

Snapshot of the 2008 Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Program Grantees

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1	State	Name of Grantee	Jurisdiction Type	Grant Category	Program Name	Adult/Juvenile	Criminal Justice Entity	Mental Health Entity	Criminal Justice Systems Focus	Point of Contact Information	Authorized Representative Information	Description	
2	CA	Alameda County Health Care Services Agency	Urban	Planning	Alameda County Justice and Mental Health Planning Collaboration	Juvenile	Alameda County Probation Department	Alameda County Behavioral Health Care Services	Corrections	Cynthia Burnett 100 San Leandro Blvd Suite 300 San Leandro, CA 94577-1675	Alex Briscoe alex.briscoe@acagov.org	In this project, the Alameda County Justice and Mental Health Planning Collaboration will develop a strategic plan to ensure that youth involved in the juvenile justice system receive appropriate mental health screening and treatment. Screening and treatment will allow for the proper intervention and increased public safety. This effort is the second phase of the <i>County of Alameda, Justice and Public Safety</i> .	
3	ME	Cumberland County Sheriff's Department	Urban/Rural	Planning	Project Connect	Adult	Cumberland County Sheriff's Department	Co-Occurring Collaborative Serving Maine (CCSM)	Law Enforcement	Paul Coleman 142 Federal Street Portland, ME 04101 coleman@cumberlandcounty.org	Peter Crichton peter@cumberlandcounty.org	Through a collaborative effort, the Cumberland County Sheriff's Department and the Co-Occurring Collaborative Serving Maine (CCSM) will develop a strategic plan for Project Connect. The program will aim to utilize evidence-based practices to address behavioral health needs and criminogenic risk to support diversion and reduce recidivism for individuals with mental illness or co-occurring disorders involved with the Cumberland County correctional system.	
4	WV	Kanawha County	Urban/Rural	Planning	Project INTER-CCEPT	Juvenile	Prestera Center for Mental Health Services		Multiple	Jennifer Herrald 407 Virginia Street East Charleston, WV 25301 jenherrald@kanawha.com	W. Kent Carper P.O. Box 3627 Charleston, WV 25336 kcarper@kanawha.com	Project INTER-CCEPT plans to develop a comprehensive framework of mental health and substance abuse services available to youth along the Kanawha County juvenile justice system continuum. The INTER-CCEPT Planning Team, a subcommittee of the Juvenile Justice Task Force, will accomplish the planning activities of this project. The Planning Team consists of professionals from government, the juvenile justice system, law enforcement, the judiciary, and the community.	
5	AL	Mobile County Commission	Urban/Rural	Planning and Implementation	Mobile County Jail Diversion Program	Adult	Mobile County Police Department	AltaPointe Health Systems	Law Enforcement	Michelle Herman 205 Government Street Mobile, AL 36683 MHHERMAN@MOBILE-COUNTY.NET	Stephen Nodine P.O. Box 296 Mobile, AL 36683 SNODINE@MOBILE-COUNTY.NET	Currently, AltaPointe Health Systems is providing a limited diversion program in Mobile County, AL. The Mobile County Jail Diversion Program seeks to formalize, expand and develop full support for continued operations of this effort. The program will provide assessments, therapy services, and legal consultation to those individuals deemed in need of services. The services will take place at an adult outpatient clinic. The program also plans to implement CIT training for law enforcement officers in this effort.	
6	CT	State of Connecticut Department of Corrections	Urban/Suburban	Planning and Implementation	Assist Home	Adult	State of Connecticut Department of Corrections (CTDOC); Court Support Services Division	Connecticut Department of Mental Health and Addiction (DMHAS)	Corrections	Christine Fortunato 24 Wolcott Hill Road Wethersfield, CT 06109 Christine.Fortunato@po.state.ct.us	Theresa Lantz po.state.ct.us	Assist Home is a project to expand housing reentry options and diversion of seriously mentally ill offenders from the criminal justice system. The project is a statewide effort designed to serve adult offenders diagnosed with mental illness and incarcerated on a \$100 to \$25,000 bond. Assist Home aims to reduce incarceration bed days and help offenders rejoin the community. The CTDOC, CSSD, and DMHAS will comprise a collaborative team, called the ASSIST Program (Advanced Supervision and Intervention Support Team).	
