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## Challenge



- People experiencing chronic homelessness and living with serious mental health challenges (e.g., schizophrenia, schizoaffective disorder, bipolar disorder) were not being prioritized through CAHP at the rate the community would've anticipated: Assessment challenges!
- 2. People on street who need ACT services aren't getting ACT services: referral/logistical/billing challenges!

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1. Develop program models and performance measures for new programs; monitor performance and make adjustments as appropriate.

- Launched ICH Youth Data and Performance Measures Work Group
- Reviewed Program and System Performance Measures
- > 2020 Launch of TA Data Meetings



2. Develop and implement new program models to quickly stabilize youth and young adults experiencing homelessness.

- Inventory Review
- ≻ ETH
- > Joint TH / Rapid Rehousing
- > HUD Youth PSH
- Rapid Rehousing





3. Develop training curriculum and conduct cross-training, including: (1) training for adult outreach and shelter staff on youth needs and youth system protocols, and (2) training for youth providers on adult system resources and protocols.

- DHS developed flyers and posters that are placed in Adult Emergency Shelters
- Cross-Training
- In-Reach Schedule





4. Prepare grant application for U.S. Housing and Urban Development Youth Homelessness Demonstration Program (YHDP), a federally funded demonstration grant designed to fund innovative and effective ways to reduce youth experiencing homelessness.

- \$4.28 Million Awarded
- > Over 20 community meetings
- > YHDP Fellows and YAB
- > New Programming!





5. Identify youth experiencing homelessness who are served by other systems in order to 1) understand the needs of multisystem-involved youth and how to better target services; and 2) develop transfer protocols for youth receiving long-term services from, or in the custody of, the Child and Family Services Agency (CFSA), the Department of Youth Rehabilitation Services (DYRS), or DBH.

- Regular Agency Meetings (DBH, DYRS, CFSA)
- > DYRS Transition Planning (ROP 3)
- > DOC Transition Planning
- > Data Sharing Agreement





6. Identify DC-government and community-based internship/mentorship programs targeting transition age youth and determine partnership opportunities.

Recommendations will be developed by YHDP Fellows and the YAB



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