

Crisis Solutions Initiative

Improving Mental Health and Substance Abuse Crisis Services in North Carolina

Crisis Solutions Coalition

Meeting #6 – September 15, 2014

Agenda

1:00 – 1:15	Welcome, Opening Remarks, & Introductions	Dave Richard Deputy Secretary of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities Services - NC DHHS
1:15 – 2:00	Overview of Crisis Solutions Funds Plan	Dave Richard
2:00 – 2:30	Networking break	
2:30 – 4:00	Facility Based Crisis – Children & Adolescents Discussion & Stakeholder Comments Forum	DMA & DMH staff

Next Crisis Solutions Coalition will be on October 22nd.

Reminder!

Our Provider Stakeholder Survey will remain open through September 26th. Please take just a few moments to complete it if you have not already done so, and please forward to any interested partners.
(See the original note from Courtney Cantrell about this survey on the reverse side of this agenda.)

<https://www.ncsurveymax.com/TakeSurvey.aspx?SurveyID=86KH6pIK>

***Thank you for your participation and partnership in the
Crisis Solutions Initiative!***

Dear Crisis Solutions Coalition Partners:

As part of our ongoing efforts to accurately understand the high utilization of Emergency Departments by individuals in behavioral health crisis, the Division of MH/DD/SAS has developed a very short survey that we want to get to as many diverse service providers as possible. This survey will help us to assess the “Resource Availability for Persons Experiencing a Mental Health or Substance Use Crisis”. We welcome completion by traditional MH/DD/SAS provider agencies and independent practitioners, as well as by other community responders and partners such as hospital emergency departments, DSS staff, EMS, law enforcement, primary care providers, and any others who may need to interface with behavioral health crisis resources on behalf of their clients.

*I am writing to ask for your help with distribution of the survey. Please forward the attached link to all providers within your organizations and networks. **It should take only 3-5 minutes to complete.** The survey will be open for one month, closing on September 26. Thank you in advance for partnering with us in this DHHS Crisis Solutions Initiative survey.*

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