

**Santa Clara County  
Original Community Planning Process (CPP)  
for  
MHSA County Innovation (INN) Projects**

<b>2013 Population Estimates</b> Source: US Census Bureau	~1.86 Million
<b>INN Plan Submission</b>	Submitted as a standalone INN plan
<b>MHSOAC Approval Date</b>	September 2010
<b>Number of New INN Projects</b>	Eight original INN projects; and one project added post-AB100
<b>Local MHSA Advisory Committee</b>	Yes - MHSA Stakeholder Leadership Committee (SLC)
<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.sccmhd.org/mhsa/inn">www.sccmhd.org/mhsa/inn</a>
<b>CPP Summary</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MHSA SLC oversaw the INN planning in four steps.</li> <li>• First, the SLC authorized the formation of a subcommittee to develop focus areas; four areas were endorsed in 2009.</li> <li>• Second, MHD solicited INN ideas, conducted presentations, enlisted community participation. In all, 150 distinct ideas were received, reviewed, sorted and clustered.</li> <li>• Third, MHSA SLC members and stakeholders prioritized, identified ideas that should be developed into full INN work plans. Created project development groups.</li> <li>• Fourth, MHD convened multiple public SLC meetings to share recommended projects.</li> <li>• Public Review process involved the SLC and Mental Health Board.</li> <li>• Formed a Learning Advisory Committee (LAC) for each of the original eight projects.</li> </ul>

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**Post-Assembly Bill (AB) 1467**  
**INN Community Planning Process (CPP) Overview**

<b>County</b>	<b>Alameda</b>	<b>Orange</b>	<b>San Bernardino</b>	<b>San Diego</b>	<b>San Francisco</b>
<b>2013 Population Estimates</b> Source: US Census Bureau	~1.5 Million	~3.1Million	~2.1Million	~3.2Million	~837K
<b>INN Plan Submission</b>	Included in FY14 Annual Update	Included in FY14 Annual Update	Submitted as a standalone INN Plan	Included in Three-Year Plan	Included in FY14 Annual Update
<b>MHSOAC Approval Date</b>	INN Round 4 Grants – Approval projected for Jan 2015	November 2014	July 2014	Info not available	April 2014
<b>Number of New INN Projects</b>	Third round of Innovation Grant program: 23 pilot projects	Five	One	Seven	One
<b>Local MHSA Advisory Committee</b>	Yes – MHSA Stakeholder Group and Innovation Review Board For more info see Innovation	Yes – • MHSA Steering Committee • Innovations Subcommittee	No	No	Yes – San Francisco MHSA Advisory Committee
<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.acinnovations.org">www.acinnovations.org</a>	<a href="http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa">http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa</a>	<a href="http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/mhhsa/mhhsa.asp">http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/mhhsa/mhhsa.asp</a>	<a href="http://sandiego.camhsa.org/index.aspx">http://sandiego.camhsa.org/index.aspx</a>	<a href="https://www.sfdph.org/dph/communitary/ohservices/mentalHlth/MHSA/default.asp">https://www.sfdph.org/dph/communitary/ohservices/mentalHlth/MHSA/default.asp</a>
<b>CPP Summary</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conducted six district wide community info meeting on INN grants &amp; application process.</li> <li>• INN Community Consultant provided Technical Assistance to applicants.</li> <li>• Applicants submitted online applications.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Held meetings/trainings to describe what constitutes an INN project.</li> <li>• Developed a new INN Project idea form for community members to use/submit ideas. It is the responsibility of the community member to research if the project idea is being implemented anywhere else.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Held stakeholder meetings; utilized same format for all meetings to obtain input on future INN projects.</li> <li>• At the meetings, the agency implemented a storytelling approach in providing stakeholders information on current INN projects.</li> <li>• Data and stakeholder input</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Utilized an Innovation Community Input Form to obtain concept ideas, approach, etc.</li> <li>• Stakeholders were provided a 30-day window to submit INN forms.</li> <li>• 70 input forms were submitted and seven concepts were selected.</li> <li>• The selected concepts were discussed at stakeholder-led</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Held stakeholder meetings.</li> <li>• MHSA staff and stakeholders compiled and reviewed the list of all previously approved programs and services, challenges experienced during implementation, and the outcomes that were achieved.</li> <li>• The new project was included in the County’s FY14 MHSA Annual</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• INN Panel of BHCS Stakeholder Group members and content experts reviewed and scored applications; and made grant selection recommendations to BHCS.</li> <li>• INN Grantees were notified and selected.</li> <li>• Projects were implemented over 18 months.</li> <li>• Subject Matter Expert Review Panel and BHCS SOC staff reviewed and scored project outcomes and made recommendations to BHCS leadership.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The agency reviewed idea submissions and determined which ideas are eligible to move forward to the INN subcommittee for review (per County rules such as competitive procurement process).</li> <li>• INN Subcommittee reviewed ideas and made recommendations to the main steering committees.</li> <li>• Main MHSA Steering Committee reviewed/voted on INN ideas recommended by the INN Subcommittee.</li> <li>• Upon approval, agency staff then commenced writing a detailed plan based on the approved programs and budgets. The detailed plan was eventually incorporated in the County’s FY14 MHSA Annual Update for public review.</li> </ul>	<p>from the meetings were compiled and shared with County Agency Department.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Program decision making occurred within the Agency.</li> <li>• New Innovation Project was posted for the required MHSA public review process.</li> </ul>	<p>councils and workgroups meetings.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Concepts were formalized and included in the County’s three-year plan which was posted for the required MHSA public review process.</li> </ul>	<p>Update for public review.</p>

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Alameda	Innovative Grants Program	INN	Alameda County Behavioral Health Care Services (BHCS) invites members of the community to present fresh and new ideas to be funded as Innovative Projects. Applicants may submit applications for: •Mental health outreach, education and training for mental health and non-mental health providers •New treatment interventions or supports to improve outcomes among individuals and their families with or at risk for mental health issues •New organizational practices, processes or procedures to improve collaboration, cultural competence, recovery, efficiencies or revenue •Increased mental health advocacy •Other creative ideas to improve the public mental health system and reduce the need for longer-term mental health treatment. <a href="http://www.acinnovations.org">www.acinnovations.org</a> .	<a href="http://www.acbhcs.org/MHSA/overview.htm">http://www.acbhcs.org/MHSA/overview.htm</a>
Amador	"Self Management Techniques" Training Project	INN	The Self-Management Techniques Project will provide supportive services to Amador County residents suffering from stress-related symptoms. Trainers will offer these services throughout the county and the public will have the opportunity to receive training at no charge in exchange for passing on or "paying forward" what they learn to others in the community.	<a href="http://www.co.amador.ca.us/index.aspx?page=524">http://www.co.amador.ca.us/index.aspx?page=524</a>
Amador	"Plymouth Wellness Day" Bus Route Project	INN	The Plymouth Wellness Day Project aims to improve access to services by creating a transportation route from the especially isolated River Pines/Fiddletown to Plymouth one day per week and increasing mental health and primary care services on that day. The project also aims to increase mental health and primary care collaboration by providing coordinated services and tracking the usage of these services for their viability in the future.	<a href="http://www.co.amador.ca.us/index.aspx?page=524">http://www.co.amador.ca.us/index.aspx?page=524</a>
Berkeley City	African American Community Empowerment Academy	INN	Using an Afro-Centric model this project seeks to assess whether Cultural Heritage training and Leadership Skill building activities improve the mental health of African American consumers; increase access for those who are in need but not currently receiving services; and build community advocates.	<a href="http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/ContentDisplay.asp_x?id=15648">http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/ContentDisplay.asp_x?id=15648</a>
Berkeley City	Re-entry Systems Synergy	INN	This project seeks to understand whether participating in informal community-building activities that are offered in a supportive environment by peers, builds resiliency, increases knowledge and awareness, promotes successful re-entry into the community, and increases positive mental health outcomes for Ex-Offenders, Veterans and their families.	<a href="http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/ContentDisplay.asp_x?id=15648">http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/ContentDisplay.asp_x?id=15648</a>
Berkeley City	Wellness Strategy for Asian Pacific Islanders	INN	This project seeks to understand the main challenges and barriers to accessing and utilizing mental health services for Asian Pacific Islanders through testing whether culturally based activities that foster intergenerational interaction, support continuity in community narratives, build intercultural alliance, and improve the quality and density of social support, can result in a reduction of acculturative stress; promote healthy integration and wellness; and increase the access to, or the outcomes of, mental health services for underserved and un-served API's in Berkeley and Albany.	<a href="http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/ContentDisplay.asp_x?id=15648">http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/ContentDisplay.asp_x?id=15648</a>
Berkeley City	Trauma Informed Holistic Health Care Delivery Project for Transition Age Youth	INN	This project seeks to understand the impact and outcomes on the well-being of TAY who simultaneously receive mental and physical health interventions; to ascertain whether various skills based interventions promote positive health practices and healing; and to assess the impact of receiving services in a culturally appropriate setting from an agency that provides culturally-based services, has on the healing of traumatic issues.	<a href="http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/ContentDisplay.asp_x?id=15648">http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/ContentDisplay.asp_x?id=15648</a>

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Berkeley City	Senior 2 Senior Project	INN	This project provides Technology Support Groups for Senior Citizens in an effort to decrease isolation, increase social connections, and identify those in need of mental health services in an effort to understand whether issues of loneliness and isolation can be decreased, and mental health positive outcomes can be increased in the Senior Citizen population through training and access to social media technologies and associated peer supports.	<a href="http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/ContentDisplay.asp?x?id=15648">http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/ContentDisplay.asp?x?id=15648</a>
Berkeley City	Board & Care Nutrition Project	INN	This project implements a nutrition and exercise support services project for Board and Care residents in an effort to improve and/or prevent serious medical conditions and increase positive health outcomes for mentally ill Adults and Older Adults.	<a href="http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/ContentDisplay.asp?x?id=15648">http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/ContentDisplay.asp?x?id=15648</a>
Berkeley City	Improve the Access and Quality of Mental Health Services for LGBTQI Individuals	INN	Through partnering with multiple area agencies this project seeks to understand whether LGBTQI individuals will be more accepting of mental health services and have better mental health outcomes when culturally competent individuals meet them in their own settings (i.e., agencies where they are already accessing other services), and to determine whether providing competency training on LGBTQI mental health issues for agencies that do not specifically provide such services, improves outcomes for their LGBTQI clients.	<a href="http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/ContentDisplay.asp?x?id=15648">http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/ContentDisplay.asp?x?id=15648</a>
Butte	A Community Based Treatment for Historical	INN	Zoosiab (The Happy Program), in partnership with the Hmong Cultural Center of Butte County, utilizes both western and traditional cultural practices to support Hmong elders to alleviate the impact of historical trauma.	<a href="http://www.buttecounty.net/Behavioral%20Health/Mental%20Health%20Services%20Act.aspx">http://www.buttecounty.net/Behavioral%20Health/Mental%20Health%20Services%20Act.aspx</a>
Butte	Working Innovations Network (WIN)	INN	Helps individuals transition from a mental health crisis to stabilization in the community. A team of behavioral health staff and peer partners (individuals and family members) will provide services starting at the point of crisis until the individual is well connected to ongoing treatment and support services and is established back within his/her community	<a href="http://www.buttecounty.net/Behavioral%20Health/Mental%20Health%20Services%20Act.aspx">http://www.buttecounty.net/Behavioral%20Health/Mental%20Health%20Services%20Act.aspx</a>
Calaveras	Community Support Groups	INN	Thirteen community based support groups have been provided over the last two years, and designed to reach people with limited access to mental health services and to reduce stigma associated with seeking services at mental health facilities.	<a href="http://co.calaveras.ca.us/cc/Departments/BehavioralHealthServices.aspx">http://co.calaveras.ca.us/cc/Departments/BehavioralHealthServices.aspx</a>
Contra Costa	Social Supports for LGBTQI Two-S Youth/TAY	INN	This project is a three-year pilot currently in its third year. The goal of the project is to determine whether applying a "Social Support Model" (based on the Social Ecological Model[1]) to services targeting LGBTQI2-S youth/TAY (up to 29 years of age) will improve their health and wellness and prevent poor health outcomes. The project seeks to attempt to reduce family, peer, and/or community rejecting behaviors and increase accepting behaviors. It will test the effectiveness of various modes of engagement and service provision and will develop best practices toolboxes for engaging/serving youth and their social supports. The program's target population is LGBTQI2-S youth/TAY as well as their families and caregivers, straight peers and allies, providers, schools, faith-based organizations and community-based organizations.	<a href="http://cchealth.org/services/mental_health/prop63/">http://cchealth.org/services/mental_health/prop63/</a>
Contra Costa	Promoting Wellness, Recovery and Self-Management	INN	Augments integrated mental and physical health services for people with multiple needs. This program provides Peer Wellness Coaches, who are trained to provide individual and group support to consumers teach them to use self-management skills to enhance their recovery from co-occurring behavioral and physical health disorders.	<a href="http://cchealth.org/services/mental_health/prop63/">http://cchealth.org/services/mental_health/prop63/</a>

