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Behavioral Health Pilot Update 12-12-17





Behavioral Health Pilot - Why?

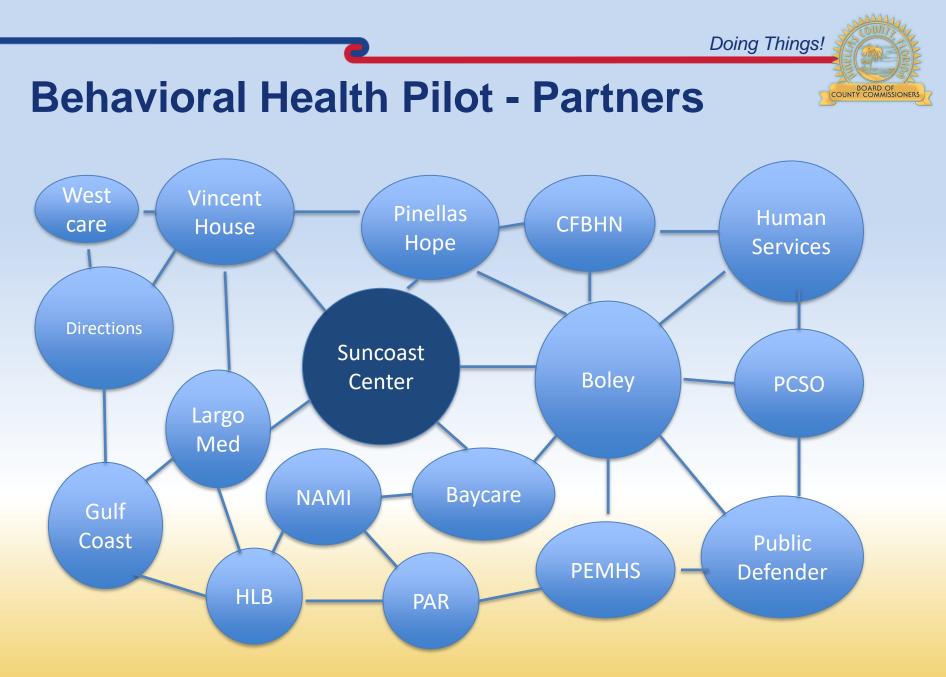
- Stabilize high utilizers
- Streamline the Behavioral Health System
 - Reduce the wait time for Behavioral Health Services
 - Determine gaps in the Continuum of Care
 - Develop solutions to meet the needs of the community
- Reduce high utilizer's visits to the Crisis Stabilization Unit, Emergency Departments & Jail

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Behavioral Health Pilot - What?

- Developed by community stakeholders subject matter experts
- Top 33 utilizers of Baker Act & Jail
- Current cost to system \$2.4m (Jail, Hospital Inpatient, CSU)
- BCC authorized \$964,000 (Psychiatrist, Case Manager, Therapist, LPN & Law Enforcement, Services, Operations)
- Suncoast Center Lead
- Boley Co-lead
- Agreement signed May 2016



Our Vision: To Be the Standard for Public Service in America



Behavioral Health Pilot – Interim Findings

- Wait time for behavioral health services
- Access to Substance Abuse services
- Lack of a secure Marchman
- Lack of staff community resource knowledge due to turnover and program changes
- Baker Act & Discharge Plan revolving door
- Data Sharing
- Jail medical services & Jail release times
- Gaps in the continuum of care need more secure housing, intensive case management, wrap around services, transportation



Behavioral Health Pilot – Current Situation

PCET – Pinellas Community Empowerment Team

- 34 Clients enrolled (32 actively receiving services)
- 26 long acting anti-psychotic injections
- 10 stably housed (Permanent Housing or Permanent Supportive Housing)
- 34% reduction in clients arrested six months post entry to the PCET program
- 25% increase in clients enrolled in a training/skills program.



Behavioral Health Pilot – Current Situation

- 15 of 32 no Baker Acts since PCET entry
- 50% reduction in Baker Act 6 months post entry
- 3 of 32 Baker Act since PCET entry
- 20 of 32 clients went to the Emergency Room since PCET entry (all for physical health)
- 44% of clients placed in PH or PSH remained housed longer than 6 months
- Majority Engaged!



Behavioral Health Pilot – Next Steps

- Pilot should evolve as the system evolves and opportunities change.
- Pilot began on May 10, 2016 for a 1 year term and may be renewed for 2 additional 1 year terms.
- Year 1 focus:
 - Ongoing engagement and services
 - Evaluate success of engagement, progress made, status, etc
 - I.D. System Barriers and Gaps / Develop solutions
 - Assess funding utilization and service needs of target population
 - Review budget and ensure critical needs being met

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Behavioral Health Pilot – Next Steps

- Continue focus on identifying and addressing behavioral health systems issues such as housing, substance abuse treatment, meaningful daily activities, discharge planning, and coordination.
- Completed a universal release form for local providers to use to improve coordination of care across the behavioral health system.