7	GA	Henry County Board of Commissioners	Urban/Rural	Planning and Implementation	Henry County Justice Liaison Program	Adult	Henry County Courts (Probate, State, Magistrate, Superior); Law Enforcement	McIntosh Trail Community Service Board; Henry County Counseling Center	Multiple	Larry Stanford 140 Henry Parkway McDonough, GA 30253 lstanford@co.henry.ga.us	Jason Harper 111 Henry Parkway McDonough, GA 30253 chharper@co.henry.ga.us	The Henry County Justice Liaison Program is an effort to formalize and enhance the County's existing system of early identification, service referrals, and systems collaboration. The County would like to establish a mental health court, but this was not possible for fiscal reasons. The primary goal of the project is to decrease criminalization of people with psychiatric disorders through early and ongoing identification and treatment.	
8	GA	Douglas County Community Services Board	Suburban/Rural	Planning and Implementation	Project S.A.F.E. (Serving Adolescents and Families Effectively)	Juvenile	Douglas County Juvenile Court; Douglas County Juvenile Programs Administration	Douglas County Community Services Board; Douglas County Kids'Net Committee	Court	Kathleen Murphy 3830 South Cobb Drive Suite 300 Marietta, GA 30064 kmurphy@cobbscb.com	Tod Citron totron@cobbscb.com	Project S.A.F.E. is a diversion program that targets juvenile offenders ages 12 to 17 with mental health problems, who have been charged with a non-violent offense and are under the supervision of the Douglas County Juvenile Court. The program builds upon the successful implementation of the Douglas County Young Offender Reentry Project (YORP), which was funded by SAMHSA. The program aims to serve a total of 80 adolescents and 100 family members and/or guardians over 30 months of service implementation. Project S.A.F.E. will provide court-based alternatives to dispositions, evidence-based mental health services, technology to reach across geographic and professional boundaries, and cross-systems collaboration.	
9	GU	Government of Guam	Rural	Planning and Implementation	Guam Mental Health Court Pilot Project	Adult	Superior Court of Guam; Public Defender Service Corporation;	Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Agency	Court	Jacqueline Cruz 120 West O'Brien Drive Judicial Center Hagatna, GU 96910-5174 j.cruz@doj.gu	Priy Tattano priyat@talljustice.gov.gu	The Guam Mental Health Pilot Project is a collaborative effort between the judicial and mental health systems to plan and implement a pilot mental health court to better serve mentally ill or developmentally disabled individuals in the Superior Court of Guam. The planning phase of the project is expected to take 6 months, and the implementation phase is scheduled for 24 months.	
10	HI	Hawaii Department of Public Safety	Urban/Rural	Planning and Implementation	No Title for Project	Adult	Department of Public Safety	Department of Health-Adult Mental Health Division (AMHD); United Self Help	Corrections	Wesley Mun 919 Ala Moana Blvd Room 400 Honolulu, HI 96814 wesley.k.mun@hawaii.gov	Clayton Frank clayton.a.frank@hawaii.gov	The project seeks to target incarcerated individuals with mental illness who are eligible for parole. The goal of the program is to reduce the high recidivism rates of parolees with mental illness in Hawaii using three program components: (1) BRIDGES (Building Recovery and Individual Dreams and Goals through Education and Support); (2) Peer Mentoring Program using certified peer specialists; (3) Project Partners, a collaboration of representatives from partnering agencies and community-based organizations.	