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Contra Costa	Interagency Perinatal Depression Treatment Program	INN	This 12-month program is an Innovative collaboration between Contra Costa Mental Health Services, Public Health Nursing and Women Infant and Child (WIC) program. It will pilot the integration of perinatal/post partum depression services into the services currently provided at the Central County WIC office. The target population consists of mothers who receive services from the Central County WIC office who screen positive for perinatal and/or post partum depression. The goals of the program are to learn: 1) which elements of the collaboration are most/least effective and why; 2) if the collaboration leads to an increase in awareness about mental health services and a decrease in the mothers' perception of stigma associated with depression; and 3) improved health outcomes for the women participating in the collaboration.	<a href="http://cchealth.org/services/mental_health/prop63">http://cchealth.org/services/mental_health/prop63</a> /
Contra Costa	Libby Madelyn Collins Trauma Recovery Project	INN	This 24-month program pilots the use of a Trauma Recovery Group with consumers diagnosed with co-occurring Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) and schizophrenia, schizoaffective disorder, bipolar disorder and/or cluster B personality disorders who receive mental health services at the county-operated adult mental health clinics. The program is currently in its second year.	<a href="http://cchealth.org/services/mental_health/prop63">http://cchealth.org/services/mental_health/prop63</a> /
Contra Costa	Trauma Services for Sexually Exploited Youth (up to 25 years of age)	INN	Creating a Safe Haven to Support Transgender and LGBTQQI2-S Youth Involved in Sexual Exploitation. This 36-month project will target LGBTQQI2-S youth who are (or at high risk of) being sexually exploited. The goal of this project is to create a new street-based venue intended to increase youth access to a comprehensive array of social and support services, delivered at a site specifically designed to support their needs. This program will be piloted in Central Contra Costa County and will develop a safe space and drop-in program targeting LGBTQQI2-S youth with a specific focus on youth who are gender variant and/or transgender identified and who engage in street socialization, commercial sex work and/or survival sex. Additional project goals include developing replicable outreach methods that support the ability to identify and reach this underserved group; the development of assessment tools that will support identification of sexual exploitation in this population; and establishment of a referral network that will increase LGBTQ youth's ability to integrate into mainstream social service programs. Reluctant to Rescue This 36-month project will target sexually exploited youth in Central and East County. The goals of the project are to: 1) gather information from sexually exploited youth about their backgrounds and reasons for entering and remaining in sexually exploitative situations as well as feedback on what would motivate and/or help them to leave these situations; 2) create a drop-in center to provide the youth needed support and services; 3) develop a training program for the care providers of sexually exploited youth; 4) determine the most effective ways of promoting and sustaining youth engagement with services; 5) determine how programs can decrease the attraction of the lifestyle some sexually exploited youth associate with their exploitation; and 6) determine what additional services and/or interventions are necessary to increase the ability of sexually exploited youth to access healthy choices and increase the number of youth who recognize they can make choices about their risk behaviors.	<a href="http://cchealth.org/services/mental_health/prop63">http://cchealth.org/services/mental_health/prop63</a> /

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Del Norte	Transition Age Youth Collaboration: Rural Connection for Leadership, Advocacy, and Support	INN	Convenes, empowers, and supports a local Del Norte County Transition Age Youth (DN-TAYC) Council that would advise the recently formed Del Norte Transition Age Youth Collaborative on launching a social networking site for TAY. Site connects TAY with peers, peer mentors, and resources. Advocates for tailoring local services and resources to better meet the needs of TAY, including TAY involved with the foster care system; and links TAY to training resources for leadership and advocacy skills, and educational and job training resources and internships. The TAY Collaborative is a coalition of agencies and groups in Del Norte County working to improve services and opportunities for transition age youth. Areas for learning are to understand if and how the quality of mental health-related services improves for transition age youth (TAY) and if changes result in better outcomes, such as decreased involvement with the justice system, fewer mental health crises, improved emotional well-being and social connectedness, and increased confidence about their future. Seeks to improve services for and access to services for transition age youth, particularly those at higher risk for mental illness.	<a href="http://www.co.del-norte.ca.us/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=article&amp;id=6&amp;Itemid=193">http://www.co.del-norte.ca.us/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=article&amp;id=6&amp;Itemid=193</a>
Fresno	INN04 AB109 - FSP Services, Outpatient Services, Substance Abuse Services	INN	<p>AB 109 Successful Integration back to the Community from State Jails Full Service Partnership (FSP) Services (Funded and Managed by MHSA) Substance Abuse/Use Services (SAS) and Outpatient (OP) Services (Funded and Managed by SUS)</p> <p>Key features of this program include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Initial assessment</li> <li>• Communication, collaboration, and compliance with Fresno County Probation Department and AB109 regulations</li> <li>• Provide appropriate mental health services</li> <li>• Linkage to appropriate services as needed</li> <li>• Follow-up with each consumer on a regular basis to ensure consumer is still actively participating mental health and community support services.</li> <li>• The team shall be culturally sensitive and offer natural supports to the client and families</li> <li>• Family support services through Peer Support Specialists and Case Managers will be provided to aid in the recovery of the client as well as to educate and engage with the whole family. Turning Point</li> </ul>	<a href="http://www.co.fresno.ca.us/DepartmentPage.aspx?id=3244">http://www.co.fresno.ca.us/DepartmentPage.aspx?id=3244</a>
Fresno	INN03 - Holistic Cultural Education and Wellness Center	INN	The Holistic Cultural Education and Wellness Center will provide an innovative approach in addressing mental health/behavioral health related issues for underserved and un-served clients who may typically not seek traditional (Western clinically based) mental health services, and may be more responsive if County staff and County practices understand and incorporate alternative culturally and ethnically focused wellness and recovery practices. The Center is not designed to be exclusive in terms of who may access the education/referral component and any member of the community may be interested in alternative culturally and ethnically focused wellness and recovery practices in addition to clinically based treatment. Fresno Center for New Americans	<a href="http://www.co.fresno.ca.us/DepartmentPage.aspx?id=3244">http://www.co.fresno.ca.us/DepartmentPage.aspx?id=3244</a>
Fresno	INN02 - Overnight Stay	INN	This program will provide after hours/overnight stay services (approximately 8pm-10am) seven days a week to include holidays for mental health consumers who present at local hospital Emergency Departments (ED). Bidder will provide services in Fresno County at Community Regional Medical Center (CRMC) and St. Agnes, and Community Regional Medical Center in Clovis. WestCare	<a href="http://www.co.fresno.ca.us/DepartmentPage.aspx?id=3244">http://www.co.fresno.ca.us/DepartmentPage.aspx?id=3244</a>



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Fresno	INN01 - Integrated Discharge Team	INN	The Integrated Discharge Team (IDT) is a multi-disciplinary team consisting of clinicians, case managers, peer support, and related support staff tasked with addressing effective discharge planning for clients admitted to short term stays at inpatient psychiatric facilities. This quick discharge indicates that clients may have received incorrect admission assessments into hospitals and that lesser levels of care may have been more appropriate. This also indicates that clients may need to be offered other forms of treatment/linkage and/or natural supports to avoid repeated admissions into inpatient hospitals.	<a href="http://www.co.fresno.ca.us/DepartmentPage.aspx?id=3244">http://www.co.fresno.ca.us/DepartmentPage.aspx?id=3244</a>
Glenn	Weekend Wellness Program	INN	This program is designed to offer weekend services for our clients that are coming home from IMD or Board and Care Placement, or for those clients who are at risk for placement in higher levels of care. As our mental health system moves toward a recovery and wellness model of care, it has become our priority to look at ways to help clients remain in the community and avoid hospitalizations as well as to avoid placement in higher levels of care. This program offers services provided at our drop in center, Harmony House. The program offers transportation services to and from Harmony House on Saturday, and clients are given the opportunity to attend community events, outings, and wellness activities. Lunch is prepared at Harmony House with the goal of teaching budgeting and nutrition. Our goal is to ensure that Weekend Wellness Consumers have support during non-traditional hours, have trained staff available on the weekends, and provide activities that encourage getting out into the community.	<a href="http://www.countyofglenn.net/govt/departments/mental_health/">http://www.countyofglenn.net/govt/departments/mental_health/</a>
Kern	Freise Hope House	INN	Assists mental health consumers with developing the skills to obtain suitable housing and employment, and increases community and social supports. Treatment focuses on the recovery principles of encouragement, empowerment, strength, and community integration. A local non-profit social service organization, Bethany Services, currently owns the Freise facility. The phased plan includes a 16-bed crisis residential (first) paired with a 16-bed adult residential facility (to follow) co-located on the same campus.	<a href="http://www.co.kern.ca.us/artman2/kcmh/publish/mhsa/index.asp">http://www.co.kern.ca.us/artman2/kcmh/publish/mhsa/index.asp</a>
Kings	Native American Youth Equine-Facilitated Psychotherapy Program (Youth in Transition)	INN	Behavioral health specialists and mental health researchers are constantly searching for effective interventions to address the problems of at-risk youth (in elementary and middle school). Equine-Facilitated Psychotherapy (EFP) helps improve communication, impulse control, self-esteem, self-confidence, trust, listening skills and concentration. This Evidence based form of therapy combines traditional therapeutic interventions with a more innovative component involving relationships and activities with horses. The relationships established with the horse assists in fully engaging the participant's mind, body, and spirit, thereby building confidence, attunement and sensitivity to internal processes and non-verbal communication. This program integrates cultural components from the local tribe into the program, to increase community connectedness. The innovative part of this program is the Implantation Learning Council (ILC). The ILC combined agencies that historically have not worked together (Santa Rosa Rancheria, County Mental Health, and school) to implement and maintain the EFP program. The goal of the ILC is to establish positive collaborative relationships with non-traditional partners to improve access and provision of mental health services to underserved population. This program is using an independent evaluator to assess the effectiveness of the program and success of the ILC collaboration.	<a href="http://www.kingscountybehavioralhealth.com/mh_sa.html">http://www.kingscountybehavioralhealth.com/mh_sa.html</a>
Lake	Peer Informed Access	INN	The Peer Informed Access project has assembled a representative group of community member stakeholders (peers) to assess the current status of the mental health consumer experience, make recommendations for improving the quality of the experience and intended outcomes, and inform the process for networking community-based clinics and wellness centers. The goal is to create a "no wrong door" approach and increase access for consumers and family members of all racial/ethnic and cultural populations of all ages.	<a href="http://mhsa.lakecountyca.gov">http://mhsa.lakecountyca.gov</a>



