Mind & Body: Building a Healthier Indiana

Community Mental Health Centers

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Separation of Mind & Body



Historical Roles

- Past healthcare division between clinical care of patient and mental and behavioral well-being
 - Physicians focus on physical health, organ systems, bone & flesh
 - Psychologists, psychiatrists, social workers and counselors operated in separate spheres



Evolving Approaches







Prevalence of Major Depressive Disorder in Chronic Disease







Intertwined Issues

- Mental health issues can lead to chronic disease
- Chronic disease can lead to mental health issues



Indiana's Challenges

- High infant and maternal mortality rates
 - 7th worst infant mortality rate in US, 602 babies in 2017
 - 3rd highest maternal mortality rate
- High rate of obesity
 - 2/3 of adults are overweight or have obesity
- High smoking rate
 - More than 21% of adults smoke; e-cigarette use among teens rising
- Opioid epidemic



Good Health Is More Than Medicine



SPENDING & COSTS

Health Care Spending as a Percent of GDP, 1980–2017

Adjusted for Differences in Cost of Living





Notes: Current expenditures on health per capita, adjusted for current US\$ purchasing power parities (PPPs). Based on System of Health Accounts methodology, with some differences between country methodologies (Data for Australia uses narrower definition for long-term care spending than other countries). *2017 data are provisional or estimated. Source: OECD Health Data 2018.

SPENDING & COSTS

Health and Social Care Spending as a Percent of GDP, 2016 or Latest Available Year



Source: OECD Social Expenditures database (SOCX), OECD Health data 2018.



Data: Expenditures reflect the latest (2013-2016) available data for combined public and private spending. To avoid double counting, social care expenditures reflect total social spending in SOCX excluding health spending included in SOCX, while health care expenditures reflect total health spending in OECD Health Data excluding long-term care (social), health promotion with multi-sectoral approach, and gross fixed capital formation.

Social Context Screening Deployed 8/18

Healthy Opportunities Assessment Tool	Yes / No / NA
In the last 12 months, did you ever eat less than you felt you should because there wasn't enough money for food?	
In the last 12 months, has your utility company shut off your service for not paying your bills?	
Are you worried that in the next 2 months, you may not have stable housing?	
Do problems getting child care make it difficult for you to work or study? (leave blank if you do not have children)	
In the last 12 months, have you needed to see a doctor but could not because of cost?	
In the last 12 months, have you ever had to go without health care because you didn't have a way to get there?	
Do you ever need help reading hospital materials?	
Are you afraid you might be hurt in your apartment building or house?	
During the last 4 weeks, have you been actively looking for work?	
In the last 12 months, other than household activities or work, do you engage in moderate exercise (walking fast, jogging, swimming, biking or weight lifting) at least three times per week?	

Key Learnings: ~95K Respondents*

Highest Needs



New Landscape: Strategies to Address Challenges

- Health on wheels concept
 - Meet people where they are with partners they trust, such as faith-based organizations
- Collaboration
 - Health promotion & prevention campaigns
 - Surveillance
 - Community-based stakeholder initiatives
 - Community gardens, public safety, housing
- Community assessments
- Culturally competent, strength-based interventions that provide opportunities to rebuild a sense of community
- Find non-traditional partners or new roles for existing partners
 - Paramedicine, jails
- Break the stigma



school counselors are projected to have the largest shortages of more than 10,000 full-time equivalents nationwide in 2025."

-- U.S. Department of Health and Human Services





THANK YOU!