11	KS	City of Wichita	Urban/Rural	Planning and Implementation	Wichita-Sedgwick County Collaborative Alternative Treatments and Interventions for Consumers (ATIC)	Adult	Wichita Municipal Court	COMCARE of Sedgwick County	Multiple	C. Kay Gales 455 N. Main Wichita, KS 67202 kgales@wichita.gov	Carl Brewer cbrewer@wichita.gov	The City of Wichita Municipal Court and COMCARE will collaborate on the Wichita-Sedgwick County Justice Collaborative: Alternative Treatments and Interventions for Consumers (ATIC) in an effort to improve the outcomes for individuals with mental illness in the criminal justice system. ATIC will identify individuals both pre and post-booked through two programs: Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) training and a Mental Health Court (MHC).	
12	MI	Kalamazoo Community Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services	Rural	Planning and Implementation	Kalamazoo Mental Health Court	Adult	Kalamazoo District and Circuit Courts and the Prosecutor's Office	Kalamazoo Community Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services	Court	Jeff Patton 3299 Gull Road Kalamazoo, MI 49074 jpatton@kalamazoo.org	Same	The Kalamazoo Mental Health Court will aim to increase public safety and address fairness in diversion, sentencing, and criminalization of people with mental illness with co-occurring substance abuse disorders. The lead entity will be the Mental Health Court Multidisciplinary Team that is comprised of the assigned Mental Health judge, the prosecuting attorney, the defense attorney, the Mental Health Court Liaison and the Forensic Peer Support Specialist. While there is formal evaluation included in the proposal, the Kalamazoo MHC plans to learn how other mental health courts have been implemented.	
13	MT	Billings Municipal Court	Rural	Planning and Implementation	Billings Mental Health Court (BMHC)	Adult	Billings Municipal Court; Montana Board of Crime Control; Yellowstone County Detention Facility	Rimrock Foundation; Community Crisis Center; Billings Mental Health Center	Court, Law Enforcement	Mary Jane Kissilly 220 North 27 Street PO Box 1178 Billings, MT 59103 mkissilly@rimrock.org	Same	The Billings Municipal Court seeks to collaborate with mental health and law enforcement agencies to plan and implement the Billings Adult Mental Health Court (BAMHC) to respond to individuals with mental illness and/or a co-occurring disorder in order to further the Court's mission of promoting public safety. The BAMHC will collaborate with community mental health and law enforcement to create a system of screening and diversion and treatment programs. The project's long-term goals are to reduce crime, reduce recidivism, and increase public safety.	
14	NE	Nebraska Office of the Governor*	Urban/Rural	Planning and Implementation	Justice and Mental Health Initiative	Adult ("Youth in Transition" or 18-24 year olds)	Omaha Police Department	NE Federation of Families for Children's Mental Health; NE Alliance for the Mentally Ill; NE Mental Health Association; NE Advocacy Services; DHHS Office of Juvenile Services	Multiple	Jim Harvey P.O. Box 98925 Lincoln, NE 68509 jim.harvey@dhs.ne.gov	Scott Adams scot.adams@dhs.ne.gov	Building on the work of their 2007 MHCCT planning grant, the Nebraska Justice-Mental Health System Collaboration Planning project, the Justice Mental Health Initiative plans to implement an improved vision of the state's mental health and criminal justice system interaction by providing mental health interventions across the phases of justice involvement. The steps involved in accomplishing this vision include: (1) expand training for law enforcement; (2) improve coordination between law enforcement and mental health crisis services; (3) implement standardized screening; (4) utilize jail diversion programs; and (5) increase the availability of housing and employment options for young adults (18-24 years old) involved in both systems.	
15	CA	San Francisco Department of Public Health	Urban	Implementation and Expansion	AIM Higher Program	Juvenile	San Francisco Juvenile Probation Department	San Francisco Department of Public Health	Corrections	Sai-Ling Chan-Sew 1380 Howard Street, 5th Floor San Francisco, CA 94103 sai-ling-chen-sew@sfdph.org	Michael Katz 101 Grove Street, Room 323 San Francisco, CA 94102 mitch.katz@sfdph.org	The AIM Higher Program (Assess, Identify Needs, Integrate Information, and Match to Services) seeks to improve problems with San Francisco's juvenile justice system with an implementation and expansion grant. The program will address the following problems in the juvenile justice system: (1) assessment, (2) information sharing, (3) planning for level of care, and (4) identifying appropriate community-based services. The program will serve 400 youth with moderate to serious risks and mental health needs at San Francisco's Juvenile Hall and Log Cabin Ranch, a residential detention facility. The program plans to evaluate the outcomes of youth in the program based on recidivism and functioning.	
