Agenda

Primary Care Outreach Workgroup

Wednesday, August 28, 2013

8:30 – 10 a.m.

Harford County Health Department - Teen Diversion Program

Center for Educational Opportunity, 253 Paradise Road, Lower Level Room 7, Aberdeen, MD

1. Welcome
2. Overview of Project – *The aim of this Local Health Improvement Project is to decrease the suicide rate in Harford County by increasing primary care physicians’ and urgent care providers’ identification and intervention with suicidal patients within their practices.*

* Design Project Model
* Provide training to providers in recognizing and responding to suicide risk in patients
* Seek interested parties for pilot program
* Identify community supports and resources (increasing options and decreasing obstacles)

1. Review of progress to date
2. Discussion of capacity re: psychiatry and mental health resources

* Mobile Crisis and Upper Chesapeake Medical Center
* Harford County PCP survey results
* Psychiatry survey results
* Harford County Providers’ perspective
* University of Maryland School of Psychiatry and Innovations Institute

1. Plan of Action
2. Next Workgroup Date
3. Next Behavioral Health Committee Meeting – Tuesday September 24th from 9:30 to 11:30