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Los Angeles	Description of 4 Distinct Practices for Integration of health, mental health, and substance abuse care	INN	<p>Provides an opportunity for counties to identify potentially innovative practices, implement them and learn. LA County focus is on adopting 4 distinct practices for the integration of health, mental health and substance abuse care:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Integrated Clinic Model</li> <li>Integrated Mobile Health Team Model</li> <li>Community-Designed Integrated Service Management Model</li> <li>Integrated Peer-Run Services Model</li> </ul> <p>The target populations for each model are seriously mentally ill adults with at least one co-morbid physical health or substance use disorder. As a whole, this Innovations Plan should provide important data to help inform LAC-DMH's system transformation efforts. To access the complete INN Plan, click the link below: <a href="http://file.lacounty.gov/dmh/cms1_159416.pdf">http://file.lacounty.gov/dmh/cms1_159416.pdf</a></p>	<a href="http://dmh.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dmh/mhsa">http://dmh.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dmh/mhsa</a>
Los Angeles	Integrated Clinic Model	INN	<p>The Integrated Clinic Model combines physical health, mental health, and substance abuse services in a community-based site, such as a primary care clinic or mental health clinic, to more fully address the spectrum of needs of individuals who are homeless, uninsured, and/or members of under-represented ethnic populations (UREP). This strategy seeks to increase access to the aforementioned services to those for whom services are fragmented and resources limited. This strategy could potentially transform access in Los Angeles County as it increases the capacity for physical health, mental health, and substance abuse programs in organizations and systems where people in the community already go. It also seeks to increase the quality of services, including better physical health and mental health outcomes, as providers work together to coordinate care across practices. The utilization of existing infrastructure and the leveraging of other programs will create an efficient and cost-effective system that promotes interagency collaboration between Los Angeles County departments and providers.</p>	<a href="http://dmh.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dmh/mhsa">http://dmh.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dmh/mhsa</a>
Los Angeles	Integrated Mobile Health Team Model	INN	<p>The Integrated Mobile Health Team Model is a client-centered, housing-first approach that uses harm reduction strategies across all modalities of mental health, physical health, and substance abuse treatment. This will be done in collaboration with the housing developers that have units available for this population in addition to accessing Federal housing subsidies and other housing resources. In this model, the primary goal is to address the fragmentation of services to the homeless population, many of whom are uninsured and are members of UREP. This model proposes to deploy a mobile, enhanced, integrated, multi-disciplinary team that includes physical health, mental health, and substance abuse professionals and specially-trained peers and that is managed under one agency or under one point of supervision. This model will develop individualized client care plans that contains physical health, mental health, and substance abuse client- centered treatment goals and objectives. Another unique feature of this model is that individuals will have access to the Integrated Mobile Health Team services through multiple points of entry, whether initially seeking assistance with physical health, mental health, substance abuse, or housing. It will increase access to services and leverage multiple funding sources including capital for housing development and Federal Qualified Health Center funding.</p>	<a href="http://dmh.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dmh/mhsa">http://dmh.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dmh/mhsa</a>

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Los Angeles	Community-Designed Integrated Service Management Model (ISM)	INN	<p>The Community-Designed Integrated Service Management Model (ISM) envisions a holistic model of care whose components are defined by the community itself and also promotes collaboration and partnerships between regulated entities, contract providers, and community-based organizations to integrate health, mental health, substance abuse, and other needed care to support the recovery of consumers with particular attention to under-represented ethnic populations. The ISM model consists of discrete teams of specially- trained and culturally competent “service integrators” that help clients use the resources of both “formal” (i.e., mental health, health, substance abuse, child welfare, and other formal service providers) and “nontraditional” (i. e., community defined healers) networks of providers, and who use culturally-effective principles and values. The ISM Model services are grounded in ethnic communities with a strong foundation of community-based, non-traditional, and natural support systems such as faith-based organizations, voluntary associations, and other service groups. In this model, ISM teams will integrate formal and informal provider and community-based resources through the following: 1) community-specific outreach and education; 2) community-specific enhanced engagement practices; 3) enhanced linkage and advocacy; and 4) harmonious intertwining of formal and non-traditional services and supports through facilitation of inter-provider clinical communication. ISM teams work with each client to ensure service access, coordination, understanding, follow-up, and inter-provider clinical communication. The teams consist of both service professionals and specially-trained peers who meet regularly with clients and provide information, transportation, motivation, encouragement, and help with provider communication.</p>	<p><a href="http://dmh.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dmh/mhsa">http://dmh.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dmh/mhsa</a></p>
Los Angeles	Integrated Peer-Run Model	INN	<p>The Integrated Peer-Run Model supports people with mental health needs who also have additional health and/or substance abuse treatment needs to become well and stay well by providing new programs that are designed and run by people with lived experience of mental health issues. This model incorporates two innovative strategies: Peer-Run Integrated Services Management (PRISM) and Alternative Peer-Run Crisis Houses. PRISM is a client-driven, holistic alternative to traditional community mental health services that allows uninsured peers to secure needed physical health, mental health, and substance abuse options as part of a program designed to support and empower people to take responsibility for their own recovery. PRISM is based upon a “whatever it takes” philosophy in a context of personal choice. It consists of innovative specially-trained peer teams that share features of ISM teams in the Community- Designed ISM Model. As in the ISM model, the teams work clients to ensure service access, coordination, understanding, follow-up, and inter-provider clinical communication. Also as with ISM teams, PRISM teams meet regularly with clients and provide information, transportation, motivation and encouragement, and help with provider communication. However, unlike the teams in the ISM model, PRISM teams consist entirely of specially-trained peers who will coordinate the provision of clinical services and coordinate and deliver peer-run/self help services. Peer-Run Crisis Houses are client-driven, holistic alternatives to hospitalization and are designed to provide a warm, safe, welcoming environment for uninsured people in psychiatric distress who are not a danger to others. These houses are located in two places in Long Beach and in the San Gabriel Valley.</p>	<p><a href="http://dmh.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dmh/mhsa">http://dmh.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dmh/mhsa</a></p>

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Los Angeles	Critical Future Policy/ Implementation Issues	INN	<p>Critical Future Policy/Implementation Issues:                      A generation ago, carving out the mental health system was an important step in providing much-needed attention and resources to vulnerable populations. Now, health care integration figures heavily in the affordable care act efforts and in the renewal of the section 1115 waiver. The Los Angeles County Innovations Plan provides a remarkable opportunity to explore new frameworks of care for individuals who are uninsured, homeless, and members of UREP. We expect that it may shed light on methods for integrating mental health, physical health, and substance abuse services that can usefully inform much larger future integration policy and implementation. Development of INN models, specifically designed to overcome service integration limitations and system fragmentation would be of great utility. The stated learning objectives, if accomplished, could help intelligently guide both policy decisions and resource allocation for LAC-DMH for years into the future. Each model pilot could provide important service benefits to many people while we answer fundamental questions for the future of health care delivery in the United States.</p>	<a href="http://dmh.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dmh/mhsa">http://dmh.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dmh/mhsa</a>
Madera	Increase Access into the System from Crisis Services through Peer Support Almond Access Center	INN	<p>This program is a collaborative with the emergency room staff, mental health staff and peer/family members. This INN component hopes to learn if the use of peer counselors will aid in the reduction of hospitalizations or increase client follow through with mental health services at the time of release from a hospital setting. Mental Health crisis staff and hospital emergency room staff will focus on assessment of health problems, medication management, and crisis services. The peer/family staff will be linked to clients after the crisis has been resolved and the peer/family staff will provide follow-up services to engage the clients in recovery activities such as outpatient treatment or community support groups.</p>	<a href="http://www.madera-county.com/index.php/bhsoverview/295-welcome-to-behavioral-health-services">http://www.madera-county.com/index.php/bhsoverview/295-welcome-to-behavioral-health-services</a>
Madera	Linkage to Physical Health Services and Reverse Integration from Mental Health to Primary Care	INN	<p>This INN component involves the contracted services of a pharmacist and a psychiatrist who will be available for consulting with emergency room staff and primary care providers to provide linkage of mental health and physical health. This model of using a pharmacist and psychiatrist to consult with health practitioners was developed based on mental health staff reports that health practitioners in general do not respond to their letters or phone calls but do tend to respond to contacts by pharmacists or psychiatrists. The INN component also is working with the contracted pharmacist to move stable, medication only clients back into Primary Care for their on-going medication needs.</p>	<a href="http://www.madera-county.com/index.php/bhsoverview/295-welcome-to-behavioral-health-services">http://www.madera-county.com/index.php/bhsoverview/295-welcome-to-behavioral-health-services</a>
Marin	Client Choice and Hospital Prevention Program	INN	<p>The purpose of this project is to learn how to create a recovery-oriented, community-based response to psychiatric crises. This Client Choice and Hospital Prevention Program project will provide alternatives to hospitalization, both voluntary and involuntary, while supporting clients, families and communities to increase resiliency. Additionally, it will promote orientation of perception of how the mental health system and community can best respond to, and help prevent psychiatric crises. Marin's Client Choice and Hospital Prevention Program project seeks to increase the quality of care and services by combining three distinct strategies: 1) community-based crisis services in a homelike environment 2) the integrated use of peer and professional staffing and 3) the use of an individualized crisis plan (Prevention &amp; Early Intervention funding).</p>	<a href="http://www.co.marin.ca.us/depts/HH/main/mh/m_hsa_faq.cfm">http://www.co.marin.ca.us/depts/HH/main/mh/m_hsa_faq.cfm</a>

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Mariposa	Team Decision Making	INN	Consumer-drive approach applies team decision making meetings with the adult population to achieve a more integrated approach to service delivery and improve mental health care, independent living and self-sufficiency for the adult mental health consumers. Key assumptions are that a group can be more effective in decision making than an individual; families are the experts on themselves; when families are respected and included in the decision making process they are capable of identifying and participating in addressing their own needs; and members of the family's own community add value to the process by serving as natural allies and experts on the community resources. The consumer is the center of the decision-making, although family/friends may contribute to the discussion leading up to the ultimate decision. Model allows Mariposa to build a system that improves accessibility; promotes effective services; reduces out-of-home and institution care; and reduces stigma toward the consumers of these services.	<a href="http://www.mariposacounty.org/index.aspx?NID=858">http://www.mariposacounty.org/index.aspx?NID=858</a>
Mendocino	Innovation	INN	The Innovation component is the pre-planning stage.	<a href="http://www.co.mendocino.ca.us/hhsa/mhsa.htm">http://www.co.mendocino.ca.us/hhsa/mhsa.htm</a>
Merced	Juvenile Behavioral Court	INN	The Merced County Juvenile Behavioral Health Court is a court-supervised program for minors diagnosed primarily with an Axis I mental illness and who are wards of the Juvenile Delinquency Court.	
Merced	Strengthening Families Project	INN	Recruits family and community partners to focus on the developmental milestones of life transitions in diverse and non-traditional settings. Strengthens families and builds on existing resiliency. Decreases risk factors and enhances nurturing and attachment; knowledge of parenting and/or child, youth and adolescent development; parental resilience; social connections; concrete supports for parents.	<a href="http://www.co.merced.ca.us/index.aspx?NID=486">http://www.co.merced.ca.us/index.aspx?NID=486</a>
Modoc	Taking Integration Personally Innovation Plan	INN	The Taking Integration Personally Innovation Plan relied on an Integration Team made up of mental health staff, consumers, family members and other stakeholders to design and implement the integration of Mental Health and Alcohol and Drug Services into Behavioral Health, and to design systems to improve collaboration with primary care.	<a href="http://hs.co.modoc.ca.us/recent-announcements/mhsaannualupdatefy2013-">http://hs.co.modoc.ca.us/recent-announcements/mhsaannualupdatefy2013-</a>
Mono	Peapod (Parenting) Program	INN	Provides two new parent support groups in Mammoth Lakes; one serves Spanish-speaking mothers. Provides a new parent support group in the Benton/Chalfant area of Mono County (southeast region) and similar support in the north end of the County. Peapod program focuses on new parents with funds to support mental health care. Curriculum is designed to de-stigmatize recognition of the early signs of mental health problems/issues and to encourage and normalize seeking assistance. Pilots a variety of strategies to see which is most effective at encouraging utilization of mental health services for different ethnic populations. The three populations we will focus mirror our county demographics and include Caucasian, Hispanic and Native American.	<a href="http://www.monohealth.com/mental/mh.html">http://www.monohealth.com/mental/mh.html</a>
Monterey	Positive Behavioral Intervention Supports	INN	Provides training on implementing the Positive Behavioral Intervention Supports (PBIS) framework to schools throughout Monterey County, in collaboration with the County Office of Education.	<a href="http://www.mtyhd.org/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=section&amp;id=28&amp;Itemid=520&amp;lang=en">http://www.mtyhd.org/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=section&amp;id=28&amp;Itemid=520&amp;lang=en</a>
Monterey	Juvenile Sex Offender Response Team	INN	A multi-disciplinary team consisting of the following agencies: Behavioral Health, Probation, Child Welfare, Law Enforcement, Victim Advocates and District Attorney provides oversight of a coordinated model of care for juveniles served through this project.	<a href="http://www.mtyhd.org/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=section&amp;id=28&amp;Itemid=520&amp;lang=en">http://www.mtyhd.org/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=section&amp;id=28&amp;Itemid=520&amp;lang=en</a>
Monterey	Alternative Healing and Promotores de Salud	INN	Addresses the needs of the unserved and underserved Latino/Hispanic population in Monterey County by providing mental health outreach, engagement and referral through a Promotores Collaborative, consisting of Promotores de salud, mental health providers, and a Psychiatrist with experience in alternative healing practices.	<a href="http://www.mtyhd.org/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=section&amp;id=28&amp;Itemid=520&amp;lang=en">http://www.mtyhd.org/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=section&amp;id=28&amp;Itemid=520&amp;lang=en</a>

