MHSA-PREVENTION AND EARLY INTERVENTION (PEI) ORGANIZATIONAL SURVEY

Your opinion is important, and we want to know what you think about services to be offered and populations to be helped by mental illness prevention and early intervention programs in Orange County.
Please help us by answering the following questions. The information you provide is confidential and anonymous.
To return your completed survey, please put it in the envelope provided and drop it in the nearest mailbox.

1. Which of the following best describes <u>your organization</u>?

- ○ Provider of mental health services (e.g., public/private treatment center for mental illness, alcohol/drug treatment center, mental health specialist)
- ○ Provider of physical health care (e.g., public/private health clinic, hospital, emergency services, medical specialist)
- ○ Provider of social services (e.g., child/adult protective services, child and family welfare services)
- ○ Provider of employment services (e.g., employment center, employee union, occupational rehabilitation center)
- ○ Educational institution (e.g., public/private school or college, community/adult education, provider of tutoring or other related educational services, First 5 Commission)
- ○ Law enforcement (e.g., sheriff/police, courts, criminal justice, probation, legal counsel)
- ○ Organization that represents the interests of those with serious mental illness and/or serious emotional disturbance
- ○ Community based organization (e.g., multipurpose family resource center, faith-based organization, youth club, parks and recreation, homeless shelter)
- ○ Other (please specify): _____

2. <u>Approximate</u> number of people served monthly by <u>your organization</u>:

3. Populations and ages served by <u>your organization</u>. *(Select all that apply. Some individuals may represent several or all of the populations listed, and several age groups may be served within one population. N/A = Not Applicable)*

Populations Served by Your Organization	Age Groups Served by Your Organization					
	0-5	6-12	13-17	18-25	26-59	60+
People who start to show serious signs of mental illness	●	●	●	●	●	●
Children/youth in stressed, high-risk families	●	●	●	●	N/A	N/A
Children/youth at risk of failing or dropping out of school	●	●	●	●	N/A	N/A
People at risk of being arrested or put in jail	●	●	●	●	●	●
People facing trauma (e.g., loss of loved one, home, and/or employment; isolation; repeated abuse, domestic violence, refugees)	●	●	●	●	●	●

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11. How can the County of Orange strengthen its efforts to deliver mental illness prevention and early intervention services that respond to the needs of <u>underserved groups</u> (e.g., groups experiencing discrimination based on age, gender, race, language, culture, lifestyle, or beliefs)? *(Select <u>two</u> strategies you think would have the most impact <u>at the local level</u>)*

- ○ Offer services where cultural, ethnic, and other underserved groups normally meet
- ○ Work with local community leaders, pastors, doctors, teachers, and advocates
- ○ Provide resource and referral information in multiple languages *(e.g., at primary health care, school/college, pre-school, child care, nursing home, and workplace settings)*
- ○ Work-based programs *(e.g., Un/employment Centers, Employee Assistance Programs, Workplace Health Promotion Programs)*
- ○ Other *(please specify):* _____

12. Please print the <u>name of your organization</u>, <u>your job title</u>, and the organization's <u>Zip Code</u>. If you or your organization would like to be informed regarding future mental illness prevention and early intervention planning or funding opportunities, please include the additional contact information.

* Name of Organization:

* Job Title:

Contact Person:

Address:

City, State: *** Zip Code:**

Phone: ___ - ___ - ___   Email:

13. Please print any suggestions you would like to have considered as plans are being made for expanded mental illness prevention and early intervention services <u>in Orange County</u>:

Thank you for taking the time to provide us with your opinions and suggestions for improving mental illness prevention and early intervention services.

Populations Served by Your Organization	Age Groups Served by Your Organization					
	0-5	6-12	13-17	18-25	26-59	60+
People who often do not get the mental health services they need (*e.g., based on race, culture, language, age, gender, lifestyle, or beliefs*)	○	○	○	○	○	○
People with family history of mental health problems and/or use of addictive substances	○	○	○	○	○	○
People who have attempted or might attempt suicide	○	○	○	○	○	○
Other (*please specify*):	○	○	○	○	○	○

4. Please select the <u>three</u> most important goals for mental illness prevention and early intervention <u>in Orange County</u>. <u>The three most important goals include</u> reduction of:

- ○ Suicide
- ○ Arrest and detention in jail
- ○ School failure or dropout
- ○ Unemployment
- ○ Homelessness
- ○ Prolonged suffering/trauma
- ○ Community/domestic violence
- ○ Removal of children from their homes/families
- ○ Number of undetected mental health problems
- ○ Stigma/discrimination related to mental health problems
- ○ Problems facing military veterans and their families
- ○ Other (*please specify*):

5. Types of mental illness prevention and early intervention services provided by <u>your organization</u>. (*Select all that apply*)

- ○ No prevention and early intervention services offered (*Skip to next question*)
- ○ Crisis intervention
- ○ Screening, assessment, and/or evaluation for mental health problems
- ○ Short-term treatment or counseling services for mental health problems
- ○ Information and referral (*e.g., related to mental health services in the community and/or medically necessary care for individuals with severe mental illness*)
- ○ Community education, outreach, and/or support services focused on mental health problems
- ○ Training for staff/professionals regarding mental health problems (*e.g., signs/symptoms of potentially severe and disabling mental illnesses, available resources, current issues*)
- ○ Advocacy for services addressing mental health problems
- ○ Resources or services that address the specific prevention and early intervention needs of typically underserved groups (*e.g., based on race, culture, language, age, gender, lifestyle, or beliefs*)
- ○ Other (*please specify*):

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6. Race/ethnicity of individuals served by <u>your organization</u>. (*Select all that apply*)

- ○ American Indian/Native American
- ○ Black/African American
- ○ Pacific Islander
- ○ Other (*please specify*):
- ○ Asian (*please specify*):
- ○ Hispanic/Latino
- ○ White/Caucasian

7. Please estimate your organization's annual budget and the percent that is allocated to mental illness prevention and early intervention.

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8. There are enough existing mental illness prevention and early intervention resources and services <u>in Orange County</u>. (*Select <u>one</u>*)

Strongly Agree	Somewhat Agree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Somewhat Disagree	Strongly Disagree
○	○	○	○	○

9. **There is enough information available about how to find and access existing mental illness prevention and early intervention services <u>in Orange County</u>.** (*Select <u>one</u>*)

Strongly Agree	Somewhat Agree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Somewhat Disagree	Strongly Disagree
○	○	○	○	○

10. Which of the following would most assist <u>your organization</u> in better serving those in need of mental illness prevention and early intervention services? (*Select <u>two</u>*)

- ○ Mental illness prevention and early intervention information and training (*e.g., to recognize the early signs of, screen, diagnose, and/or treat potentially severe and disabling mental illnesses*)
- ○ Resources to better address the mental illness prevention and early intervention needs of underserved groups (*e.g., linguistic, ethnic, racial, cultural, and LGBT communities*)
- ○ Additional staff to provide and/or advocate for mental illness prevention and early intervention services
- ○ Access/linkage to and/or consultation regarding existing mental illness prevention and early intervention services in the community
- ○ Assistance with capacity building and opportunities to partner, collaborate, and/or leverage funding for more mental illness prevention and early intervention services
- ○ Program information/resources to reduce stigma and/or discrimination associated with being diagnosed with a mental illness or seeking mental health services
- ○ Other (*please specify*):

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