16	CO	Colorado Judicial Department	Urban	Implementation and Expansion	Project SOAR (Success Opportunity Advancement & Renew)	Juvenile	Denver Juvenile and Family Justice Treatment Accountability for Safer Communities Program	Kempe Center; Denver Department of Human Services	Multiple	Lilas Rajae-Moore 1301 Pennsylvania Street, Suite 300 Denver, CO 80204 lilas.rajae-moore@judicial.state.co.us	Gerald Maroney gerald.maroney@judicial.state.co.us	The goal of Project SOAR is to increase public safety through a multi-disciplinary collaboration that identifies and treats 30 youthful female offenders (per year) with mental health and/or co-occurring substance abuse issues. The project will expand the current diversion programs to "resistive" girls who are not eligible for treatment courts. Project SOAR will provide technical assistance to providers as well as training to systems that interact with adolescent girls suffering from co-occurring disorders.	
17	GA	Albany Area Community Service Board	Urban/Suburban	Implementation and Expansion	Dougherty Superior Court Mental Health/Substance Abuse Division	Adult	Dougherty Superior Court	Albany Area Community Service Board; Southwestern State Hospital	Court, Corrections	Jennifer Bernecker 1120 West Broad Avenue Suite C-5 Albany, GA 31707 jbernecker@albanycsb.org	Same	The Dougherty Superior Court Mental Health/Substance Abuse Division utilizes Mental Health Screening in the Dougherty County Jail. Attorneys, the Probation Officer, MESA Court Coordinator, and Mental Health Professionals will screen possible candidates. The program focuses on probation and the court will meet twice a month to review the participant's compliance with the program. Probation officers in this program will have a specialized caseload, and the court coordinator will be the supervisor of case notes on all cases through the process.	
18	MO	City of Kansas City	Urban	Implementation and Expansion	Jackson County Mental Health Court Expansion Project	Adult	City of Kansas City, Missouri	Jackson County Mental Health Fund	Court	Tracee McClendon Cole 1101 Locust Street Kansas City, MO 64108 tracee_mccleendon@kcmo.org	Wayne Clauthen 414 East 12th Street Kansas City, MO 64106	The City of Kansas City, Missouri will enhance and expand three Jackson County Mental Health Courts (JCMHC) to serve an additional 120 individuals in the jurisdictions of Raytown, Independence, and Blue Springs, Missouri. The current JCMHCs are community-based and voluntary courts that link the legal system with social services in an effort to divert non-offenders with mental illness to treatment. The project aims to increase the numbers of those who receive treatment.	
19	MO	City of St. Louis Mental Health Board of Trustees	Urban	Implementation and Expansion	St. Louis Youth Diversion Project	Juvenile	Juvenile Court; Community Alternatives	Mental Health Board	Corrections	Alyce Bullock 4144 Lindell Blvd Suite 300 Kansas City, MO 63108-2953 albullock@stlmhb.com	Don Cavo cavo@stlmhb.com	The St. Louis Youth Diversion Project will expand the Juvenile Justice Initiative, a collaborative effort to improve the availability and access to community-based behavioral and mental health services for youth involved with the juvenile court system. The Youth Diversion Project will make it possible for pre-edjudicated youth to be screened, assessed, and referred for either Multisystemic Therapy or an alternative community-based health service.	