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Monterey	TAY Housing: A New Approach	INN	Provides shared permanent supportive housing for Transition Age Youth (TAY).	<a href="http://www.mtyhd.org/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=section&amp;id=28&amp;Itemid=28">http://www.mtyhd.org/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=section&amp;id=28&amp;Itemid=28</a>
Napa	Innovation	INN	The primary purpose of the Napa County Mental Health Division's Innovations Plan is to develop a model, the Mental Health Equity Partnership, which will be composed of stakeholders and providers, is intended to change the relationships between mental health providers and the identified underserved communities and to increase the perceived and actual value of collaboration for all parties. Secondary purposes will be to increase access to underserved groups, increase the quality of services, and to increase access to services. This project is being implemented by On the Move, Inc. and was initiated in March 2013.	<a href="http://www.countyofnapa.org/Pages/DepartmentContent.aspx?id=4294967939">http://www.countyofnapa.org/Pages/DepartmentContent.aspx?id=4294967939</a>
Nevada	Innovations	INN	Plan #1: Veterans Family Wellness Plan #2: Rehabilitation and Behavioral Health Collaborative Plan #3: Primary Care Mental Health Integrated	<a href="http://www.mynevadacounty.com/nc/hhsa/bh/Pages/MHSA-Innovation.aspx">http://www.mynevadacounty.com/nc/hhsa/bh/Pages/MHSA-Innovation.aspx</a>
Orange	Integrated Services	INN	Integrated Community Services (ICS)-Community Home Pilot project provides outreach into the medical community to facilitate bi-directional services to fully integrate both physical and mental health care. This collaboration with community medical clinics and county mental health programs is a healthcare model that will prove to bridge the gaps in service for the underserved low-income community and increase better overall health outcomes for the patients involved. In the ICS Community Home project a Mental Health Team (Psychiatrist, BHS Clinician and Mental Health Caseworker) will be brought into existing community health clinics: Asian Health Center and Korean Community Services. Bringing in each team to complement existing patient services allows full integration of patient care in each location.	<a href="http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation">http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation</a>
Orange	Collective Solutions (Family-Focused Crisis Management)	INN	Collective Solutions: is a family-focused crisis management program that provides supportive and counseling services to family members who struggle with managing the mental illness of a loved one. Peer mentors and clinicians deliver culturally and linguistically appropriate counseling, assessments, case management, and education related to mental health.	<a href="http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation">http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation</a>
Orange	Volunteer to Work	INN	Volunteer to Work: This program is being implemented in the summer of 2013. It is a community-based, consumer-run program that uses trained consumer mentors to help prepare and involve program participants in volunteer and employment positions in the community. It assists consumers in building self-worth, gaining confidence, and cultivating interests and skills in order to comfortably enter the workplace. In addition, it establishes a new framework for building the collaboration and capacity of community partners by providing a flexible model to support the goal of consumer integration into society.	<a href="http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation">http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation</a>
Orange	OC ACCEPT (OK to Be Me)	INN	OC ACCEPT: provides community-based mental health and supportive services to individuals struggling with and/or identifying as LGBTIQ (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Intersex or Questioning) and the people important in their lives. The program specializes in addressing issues that are common in the LGBTIQ community, such as confusion, isolation, grief and loss, depression, anxiety, suicidal thoughts, self-medicating with drugs and high risk behaviors, self-esteem challenges, victims of bullying, trauma, homelessness, and lack of familial support. OC ACCEPT seeks to provide a safe environment with acceptance and compassion for individuals to express their feelings, build resilience, become empowered and connected with others for support. The program also raises awareness and reduces stigma by providing education about the LGBTIQ population to the community at large.	<a href="http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation">http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation</a>

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Orange	OC4Vets (formerly known as Vet Connect)	INN	OC4Vets: The program examines whether co-locating services for veterans with the Veterans' Services Office will increase access to health and supportive services for veterans with post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), traumatic brain injury (TBI), and severe depression, including those dually diagnosed with substance abuse disorders. It facilitates access to a comprehensive array of treatment and supportive services for veterans and their families and provides assistance (a warm hand-off) to help those veterans who are too fragile to integrate into the VA system. Uses peer veterans to provide service system navigation and solid connection with existing community resources. This program provides an integrated, holistic approach to veteran behavioral health, recognizing that medical, as well as basic shelter, food, and job issues impact behavioral health.	<a href="http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation">http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation</a>
Orange	Community Cares Program	INN	Orange County Community Cares Project (OC CCP): Orange County Community Cares Project (OC CCP) strives to improve access to mental health services and decrease the negative effects of untreated mental illness. The program provides a referral-based system for individuals to receive short-term <i>pro-bono</i> mental health treatment by a multidisciplinary team: project lead, clinicians, and peer mentors. Staff delivers culturally and linguistically appropriate assessments, case management, individual psychotherapeutic services, and follow-up services to evaluate effectiveness and satisfaction of services. All individuals who are referred to the OC CCP program will be initially evaluated by program staff during intake interview. If eligible, the participant will be linked to a provider who best meets their needs.	<a href="http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation">http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation</a>
Orange	Project Life Coach	INN	Project Life Coach: provides assessment and linkage to supported employment. Although available to others, the target population is underserved monolingual or limited English proficiency unemployed Latino, Iranian and Asian/Pacific Islanders with mental illness; it promotes employment and improves functioning. The program uses life-counseling (also called life coaching) techniques to promote self-esteem, help-seeking behavior, personal development, and family integration among clients who are monolingual speakers of languages other than English and who are not currently employed. It assists with job searching, placement, and retention, as well as linkage to mental health services. It also creates a community-based support network for individuals and families.	<a href="http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation">http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation</a>
Orange	Training to Meet the Needs of the Deaf Community	INN	Training to Meet the Needs of the Deaf Community: The project provides education on mental illness and recovery for members from the Deaf and Hard of Hearing community. It uses an existing accredited Mental Health Worker Certificate training program to train individual consumers and family members using ASL as the primary language. Graduates of the program may assume mental health worker or peer mentor positions within the public mental health system, using their certificate to gain entry into employment and/or continue education to gain an AA degree, bachelor's or graduate degree in the mental health field. Training people who are Deaf and already know ASL to provide mental health services is expected to increase access to care and improve quality of life for this community.	<a href="http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation">http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation</a>
Orange	Brighter Futures (Consumer Early Childhood Mental Health)	INN	Brighter Futures: (formerly Consumer Early Childhood Mental Health) provides community-based services to families with children who experience social, emotional, and behavioral health problems. The goal is to reduce isolation and form a supportive network with other families. The project offers brief interventions; helps build personal resiliency and healthy relationships between parents and children. A multidisciplinary clinical team provides culturally and linguistically appropriate peer-mentorships, case management, parent education, psychotherapeutic services and linkages to supportive community services. Services are provided to Orange County residents, parents/families with children ages 6-13 who are experiencing social, emotional, and behavioral health problems. The project provides services in English, Spanish, and Mandarin.	<a href="http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation">http://ohealthinfo.com/bhs/about/pi/mhsa/components/innovation</a>



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Placer	ATOU Youth F.O.R.C.E. (Friends Offering Respect ~ Creating	INN	Increase the wellness, self-respect and self-direction of persons with disabilities through Youth F.O.R.C.E recruitment and engagement of children and young people in Placer County.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Emmaus Community Garden	INN	Fosters social and community growth through interaction; further wellness within the community.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Active Parenting Now	INN	Delivers parenting classes and groups for parents of teens.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	El Rincon de las Comadres	INN	Offers crafting circles, business training and supportive networks for Latina women.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Lighthouse Family Support Services: Family & Community Wellness	INN	Provides family support services focusing on education, wellness decision making, peer support and empowerment.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Support and isolation reduction for adoptive families	INN	Provides a family partner to conduct outreach and offer education and support services for adoptive families in Western Placer County.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Outdoor Youth Adventures	INN	Group meetings, relationship building and outdoor activities for underserved youth.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Middle School Truancy Program	INN	Reduces middle school truancy through peer-to-peer accountability.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Writing and Reciting: Healing through writing and	INN	Weekly peer-based spoken word workshops, mentoring and support for youth/young adults.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Seniors First GRIEF and CALM Programs	INN	Provides peer-based training and support for seniors who experience loss and/or suffer from dementia.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Support for Adoptive Parents in Placer County	INN	Provides wellness supports for parents who have adopted children and youth from foster care.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Sierra Vista Community Wellness Project	INN	Assesses wellness needs and produces pilot programs for aging and youth population in the Colfax area.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>



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Placer	Family Ties - A Family Treatment Group for families of service	INN	Provides treatment and access to support services for returning soldiers and their families.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Art Instruction Workshops	INN	Free art training workshops to increase mental wellness benefits.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Tahoe Titans Youth Boxing Gym	INN	Community boxing gym to connect under-served and at-risk youth with positive role models.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	The CORE Youth Program	INN	Nature-based therapy program for youth with mental health or behavioral issues, or substance abuse problems.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	KidsReach II	INN	Promotes social interaction and play with the goal of informing parents of coping strategies, effective child development and nutrition. Decreases isolation and other factors that can lead to child abuse and neglect.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Circle Project	INN	Training program for 8 to 10 current clients to become advocates for themselves and others.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Therapeutic Yoga and Meditation	INN	Develops and implements affordable therapeutic yoga and meditation programs for clients and families as an adjunct to psychotherapy.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Future Fair	INN	Hosts a one day event in which public and private vendors offer information and resources to seniors and their families.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	We CARE Program	INN	Creates a cancer peer navigator program to match newly diagnosed prostate and lung cancer patients with trained cancer survivors.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Breaking Barriers- A Wilderness	INN	Provides youth with rigorous outdoor challenges, setting the stage for significant personal transformation and helping participants develop resilience, emotional well-being, interpersonal communication skills, cooperation, and teamwork.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Young Life Truckee Camp	INN	Scholarship funds for middle/high school students to attend week-long summer camps and weekend school year camps.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Warrior Down Project	INN	Peer-based support group for relapse prevention and linkage to public and community-based services for native and non-native residents at risk of co-occurring mental health and substance abuse challenges who are transitioning from incarceration and residential treatment.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Peer Supported Transitional Housing	INN	Provides peer-supported transitional housing to resident adults with a mental illness who are not currently receiving mental health services through the County.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Creciendo Unidos/Growing Together	INN	Provides at-risk youth engagement, retiros (retreats), and a mobile youth club for Latino residents of the North Lake Tahoe region.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>

