



YES Project Status Report

Goals & Accomplishments: October 2017 - September 2018

OCTOBER - DECEMBER 2017

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Finalized Medicaid access model
- Development of eligibility for children with Serious Emotional Disturbance (SED) up to 300 percent of Federal Poverty Level (FPL)
- Contracted with Liberty Health-care to hire and train Independent Assessors
- Designed Person-Centered Planning (PCP) process for Medicaid participants
- Trained and certified Division of Behavioral Health (DBH) and Independent Assessor Staff on the Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths (CANS)
- Enrolled DBH respite providers in the Optum network
- Developed curriculum for Parent and Stakeholder Training on YES Foundations, CANS Clinical
- Trained DBH Staff on YES Foundations, CANS Clinical, Person Centered Planning
- Conducted outreach to stakeholder groups; delivered presentations, gained understanding of communication needs
- Developed YES Communication materials for stakeholder use, respond to inquiries, refer to YES

JANUARY - MARCH 2018

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Implemented increased Medicaid income eligibility limits for children with SED up to 300% of Federal Poverty Level (FPL)
- Implemented the CANS and CANS 50 tools
- Initiated the Independent Assessment process, use of CANS 50 tools
- Launched Person-Centered Planning (PCP) with DBH
- Added Medicaid/Optum respite option
- Presented Statewide Parent and Stakeholder Training on YES Foundations, CANS Clinical
- Delivered CANS training for Developmental Disabilities (DD) staff
- Determined dual eligible access model and phased implementation schedule
- Distributed YES Communication materials to all stakeholder groups
- Distributed survey of families regarding YES training, additional training needs

APRIL - JUNE 2018

GOALS

- Obtain feedback from families regarding YES training, additional training needs
- Create YES Access Model and Developmental Disabilities (DD) integration
- Offer CANS training and certification to providers; early adopters
- Develop communication materials for services & supports available on 7/1/18
- Deliver provider and staff training for YES services and supports
- Develop and present "Getting Started with YES" training to families
- Publish Phase 2 of the Workforce Development Plan
- Create practice manual
- Continue family and community outreach and training

JULY - SEPTEMBER 2018

GOALS

- Implement full access model for Medicaid eligible YES participants
- Conduct wraparound training for DD staff
- Continue CANS training and certification for providers
- Improve existing services and supports to meet YES standards
- Standardize agency use of YES Principles of Care and Practice Model
- Complete development of systemwide complaint process
- Publish practice manual
- Release mental health checklists in schools statewide
- Release mental health screening tool for medical/mental health providers statewide