20	NC	County of Durham*	Urban	Implementation and Expansion	Durham Jail Diversion Program	Adult	Durham County Jail	Mental Health Jail Diversion Team	Corrections	Michelle Zechmann 200 East Main Street Durham, NC 27701-3649 mzechmann@co.durham.nc.us	Eliu Holtman eholtman@co.durham.nc.us	The Durham County Jail Diversion Program seeks to improve jail diversion through the use of diversion specialists that comprise the Mental Health Jail Diversion Team. A licensed clinician will supervise a professional and paraprofessional who will provide a range of services. The Duke University Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Health will evaluate the outcomes of the program. The evaluation will be based on the program's ability to effectively (1) promote public safety and (2) reduce recidivism.	
21	NJ	New Jersey Department of Corrections*	Rural	Implementation and Expansion	Seeking Safety	Adult	New Jersey DOC; New Jersey State Parole Board	New Jersey Department of Mental Health Services; Center for Behavioral Health Services and Criminal Justice	Corrections	Theresa Matthews P.O. Box 983 Winterset Road Trenton, NJ 08625 theresa.matthews@doc.state.nj.us	George Hayman george.hayman@doc.state.nj.us	The NJ Department of Corrections seeks to implement a trauma-substance abuse-mental illness program that is integrated with a reentry program. The program will combine the Seeking Safety program with prison-based reentry initiatives including a Reentry Survival Manual, and a Health curriculum. The Seeking Safety program is a 25-session program that utilizes Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT) to target trauma/PTSD and substance abuse. The Center for Behavioral Health Services and Criminal Justice Research will conduct an evaluation of the program.	
22	NY	New York State Unified Court System	Urban	Implementation and Expansion	Queens Mental Health Court	Adult	Queens Mental Health Court; Assistant Queens District Attorney; Legal Aid Society; Queens Law Associates	Queens Mental Health Court Case Managers (group of case managers from various community-based MH agencies)	Court	Michael Magnani 25 Beaver Street, 11th Floor New York, NY 10004 mmagnani@courts.state.ny.us	Ann Pflau gants@courts.state.ny.us	The Queens Mental Health Court (QMHC) took its first participant in November 2005, and has had a total of sixty-two participants thus far. The QMHC accepts felony offenders with serious mental illness as an alternative to incarceration program. A participant's eligibility is determined by his or her criminal history and clinical assessment. This Implementation and Expansion grant seeks to improve access to treatment services for defendants through (1) Enhanced Resources, (2) Evaluation, and (3) Training.	

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23	OR	Deschutes County*	Urban/Rural	Implementation and Expansion	Deschutes County Mental Health Court (DCMHC)	Adult	District Attorney's Office; Circuit Court; Deschutes County Sheriff's Office; Adult Probation and Parole Department	Deschutes County Mental Health Department	Court	Judith Lire 1300 NW Wall Street Suite 200 Bend, OR 97701 judithu@co.deschutes.or.us	Dennis Luke Dennis_Luke@co.deschutes.or.us	The Deschutes County Mental Health Court (DCMHC) seeks to build upon the initial planning for this project with two main purposes: increasing program capacity and improving service delivery. Through set goals and objectives, the collaborating agencies will allocate responsibilities in implementing and expanding the use of the DCMHC. The goals of the DCMHC are: (1) maintain public safety; (2) develop links between the criminal justice, mental health, and social service systems for improved coordination; (3) reduce the revolving door nature of those individuals with mental health and co-occurring disorders; (4) decrease reliance on institutionalization for people with mental illness; (5) improve the mental	
24	TX	Bexar County Juvenile Board	Urban	Implementation and Expansion	Bexar County Mental Health Court for Female Offenders	Juvenile	Bexar County Juvenile Justice Task Force	Bexar County Juvenile Mental Health Task Force	Court	Jeanne Von Stultz 212 Slumberg Suite 100 San Antonio, TX 78204 jvonstultz@bexar.org	Andy Mireles mireles@co.bexar.tx.us	The Bexar County Mental Health Court for Female Juvenile Offenders aims to divert young females who have been traumatized, and whose behaviors have brought them under the supervision of the juvenile justice system, into treatment and away from further criminal justice system involvement. The project will implement and expand the Mental Health Court for Female Juvenile Offenders that the Bexar County Juvenile Justice & Mental Health Task Force spent developing last	
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