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Placer	Project ALMA	INN	Provides prevention, intervention and support activities for Latino residents who may be impacted by youth with academic, probation, juvenile detention, gang-related, and mental health risks factors.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Tahoe Wellness Center Project	INN	Creates three Wellness Centers at North Tahoe High School, Sierra Continuation High School, and Truckee High School. Centers provide a single entry point for students to connect to a supportive adult and access wellness services at the school. Provides handoff to community resources of youth who have mental health concerns and provides QPR suicide prevention training.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Library and Support Program (LSP)	INN	The Library and Support Program creates a lending library of educational DVDs related to various mental health conditions for the community and creates a peer support program for individuals to connect with similarly lived experiences.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Home Start's Healthy Jump Start Program	INN	Funding expands Home Start's on-site Life Skills Classes, providing a Nutritionist, Exercise Instructor and Culinary Instructor to teach a new, weekly comprehensive Home Start Healthy Jump Start Program. Parents are given the tools to teach their children to eat and live healthily, preventing a lifetime of potential health issues.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	YOUTH for Youngsters	INN	This community-based group, Youth for Youngsters, provides older mentors for at-risk Latinos/Latinas in elementary and middle schools in Auburn, Roseville and Lincoln who are already emulating older siblings' gang activities. The mentors are youth that have left a gang, are attending college, have improved relationships with their parents, or are no longer taking drugs or alcohol and are consequently considered a success story.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Peace2ThaStreetz	INN	This community-based group, Peacemakers, expands its youth engagement activities to "Peace2ThaStreets," which is a mobile center that includes more activities for more low-income, at-risk and unserved youth in the Roseville and Lincoln communities. Peacemakers reaches out to youth, creating hip hop competitions throughout the year that helps keep youth motivated, gives them encouragement and education from older teens who can serve as mentors.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Monday Night Feast	INN	To enrich the lives of residents of Lincoln and South Placer County with a monthly free dinner. To help those in need, Granite Springs Church provides a free meal on the last Monday of every month offering a time of relaxation, fellowship and conversation.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Placer Wellness Navigator	INN	Funding supports a part-time, peer-based Navigator to help people with Mental Health/Co-Occurring Disorder to navigate the Placer County services continuum in order to achieve full recovery. This includes non-traditional services (peer support groups, recreation, parenting, etc.). The approach is recovery principled, client centered and client driven, and culturally competent.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	South Placer Mini- Grants Program	INN	To provide mini-grants to non-traditional partners in the South Placer region to form new relationships and networks that would allow great access and better services to those with mental health needs.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Placer	Lake Tahoe Mini- Grants Program	INN	To provide mini-grants to non-traditional partners in the Lake Tahoe region to form new relationships and networks that would allow great access and better services to those with mental health needs.	<a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx">http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/hhs/adult/mhsa.aspx</a>
Riverside	Recovery Arts Core Project	INN	Increase the quality of services, including the development of more systematic outcomes, to measure the effectiveness of the program. Measures the impacts of peer-delivered arts services on consumers receiving services through the Riverside County Department of Mental Health (RCDMH).	<a href="http://rcdmh.org/opencms/english/mhsa/Innovation/">http://rcdmh.org/opencms/english/mhsa/Innovation/</a>

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Riverside	Recovery Learning Center	INN	Creates a new service delivery model, one that is consumer-driven, not just consumer-enhanced. The full design of the RLC, including program philosophy, physical plant, structure and service delivery, were envisioned by people with lived experience who are dedicated to improving the lives of consumers. Establishes a program rooted in recovery philosophy and operated by people with lived experience.	<a href="http://rcdmh.org/opencms/english/mhsa/Innovation/">http://rcdmh.org/opencms/english/mhsa/Innovation/</a>
Riverside	The Family Room	INN	Provides a new program choice for consumers and family members. Empowers family members to become the primary support person in facilitating recovery for their loved one. Emphasizes support for families who are in crisis and enhancing family members' knowledge and skills so they can better assist their loved one. The Family Room is developed with the hypothesis that if family members are identified, active, and supported in the recovery and treatment process, then they will feel empowered to choose this treatment option and achieve better outcomes. "Family member" is defined as any other person identified by the consumer to help in their recovery, including blood relatives, friends, neighbors, and roommates should be included among others as potential family members.	<a href="http://rcdmh.org/opencms/english/mhsa/Innovation/">http://rcdmh.org/opencms/english/mhsa/Innovation/</a>
Riverside	Older Adult Self Management	INN	Enables the psychiatrist, along with a team of mental health professionals, to improve the overall functioning and sense of well-being of older adults with serious and persistent mental illness receiving medication management. Older adults receive assistance in the following areas: coordinating their own care, developing skills to better communicate with physicians, effectively monitor and self-report their own general health and skills to improve their social activities and community supports.	<a href="http://rcdmh.org/opencms/english/mhsa/Innovation/">http://rcdmh.org/opencms/english/mhsa/Innovation/</a>
Sacramento	Respite Partnership Collaborative	INN	The objective of the Respite Partnership Collaborative (RPC) is to increase voluntary community-based local mental health respite service options to offer a variety of alternatives to psychiatric hospitalization for community members experiencing a crisis in Sacramento County. It is doing this by providing time-limited funding for the sole purpose of developing and trying out new respite practices and/or approaches. There are many types of mental health respite ranging from planned respite with scheduled events and/or programming which offer limited time outs from the triggers that may lead to mental health crisis to 24/7 crisis respite which is available at all hours and designed to help those experiencing a mental health crisis transition to stabilization. Respite programs for different populations exist in many communities and are neither new nor innovative on their own. Therefore, the respite services are ancillary to this project. The learning objective for the innovation project in Sacramento County's plan is to explore having an administrative entity implement the project to determine if a public-private partnership can lead to new partnerships, increased efficiencies and, ultimately, improved services to community members. The RPC is a new public-private partnership of the County of Sacramento, Division of Behavioral Health Services, Sierra Health Foundation: Center for Health Program Management (SHF) and the community-at-large. The Sacramento County Board of Supervisors approved Sierra Health Foundation to be the administrative entity for this project in November 2011.	<a href="http://www.sacdhhs.com/mhsa">www.sacdhhs.com/mhsa</a>
San Benito	Primary Care Integration Project	INN	Reduces the stigma of mental health service and improves timely access. Coordinates and services, co-locates mental health and physical health care services. Referral from the physical health care physician validates mental health as an essential health care need and increases the likelihood that the client will follow through. Expands access to San Benito County's more than 50% Latino population and others in the community who are unserved or underserved because they are not accessing mental health services.	<a href="http://sanbenito.networkofcare.org/mh/home/news_announcements.cfm">http://sanbenito.networkofcare.org/mh/home/news_announcements.cfm</a>

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San Bernardino	Interagency Youth Resiliency Team (IYRT)	INN	Provides intensive, peer-driven, trauma-informed mentoring services to system-involved youth (foster care or juvenile probation) and their caregivers/resource providers from mentors with similar lived experience, as well as providing related training to child-serving staff within the community. Services focus on supporting the youths to successfully transition out of care, while strengthening five (5) critical life domains: physical/psychological well-being, forming/maintaining enduring relationships, education, employment and housing.	<a href="http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/mhsa/mhsa.asp#">http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/mhsa/mhsa.asp#</a>
San Bernardino	Online Diverse Community Experiences (ODCE)	INN	Establishes a presence on social networking sites such as Facebook and Twitter to disseminate behavioral health information and resources, promote upcoming events, as well as share news and information on related topics. The project seeks to continue to reach consumers, family members, community members and professionals in order to provide ongoing resources to increase access to services.	<a href="http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/mhsa/mhsa.asp#">http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/mhsa/mhsa.asp#</a>
San Bernardino	Coalition Against Sexual Exploitation (CASE)	INN	The CASE program is a collaborative partnership among child-serving agencies. It is a culturally appropriate collaborative model of interventions and services for diverse children to reduce the number of those exploited and drawn into prostitution. This model will also address outreach and education for those who interact with victims of sexual exploitation in hopes to increase the quality of services received to achieve greater outcomes.	<a href="http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/mhsa/mhsa.asp#">http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/mhsa/mhsa.asp#</a>
San Bernardino	Community Resiliency Model (CRM)	INN	The CRM program is intended to reach out to the County's diverse unserved, underserved, and inappropriately served communities, by offering biologically based resiliency techniques and skills for individuals who have, or will experience traumatic events. This community train-the-trainer model is specifically designed to address the needs of community members by providing mental health education, training and mentoring of CRM trainers, including coping skills, trauma response skills and resiliency techniques. CRM trainers are selected leaders within their community so that they may pass the skills along to community members, friends, and family members.	<a href="http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/mhsa/mhsa.asp#">http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/mhsa/mhsa.asp#</a>
San Bernardino	Holistic Campus	INN	Brings together a diverse group to create their own resource networks and strategies, growing out of cultural strengths. The Holistic Campus is 80% peer run by community members, cultural brokers, individuals representing the County's cultures, ethnic communities, LGBTQ community, and military veterans and their families in one location. The Holistic Campuses are accessible, culturally/linguistically competent/relevant, and community friendly. By offering services specifically requested by the community and welcoming all to the Campus, diverse individuals will receive wellness and recovery services as needed, without stigma.	<a href="http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/mhsa/mhsa.asp#">http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/mhsa/mhsa.asp#</a>
San Bernardino	TAY Behavioral Health Hostel	INN	A peer-driven, voluntary, short-term, 14-bed, crisis stabilization/residential program for at-risk Transition-Age Youth (TAY), from 18-25 years old, with particular focus on the needs of diverse youth (African American, Latino, LGBTQ) with a history of system-involvement (former foster or probation youth), who are experiencing an acute psychiatric episode or crisis and are in need of a higher level of care than a board and care residential, but a lower level of care than psychiatric hospitalization. Services will be culturally and linguistically appropriate to help TAY safely and successfully transition back to community living after a period of psychiatric crisis and recovery.	<a href="http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/mhsa/mhsa.asp#">http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/mhsa/mhsa.asp#</a>

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San Diego	Wellness and Self-Regulation for Children and Youth	INN	<p>Integrated therapeutic experience for children in an existing program (e.g., residential or day treatment, school site) that uses a number of innovative activities to address overall mental and physical wellness. The goal is to positively impact arousal level, mood, appetite and eating behavior, sleep patterns, physical health, and social interactions in order to increase wellness and self-regulation and healthy lifestyle changes.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Physical fitness</li> <li>• Relaxation training</li> <li>• Spirituality and mindfulness education</li> <li>• Nutritional education</li> <li>• Social skills activities</li> <li>• Gardening</li> <li>• Other activities TBD</li> <li>• Integrated with usual mental health services</li> </ul> <p>Target population:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Children and youth, age 0-16 years</li> <li>• Diagnosed with Serious Emotional Disturbance</li> </ul>	<a href="http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv-Summ-Current.pdf">http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv-Summ-Current.pdf</a>
San Diego	Hope Connections Peer and Family Engagement Project	INN	<p>Integrated teams of transition age youth, adult, older adult and family peer support specialists that provide a number of services to new mental health clients at the clinic site. One team also serves individuals in the County Emergency Psychiatric Unit. The goal is to provide peer and family support to individuals and families at or prior to their first mental health visit. The support teams also focus on providing wellness and recovery support and education throughout service utilization. Initial engagement and orientation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Outreach</li> <li>• System navigation</li> <li>• Ongoing support and education groups</li> <li>• Referral and linkage with community supports and options for school and employment</li> </ul> <p>Target population:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Transition age youth, age 18-24 years</li> <li>• Adults, age 25-59 years</li> <li>• Older adults, age 60+</li> <li>• Individuals receiving services at the Emergency Psychiatric Unit</li> </ul>	<a href="http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv-Summ-Current.pdf">http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv-Summ-Current.pdf</a>
San Diego	Physical Health Integration Project	INN	<p>Integrated approach to mental and physical health services through two program sites – a primary care clinic and a mental health clinic. Eligible clients receive ongoing behavioral health services at a primary care location. In addition, a Behavioral Health Consultant and an Alcohol and Drug Consultant offer services at the primary care site. A Nurse Care Coordinator provides physical health information and screening at the partnering mental health clinic.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mental health and substance use support and services</li> <li>• Physical health services</li> <li>• Recovery-oriented individual and group wellness education</li> <li>• Chronic disease management</li> <li>• Peer support and recovery groups</li> </ul>	<a href="http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv-Summ-Current.pdf">http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv-Summ-Current.pdf</a>

