

Collaborative support for system of care – what could that look like?

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Some notes...

Ideas reflected below are meant to illustrate the types of involvement that the Collaborative could take on related to a system of care model, including an effort to clarify potential roles of the Collaborative and the County. This is not meant to be a “menu” of specific projects, just some ideas to generate further conversation.

Some initiatives can be carried out using existing funding/resources. Other tasks may involve developing plans that would require additional fundraising prior to implementation.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide feedback/input regarding services implemented through the County, such as residential treatment, wraparound, or mobile response (could include reviewing existing program/outcome information and offering feedback to help the County improve or expand services) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conduct a self-assessment of the current system of care and create a corresponding strategic plan to guide upcoming planning and implementation efforts • Select a system of care value for focus through the year (i.e., cultural competence, family/youth voice) and develop strategies for enhancing services and supports through this lens | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore the alignment of a specific service area (such as school-based mental health or early childhood services) with the system of care framework and develop strategies for strengthening alignment and improving or expanding services • Convene stakeholders to engage in planning (such as providers, families, health plans, youth programs, and others) • Develop strategies for collecting and sharing information related to key services (community-based mental health, hospitalizations) • Identify and expand strategies for supporting families (such as availability of respite support) |