determine their needs.
  - Recovery as a provider-led program vs. a participant-led program.
- Use state Medicaid dollars as a reinvestment mechanism.



End. Questions? Thanks!

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