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San Diego	Mobility Management in North San Diego County	INN	Provides peer-based information sharing and support to assist clients with transportation options. A volunteer peer ride share program also enhances client mobility. The program lead coordinates resources and collaborates with the transportation community. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Peer-based information sharing and support (Travel Buddy)</li> <li>• Transportation resource coordination</li> <li>• Peer ride share program</li> </ul>	<a href="http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv- Summ-Current.pdf">http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv- Summ-Current.pdf</a>
San Diego	Positive Parenting for Men in Recovery	INN	Offers a unique parenting enrichment program for fathers in Alcohol and Other Drug treatment programs in order to improve their parenting skills, provide education on mental health, and understand the impact of trauma and violence on their children and families. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Parenting education and skills training</li> <li>• Education on co-occurring disorders</li> <li>• Wellness and recovery support</li> <li>• Education on prevention of family trauma and violence</li> <li>• Mental health counseling and referrals</li> </ul>	<a href="http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv- Summ-Current.pdf">http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv- Summ-Current.pdf</a>
San Diego	After School Inclusion	INN	Provides Inclusion Aides at existing integrated community-based after-school programs throughout the County to allow youth with social-emotional/behavior issues access to after-school programs that same-aged typical (i.e. non-disabled) peers attend. The goal of the program is to increase access to after-school programs to youth with social-emotional/behavioral issues who have been prevented from attending, discharged from, or at risk of discharge from inclusive after-school programs. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Motivational engagement</li> <li>• Inclusion Aide support</li> <li>• Referrals to mental health and community services</li> <li>• Integration with after-school program</li> </ul> Target population: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Youth, age 5-14 years with social-emotional/behavioral issues</li> <li>• Enrolled in after-school program sites located at elementary and middle school throughout the County</li> </ul>	<a href="http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv- Summ-Current.pdf">http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv- Summ-Current.pdf</a>
San Diego	Transition Age and Foster Youth	INN	Enhances life skills, increase self sufficiency and self esteem, improve behavioral and mental health conditions, and overall wellness for TAY and Foster Youth. Three interactive components: Coaching, Mentoring and Teaching <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Activities focusing on education/higher education, vocational training, comprehensive independent living skills, employment preparation and supports</li> <li>• Support with peer, parent, life skills coaches and older adults</li> <li>• Housing and flex fund support</li> </ul>	<a href="http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv- Summ-Current.pdf">http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv- Summ-Current.pdf</a>
San Diego	Independent Living Facilities	INN	Creates an Independent Living Facility (ILF) Association with voluntary membership. The goal of this program is to promote the highest quality home environments for adults with severe mental illness. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Community collaboration</li> <li>• ILF Directory</li> <li>• Education and Training to Clients and ILF Operators</li> </ul>	<a href="http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv- Summ-Current.pdf">http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv- Summ-Current.pdf</a>
San Diego	Health Literacy	INN	On hold.	<a href="http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv- Summ-Current.pdf">http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv- Summ-Current.pdf</a>



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San Diego	In Home Outreach Teams	INN	Operates up to three regional mobile teams that will be clinic-based and provide mobile in-home outreach and engagement services to individuals with SMI who are reluctant to seek outpatient mental health services and their family members. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In-home assessment</li> <li>• Crisis intervention</li> <li>• Case Management</li> <li>• Support Services</li> <li>• Peer and Family member engagement</li> <li>• Linkages to outpatient programs</li> </ul> Target population: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• TAY</li> <li>• Adults</li> <li>• Older adults</li> <li>• In the North County and Central Region</li> <li>• Special outreach and engagement with African American individuals with SMI that have not been in the outpatient mental health system and are being released from the jail system</li> </ul>	<a href="http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv-Summ-Current.pdf">http://sandiego.camhsa.org/files/INN-Prg-Serv-Summ-Current.pdf</a>
San Francisco	Mindfulness-based Intervention for Youth and their Providers	INN	A 10-week, practice-based group intervention for high-school-age youth that teaches strategies to reduce stress and reactive behaviors while gaining greater self-control. Adult youth workers (therapists, social workers, nurses, outreach workers, etc.) will receive a similar group intervention. A select number of participants will receive additional train-the-trainer instruction, thereby allowing them to carry the intervention to staff at home agency and to other youth groups in the City.	<a href="http://www.sfdph.org/dph/comupg/oservices/mentalHlth/MHSA/default.asp">http://www.sfdph.org/dph/comupg/oservices/mentalHlth/MHSA/default.asp</a>
San Francisco	Supported Employment & Cognitive Training (SECT)	INN	Goal to empower consumers with serious mental illness to obtain competitive jobs in the community by combining Supported Employment (SE) practices with cutting-edge computerized cognitive training (CT) that sharpen clients' thinking, memory, and problem-solving skills.	<a href="http://www.sfdph.org/dph/comupg/oservices/mentalHlth/MHSA/default.asp">http://www.sfdph.org/dph/comupg/oservices/mentalHlth/MHSA/default.asp</a>
San Francisco	Peer-Led Hoarding and Cluttering Support Team	INN	The Peer Led Hoarding and Cluttering Support Team (PLST) will serve to increase access to services for the underserved group of San Franciscans with serious hoarding and cluttering issues via a peer-based model of care in which Peer Responders with first-hand experience of hoarding and cluttering collaborate with support staff to provide interventions and access to therapeutic services while avoiding eviction and maintaining consumers in their housing.	<a href="http://www.sfdph.org/dph/comupg/oservices/mentalHlth/MHSA/default.asp">http://www.sfdph.org/dph/comupg/oservices/mentalHlth/MHSA/default.asp</a>
San Francisco	Adapt the WRAP (Wellness Recovery Action Plan)	INN	Outreach and trainings to educate TAY and about the WRAP tool; TAY develop an adaptation of the WRAP tool, incorporating youth friendly media, for a TAY audience.	<a href="http://www.sfdph.org/dph/comupg/oservices/mentalHlth/MHSA/default.asp">http://www.sfdph.org/dph/comupg/oservices/mentalHlth/MHSA/default.asp</a>
San Joaquin	Innovation	INN	Examines how residential learning communities for high-frequency users of unplanned mental health services increase consumer engagement in their own recovery.	<a href="http://sjmhsa.net/">http://sjmhsa.net/</a>
San Luis Obispo	System Empowerment for Consumers, Families, and Providers	INN	System Empowerment for Consumers, Families, and Providers, is an effort to engage and increase understanding amongst consumers, family members, and providers. This project creates an approach to mutual learning and enhanced collaboration, including: a trust-building retreat designed to engage providers, consumers and family members in building literacy amongst their respective needs and issues. This project also develops core training for all participants within the public mental health system.	<a href="http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm">http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm</a>



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San Luis Obispo	Atascadero Student Wellness Career Project	INN	The Atascadero Student Wellness Career Project is a partnership with Atascadero Unified School District to test a peer counseling model with a public health emphasis focused on reducing stigma and increasing exposure to behavioral health education and careers.	<a href="http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm">http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm</a>
San Luis Obispo	Older Adult Family Facilitation	INN	Wilshire Community Services is testing the Older Adult Family Facilitation model which is a blend of two distinct models successful with children and older adults. This model addresses the need for integrating system supports when engaging seniors in mental health care.	<a href="http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm">http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm</a>
San Luis Obispo	Nonviolent Communication (NVC) Education Trial	INN	Nonviolent Communications Education Trial brings the most recent partner, United Way of San Luis Obispo County to test an early intervention practice for transitional age youth with serious mental illness and their families, by utilizing a known communication method in businesses and mediation.	<a href="http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm">http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm</a>
San Luis Obispo	Wellness Arts 101	INN	Cuesta college administers the Wellness Arts 101 class; a for-credit college course designed by students with mental illness for students with mental illness to develop art and whole wellness skills while meeting in a safe environment and building academic capacity.	<a href="http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm">http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm</a>
San Luis Obispo	Warm Reception and Family Guidance	INN	Warm Reception and Family Guidance adapts the Stanford Cancer Center's patient, family and caregiver programs in a mental health clinic setting and examines new customer service practices to improve engagement and outcomes.	<a href="http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm">http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm</a>
San Luis Obispo	Operation Coastal Care	INN	Operation Coastal Care is an innovative approach to veteran services utilizing the popularity of local surf academies to embed therapists in non-military or clinic settings with the goal of determining how best to treat returning soldiers to the County.	<a href="http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm">http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm</a>
San Luis Obispo	Outreach Play Therapy Trial	INN	Community Action Partnership is testing the Multi-Modal Play Therapy Outreach Trial, a parent-led multi-modal play therapy approach using three evidence based practices to increase access and services to rural and remote areas of the county.	<a href="http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm">http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/health/mentalhealth/services/mhsa.htm</a>

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San Mateo	Total Wellness	INN	<p>We build on several emerging, innovative practices for this program we have called TOTAL WELLNESS. Research shows that people with serious mental illness have a range of healthcare issues that compromise their ability to pursue recovery, and the behavioral health system should function as their entry point into primary healthcare --if they are not already being served or if they are underserved. Building on learnings from practices that have been successful in the primary care setting, Total Wellness aims at improving the health status of seriously mentally ill individuals who suffer chronic health conditions, adapting some of the strategies in those practices for use in the behavioral health system. Total Wellness also builds upon and supports the practices of the Primary Care Nurse Practitioners that for almost two decades have been located in BHRS clinics, providing assistance and backup to their provision of general healthcare services in the behavioral health setting. Total Wellness has increased Primary Care hours in the BHRS clinics from 1.5 days a week to 5 days a week. Moreover, the incorporation of Nurse Care Managers assures smooth and seamless collaboration among all care providers, ensures that pertinent health and clinical information is disseminated to the client and to providers, and allows for monitoring of progress and appropriate referrals to various wellness services. Lastly, the addition of Peer-led health and wellness services aims to support participating clients in their wellness journey through individual coaching, groups, or classes led by peers who have lived experience with behavioral health issues.</p> <p>To facilitate a coordinated wellness and service experience for clients, the Nurse Care Managers work closely with Peer Wellness Coaches, Primary Care, Behavioral Health Providers, and other care providers as needed to help improve individuals with behavioral health issues who also have elevated blood pressures, elevated glucose or hemoglobin A1C, elevated lipids, or who use tobacco, assuring that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• they are connected to ongoing healthcare in a primary care medical home within our BHRS clinics</li> <li>• they get clinical preventive screenings (for example, mammograms and other cancer screenings), as well as appropriate primary and specialty healthcare for chronic health conditions (by coaching and/or supporting them in primary care visits or arranging for peers to accompany them)</li> <li>• they follow up on medications prescribed for physical health conditions</li> <li>• they engage in chronic disease self management training</li> </ul> <p>The Nurse Care Managers also link people to benefits counseling, the Smoking Cessation classes, and plan and co-lead with Peer Wellness Coaches ongoing groups that support healthy lifestyle changes. A key feature of this innovative approach is the utilization of peers as health and wellness coaches, assisting seriously mentally ill individuals in the management of their health conditions. Peer Coaches are invaluable in that they use their lived experience and wellness success to inspire and support clients going through their own wellness journey.</p>	<a href="http://www.co.sanmateo.ca.us/portal/site/health/menuitem.e61f1c321415a767a181dda7917332a0/?vgnextoid=71393b5678f75210VgnVCM1000001937230aRCRD&amp;vgnnextfmt=DivisionsLanding">http://www.co.sanmateo.ca.us/portal/site/health/menuitem.e61f1c321415a767a181dda7917332a0/?vgnextoid=71393b5678f75210VgnVCM1000001937230aRCRD&amp;vgnnextfmt=DivisionsLanding</a>
Santa Barbara	MHSA Innovation	INN	<p>Innovation funding supports specialized benefits acquisition teams based in CARES North (Santa Maria) and CARES South (Santa Barbara). These teams assist high-risk, indigent adults with severe mental illness in obtaining benefits. While the individuals are engaged in the benefits application process, peer and treatment services will be available. In addition, a new part-time position will be created to link individuals with severe mental illness leaving the county jail to the benefits acquisition teams.</p>	<a href="http://www.countyofsb.org/admhs/">http://www.countyofsb.org/admhs/</a>
Santa Clara	Early Childhood Universal Screening Project	INN	<p>Develops a model to increase access to services and improve outcomes by strengthening the screening and referral process for young children with developmental concerns and social-emotional delays. This project will test whether the implementation of multi-language electronic developmental screening tools and audio/visual components in a pediatric clinic provides an economic, low cost, and effective method for linking parents and their children to mental health and other indicated services.</p>	<a href="http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx">http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx</a>

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Santa Clara	Peer Run TAY Inn	INN	Increases access to services and improve outcomes for high-risk, transition age youth in a voluntary 24-hour care setting. The project model proposes the implementation of an innovative 24-hour service that involves a significant expansion of the role of TAY employees in decision-making and provision of program services.	<a href="http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx">http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx</a>
Santa Clara	Co-Occurring Mental Health Disorders in Adults with Autism & Developmental	INN	Tests an assessment model for determining the extent of concurrent psychiatric and developmental disabilities and will explore models of effective treatment for individuals challenged by these dual conditions.	<a href="http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx">http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx</a>
Santa Clara	Elders' Storytelling Project	INN	Develops a model to increase the quality of services for isolated older adults by adapting a culturally-based "story-telling" approach that capitalizes on the traditional role of older adults as transmitters of cultural wisdom and values. The core service will be provided by community workers through a 12-week curriculum where the older adult, in the company of family members and caregivers, is elicited to reminisce on his/her life and express and capture significant memories and personal accomplishments.	<a href="http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx">http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx</a>
Santa Clara	Multi-Cultural Center (MCC)	INN	Increase access to underserved and inappropriately served ethnic minorities by housing activities and services for multiple ethnic communities in Santa Clara County. MCC will provide an opportunity for ethnic minority community coordinators to collaborate in identifying and initiating multi-cultural approaches to successfully engage individuals in mental health services in a culturally sensitive manner and find sensitive ways to combat stigma and internalized oppression.	<a href="http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx">http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx</a>
Santa Clara	Transitional Mental Health Services for Newly Released Inmates	INN	Develops a model that examines whether the organizational support of the Mental Health Department provided to an inter-faith collaborative and coordination and collaboration with other service providers/advocacy groups increases the capacity of faith organizations to serve newly-released inmates and improve outcomes (symptom management; relationships; work/meaningful activities; and satisfaction with service).	<a href="http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx">http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx</a>
Santa Clara	Mental Health / Law Enforcement Post Crisis Intervention	INN	Develops a model to improve mental health crisis resolution and engagement in services for individuals and their families who experience law enforcement-involved acute mental health crises through the provision of compassionate and timely post-crisis services that include post-event visits (within 24-hours) from a team that includes a peer/family mentor and mental health clinician; follow-up support and linkage services; and de-briefing with law enforcement liaisons, consumer/family mentors and clinical staff to continually inform the effectiveness of service.	<a href="http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx">http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx</a>
Santa Clara	Interactive Video Scenarios Training	INN	A unique new application of Interactive Video Simulation Training (IVST) to teach police officers to recognize mental illness, de-escalate mentally ill people in crisis, and increase access for these people to services. In IVST applications, students interact with a life-sized video projection that actually changes based on the students statements and decisions. Project 8 will produce six interactive video simulations depicting mentally ill people in crisis. The IVST will be used in conjunction with lecture and discussion to increase the awareness and proficiency of police officers encountering people with mental illness.	<a href="http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx">http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx</a>
Santa Clara	AB109/117 Re-Entry Multi-Agency Pilot Also Known As "Re-Entry	INN	The aim of this pilot is to develop and test a service needs assessment and delivery model that will facilitate interagency coordination with Probation, Custody Health Services, the Department of Alcohol and Drug Services, and the Social Services Agency in assessing and providing relevant and effective re-entry services for incarcerated adults exiting prison and jail settings.	<a href="http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx">http://www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/MHSA/Pages/default.aspx</a>

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Santa Cruz	Avenues: Work First for Individuals with co- occurring disorders	INN	<p>Increases access to underserved groups; to increase the quality of services, including better outcomes; to promote interagency collaboration; and/or to increase access to services. A requirement of the component is to try a new approach, and to “learn” from it.</p> <p>The County’s work plan name is “Avenues: Work First for Individuals with co-occurring disorders”.</p> <p>The target population for this program is transition age youth and adults. This includes persons with severe and chronic mental illness; persons who abuse alcohol and drugs whose mental health issues interfere with their ability to achieve stable recovery and put them at risk of jail and hospitalization or homelessness; and transition age youth with co-occurring disorders of mental illness and substance abuse. Referrals for Avenues: Work First for Individuals with Co-Occurring Disorders come from the jail, court, probation, proposition 36, hospitals, shelters, outreach, and Santa Cruz County Mental Health (Access and “system of care”).</p> <p>Avenues: Work First for Individuals with Co-Occurring Disorders is a “Work First” approach as a core treatment modality for co-occurring disorders. The innovation is to engage people in active work related activities as an alternative to traditional mental health and/or substance abuse treatment modalities, rather than focusing primarily on the individuals’ symptoms. It is designed after a philosophy and model known as “Housing First.” The Housing First approach centers on providing homeless people with housing quickly and then providing services as needed. In this proposal we will take a similar approach emphasizing work as a motivating and protective factor. This innovative program expects to have more positive outcomes by offering “natural” activities, e.g., work or career paths that will provide individual incentives for success. These incentives are person centered, designed by each participant based on their own self described goals.</p>	<a href="http://www.santacruzhealth.org/prop63/index.htm">http://www.santacruzhealth.org/prop63/index.htm</a>
Shasta	Community Intervention Pre-Crisis Team (CIPT)	INN	<p>The Community Intervention Pre-Crisis Team (CIPT) is a 2-year program that started January 2013 that is run through the Second Home wellness and recovery center. The CIPT is a tiered-response team designed to help consumers and their families prevent situations from escalating into crisis. Team members include consumers (with a focus on those with experience with homelessness), family members, and mental health educators. Teams have partnerships with clinicians, medical staff, and law enforcement, with services being offered in the home or at other locations within the community. Services are provided to both consumers and family members and vary depending on the level of help requested. Services include homeless outreach, education about psychiatric illnesses, peer support, respite care, in-home mental health services, and crisis aftercare.</p>	<a href="http://secondhome@nvcss.org">http://secondhome@nvcss.org</a>

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Solano	Community Access to Resources and Education (CARE)	INN	Solano County Mental Health's Innovation program is entitled Community Access to Resources and Education (CARE), and is administered by Aldea Children and Family Services. The CARE Plan was developed using consumer and stakeholder input gathered at community planning meetings. The CARE program brings mental health services, including assessment, medication support, case management, and brief treatment, to locations throughout Solano County where people are already accessing other health and social services, such as family resource centers, homeless shelters, and primary care sites. CARE services are provided by a mobile mental health team that can travel to community locations throughout the county to provide mental health services. By taking mental health services out of the clinic and into the community, CARE aims to eliminate the barriers that many underserved groups have in accessing services, including transportation to distant cities for services and the stigma associated with visiting a mental health clinic. In addition to co-locating with community agencies to provide services, Aldea facilitates Mental Health First Aid trainings in Solano County to educate and build provider capacity to respond to mental health crises. This year, MHFA trainings were expanded to include youth and Spanish- speaking trainings. This program was renewed for one year through June 30, 2014, with the permission of the Mental Health Oversight and Accountability Commission.	<a href="http://www.co.solano.ca.us/depts/hss/mhs/mhsa/default.asp">http://www.co.solano.ca.us/depts/hss/mhs/mhsa/default.asp</a>
Sonoma	Mobile Support Team	INN	Integrates consumers and family members into a county-wide response team, and retrains mental health staff to work effectively alongside consumers and family members. Adapts crisis response team models that rely solely on the involvement of licensed clinicians by integrating trained consumers and family members into the team. Proposes to engage in a number of bridge-building activities with law enforcement to support crisis response.	<a href="http://www.sonoma-county.org/health/mh/mhsa.htm">http://www.sonoma-county.org/health/mh/mhsa.htm</a>
Sonoma	Integrated Health Team	INN	Creates a client-centered, holistic approach that incorporates community health education strategies as a core component of primary care and behavioral health service provision. In this model, the primary goal is to address unmanaged physical health conditions that lead to early morbidity for consumers living with serious and persistent mental illness (SPMI). Launches an integrated, multidisciplinary team of peer health educators, physicians, nurses, psychiatrists, behavioral health specialists, and care managers. Create a new three-pronged model by adapting two existing models: 1) primary care and behavior health integration model, and 2) peer- based community health education.	<a href="http://www.sonoma-county.org/health/mh/mhsa.htm">http://www.sonoma-county.org/health/mh/mhsa.htm</a>
Stanislaus	Evolving a Community-owned Behavioral Health System of	INN	Implemented by BHRS, this project focuses on learning what works in developing stakeholder processes that enable community and county partners to join with BHRS leaders in collaborative decision-making to develop ownership of an integrated, financially sustainable behavioral health system committed to results.	<a href="http://stanislausmhsa.com/">http://stanislausmhsa.com/</a>

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Stanislaus	Arts for Freedom - Peer Recovery Art Project	INN	Increases quality of services, including better outcomes for individuals of all ages. Arts for Freedom project has a mission to emphasize what people can do rather than what they cannot do through artistic expression and in support of artistic pursuits. Arts for Freedom is open to anyone from Stanislaus County who wants to participate and will provide opportunity for artists who live with mental illness to show the quality and depth of their art. This novel project will attract artist from diverse cultures and ethnic groups throughout Stanislaus County. Arts for Freedom will serve as a parallel social support system, a gateway to services and providers, will develop linkages for referral purposes and encourage use of community-based services whenever possible with a primary purpose of increasing quality of services and producing better outcomes for people. We need a project like this to increase access creative social supports and reduce stigma so that people can be identified as something other than their illness or diagnosis. The project will help support and accelerate county-wide transformation by connecting people receiving services to community-based supports.	<a href="http://stanislausmhsa.com/">http://stanislausmhsa.com/</a>
Stanislaus	Beth and Joanna Friends in Recovery	INN	Increases quality of services including better outcomes in this project that pairs two individuals, a peer and a pal, for a six-month period of time. A Peer is someone who has mental illness and/or co-occurring substance issues, is isolated or needs support. A Pal is someone successful in recovery from their mental illness and/or co-occurring substance issues and has had some basic training in the mental health field such as the 10- week NAMI Peer-to-Peer course, or be attending our junior college and taking psycho-social rehabilitation courses. Pals will be recruited from among MJC Human Services students in the California Association of Social Rehabilitation Curriculum (CASRA) class (an MHSA Workforce Education and Training Program). The project will help support and accelerate county-wide transformation by connecting people receiving services to community-based supports.	<a href="http://stanislausmhsa.com/">http://stanislausmhsa.com/</a>
Stanislaus	Building Support Systems for Troubled Youth	INN	Increases the quality of service and better outcomes for troubled youth through a family resource center-based mentoring program that integrates school, community, and family support systems to increase developmental assets in troubled youth ages 7-11 yrs. a secondary focus will occur as promotion of interagency collaboration is addressed to achieve quality of service and better outcomes. The local community-based family resource center will take the lead and coordinate project activity, local school administrators will assist in identifying at-risk youth, share the use of school facilities and allow the use of teacher and/or administrator staff time to participate and local businesses partners who provide incentives and services to participating children and families. If proven effective, the project could be replicated in other communities in Stanislaus County.	<a href="http://stanislausmhsa.com/">http://stanislausmhsa.com/</a>
Stanislaus	Civility School Learning Project	INN	Increasing quality of services including better outcomes by creating ownership of “social culture” at Keyes Elementary and Spratling Middle School in students, classroom teachers, parents, and campus staff through campus-wide introduction of civility activities and strategies. Traditional models for providing school-based mental health support for students have a primary focus on “solving the problem” or “fixing the student” with much less focus on connecting the individual to his/her natural support community of peers, parents and personnel. Student behavioral problems are often the source and ongoing fuel for adversarial interactions that lack civility between parents, kids and school staff; academic and non-academic.	<a href="http://stanislausmhsa.com/">http://stanislausmhsa.com/</a>



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Stanislaus	Connecting Youth to Community Supports	INN	Increasing quality of services including better outcomes with secondary foci of promoting interagency collaboration and increasing access to services by offering youth who are currently receiving services at Sierra Vista Child and Family Services, the Drop in Center Family Resource Center (FRC), the North Modesto/Salida Family Resource Center, the Hughson Family Resource Center, and the Bridge access to community-based activities. Clinicians will assist youth in identifying activities they are curious about, interested in, and passionate about. The Community Support Specialist, based at FRC or other partner agency, would receive an activity referral and the Specialist would connect the youth to the desired activity and monitor participation in the activity. The clinician would monitor progress toward recovery including length of time and intensity of treatment.	<a href="http://stanislausmhsa.com/">http://stanislausmhsa.com/</a>
Stanislaus	Families in the Park	INN	Increases access to underserved groups through an innovative approach in a culturally specific way of outreaching to young African-American families (predominantly mothers with pre-school children) who spend their days from April to November in West Modesto's Mellis Park. Locating the project in the untypical and accessible location of the familiar neighborhood park is the first step in a culturally specific approach as the park is a place where families feel relaxed and comfortable.	<a href="http://stanislausmhsa.com/">http://stanislausmhsa.com/</a>
Stanislaus	Integration Innovations	INN	Increases the quality of services including better outcomes, for adult and older adult individuals of all cultures, and ethnicities who receive medical and psychiatric care in a primary care clinic setting. Stanislaus County needs a project like this to increase the quality of services offered to medically high-risk populations, including uninsured and underinsured individuals who have psychiatric illnesses and/or substance abuse issues co-occurring with chronic disease such as diabetes and hypertension. Access to peer supports is not currently included in primary care service delivery and has the potential to achieve better outcomes for overall well-being including health and mental health.	<a href="http://stanislausmhsa.com/">http://stanislausmhsa.com/</a>
Stanislaus	Promoting Community Wellness through Nature	INN	A community-based approach that proposes to increase access to underserved groups through a combination of family-oriented outdoor programming and capacity for resident-led neighborhood improvements as "therapies" to address wellness issues in the Airport Neighborhood.	<a href="http://stanislausmhsa.com/">http://stanislausmhsa.com/</a>
Stanislaus	Revolution Project	INN	Engages adults who own businesses or have other civic leadership roles to learn what it takes to resolve existing conflicts with youth from nearby schools and build partnerships that transform mental health in the rural, underserved Westside community of Patterson.	<a href="http://stanislausmhsa.com/">http://stanislausmhsa.com/</a>
Sutter-Yuba	Innovation	INN	Sutter-Yuba Counties does not have an approved Innovation Plan at this time. The Innovation Plan is in the final stages of development based on feedback from the state Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission	<a href="http://www.co.sutter.ca.us/doc/government/depts/hs/mh/hs_mental_health_services_act">http://www.co.sutter.ca.us/doc/government/depts/hs/mh/hs_mental_health_services_act</a>
Trinity	Peer Mentoring	INN	Provides Agency support so peer mentoring can be delivered to clients using the Respite Bed Program at Alpine House.	
Trinity	Permanent County Positions	INN	Consumers to provide the peer mentoring for Alpine House.	<a href="http://www.trinitycounty.org">www.trinitycounty.org</a>
Trinity	Respite	INN	Underwrite the Respite bed at Alpine House.	<a href="http://www.trinitycounty.org">www.trinitycounty.org</a>
Trinity	Technology Support	INN	Provides technology support to contract for data collection and analysis on the learning question for Innovation.	<a href="http://www.trinitycounty.org">www.trinitycounty.org</a>



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Trinity	MHSA Coordinator funding to support Respite effort	INN	Funds a portion of an MHSA Coordinator to provide the support to this new important effort in our County.	<a href="http://www.trinitycounty.org">www.trinitycounty.org</a>
Tulare	Integrated Clinic with Pharmaceutical Case Management	INN	The Integrated Clinic with Pharmaceutical Case Management program combines consultation, assessment, and warm linkage for providers of physical health, mental health, substance abuse, medication management, and community services. This is an effort to ameliorate current fragmentation of service delivery and create pathways of communication between physical health and mental health providers.	<a href="http://www.tchhsa.org/hhsa/">http://www.tchhsa.org/hhsa/</a>
Tulare	Recovery Academy	INN	Not Yet Implemented: The Recovery Academy involves the development of a peer-led recovery academy at both County mental health clinics to serve as an additional level of care within the existing mental health delivery system, and will create a new service delivery model that is consumer and family member driven, with peer staff at all levels.	<a href="http://www.tchhsa.org/hhsa/">http://www.tchhsa.org/hhsa/</a>
Tulare	My Voice Media Center	INN	The My Voice Media Center program will provide the opportunity to develop methods in which consumers and family members tell their stories through various mediums, such as public oral expression, video, and music. The My Voice Media Center introduces a new approach that has been successful in non-mental health contexts, including campaigns for educational rights, human trafficking, and advocacy for individuals living with HIV. Forms of expression such as participatory INN Programs photography programs provide individuals from disadvantaged and marginalized communities with tools for advocacy and communication to create positive social change.	<a href="http://www.tchhsa.org/hhsa/">http://www.tchhsa.org/hhsa/</a>
Tuolumne	Interagency community task force to oversee the implementation and effectiveness of case management and peer recovery strategies	INN	Current Innovation project: "Wellness: One Mind, One Body" involves collaboration and integration with Primary Health Care. Previous Innovation project: Created an interagency community task force to oversee the implementation and effectiveness of case management and peer recovery strategies that target individuals with mental illness who are currently conserved or at risk of being conserved; may require a higher level of care (inpatient hospitalization/residential placement); and are residing in residential facilities and are able to return home to live safe and independent lives. Develops new strategies that improve behavioral health services for Tuolumne County's residents with mental illness; reduce the number of repeat placements in higher or more restrictive levels of care, and provide on going evaluation of strategies identifying both successful and unsuccessful outcomes to develop a long-term strategic plan. A team of case managers provide support to this program as needed, including a licensed Psychiatric Technician (PT), for medication management.	<a href="http://www.tcbehavioralhealth.com">www.tcbehavioralhealth.com</a> <a href="http://tuolumne.networkofcare.org/mh/">http://tuolumne.networkofcare.org/mh/</a> <a href="http://tuolumne.networkofcare.org/content/client/176/Tuolumne-County-Behavioral-Health-MHSA-Annual-Update-2013-2014.pdf">http://tuolumne.networkofcare.org/content/client/176/Tuolumne-County-Behavioral-Health-MHSA-Annual-Update-2013-2014.pdf</a>
Ventura	Mixteco Engagement	INN	This project focuses on increasing outreach and access for the Mixteco (indigenous) population, primarily in the Oxnard Plains area of Ventura County. This project will be guided by an innovative approach to engaging stakeholders in the Mixteco community in a manner that incorporates the unique cultural traits of this group. The resulting peer-driven process for development, implementation and evaluation of outreach, education and service approaches will be evaluated to determine if there is increased access to services and supports by the Mixteco community.	<a href="http://www.vchca.org/behavioral-health/mental-health-services-act-(mhsa)">http://www.vchca.org/behavioral-health/mental-health-services-act-(mhsa)</a>

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Ventura	Farm Worker Outreach	INN	This project proposes to develop an outreach and targeted mental health prevention program targeting the farm worker population, including kinship families within the population, in the Santa Clara Valley area of the County. The expected learning goal of the project is to determine whether the use of trained community members, specifically in partnership with schools and other community resources, leads to increased access to services and supports for this subset of the farmworker population.	<a href="http://www.vchca.org/behavioral-health/mental-health-services-act-(mhsa)">http://www.vchca.org/behavioral-health/mental-health-services-act-(mhsa)</a>
Ventura	Quality of Life Improvement Project	INN	The project seeks to examine whether the establishment of meaningful, non-clinical activities for adults with serious and persistent mental illness (SPMI) will serve as a bridge for these individuals to increase participation in clinical treatment or other daily life activities and whether those individuals experience improvement in physical and mental health outcomes. The project targets individuals with SPMI, living in board and care facilities, who are isolated and do not have access to quality of life enhancing activities – sometimes due to the severity of their illness which precludes their participation through normal avenues.	<a href="http://www.vchca.org/behavioral-health/mental-health-services-act-(mhsa)">http://www.vchca.org/behavioral-health/mental-health-services-act-(mhsa)</a>
Ventura	Health Care Access and Outcomes Project	INN	This project will support consumers in addressing in an integrated manner, their interrelated mental and physical health needs. The project serves adult consumers with intensive serious and persistent mental health needs through the transformation of existing full service partnership programs serving Older Adults and individuals with high utilization of IMDs who have historically been underserved in the mental health system (the Empowering Partners through Integrative Community Services (EPICS) program) . The project includes training of the entire treatment teams in "health navigation," which is intended to support consumers in accessing and navigating physical health care and ensuring treatment and management of physical health conditions. The project will also incorporate health education and health behavior support strategies with the goal of improving both physical and mental health status and promoting a more integrated approach to behavioral health care.	<a href="http://www.vchca.org/behavioral-health/mental-health-services-act-(mhsa)">http://www.vchca.org/behavioral-health/mental-health-services-act-(mhsa)</a>
Ventura	Capital Development and Capitalized Operating Subsidy	MHSA Housing	The funds allocated by DMH to Ventura County and administered by California Housing Finance Authority provide permanent financing and capitalized operating subsidies to develop permanent supportive housing for MHSA-eligible individuals with serious mental illness who are homeless or at risk of homelessness. At present, 15 units completed, 24 ready for occupancy, 15 under construction and 11 in development, for a total of 65 apartments, affordable to very- and extremely- low income individuals. An additional 31 units: 15 units developed as a result of one-time extraordinary MHSA funding (preceded MHSA Housing Program) and 16 units developed, as a result of MHSA but funded from other sources.	<a href="http://www.vchca.org/behavioral-health/mental-health-services-act-(mhsa)">http://www.vchca.org/behavioral-health/mental-health-services-act-(mhsa)</a>
Yolo	Innovation	INN	The Yolo Local Innovation Fast Track Grant Program (L.I.F.T.) provides for three levels of funding to be made available to community providers and stakeholders for the purpose of encouraging and enhancing community collaboration in introducing innovative programs, events and trainings to the local mental health community on a fast track basis, while bolstering the economies of local providers and rejuvenating the local stakeholder process. Programs of the highest level, which provide direct services consistent with MHSA requirements, are eligible for reiterative funding for up to three years. Current L.I.F.T. Programs, through FY13-14, include: Integrated Mental Health Services; Harm-Reduction Model Co-Occurring Disorder Program; Greater Access Program (GAP) for homeless, un-diagnosed, un-served or un-benefitted adults.	<a href="http://www.yolocounty.org/index.aspx?page=99">http://www.yolocounty.org/index.aspx?page=99</a> 1

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Yolo	Innovation	INN	<p>The Yolo Local Innovation Fast Track Grant Program (L.I.F.T.) provides for three levels of funding to be made available to community providers and stakeholders for the purpose of encouraging and enhancing community collaboration in introducing innovative programs, events and trainings to the local mental health community on a fast track basis, while bolstering the economies of local providers and rejuvenating the local stakeholder process. Programs of the highest level, which provide direct services consistent with MHSA requirements, are eligible for reiterative funding for up to three years. Current L.I.F.T. Programs, through FY 13-14, include: Integrated Mental Health Services; Harm-Reduction Model Co-Occurring Disorder Program; Greater Access Program (GAP) for homeless, un-diagnosed, un-served or un-benefitted adults.</p>	<p><a href="http://www.yolocounty.org/index.aspx?page=99">http://www.yolocounty.org/index.aspx?page=99</a> 1</p>