### FRESNO COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH PLAN

## **OUTCOMES REPORT- Attachment A**

PROGRAM INFORMATION:

Program Title: Local Outreach to Suicide Survivors Team

**Program Description:** The Center for Grief & Healing at Hinds

Hospice has been providing grief support to our community for over 40 years. Fresno Survivors of Suicide Loss (SOSL) was adopted by Hinds Hospice in 2016, and at that same time there was an increased number of youth suicides in our community. Our community responded with the development of the

suicide collaborative.

One area of the collaborative's focus was postvention, knowing that survivors are at 4x greater risk of dying by suicide. The postvention services provided through the LOSS Team ensure the availability of immediate support, as the support begins when the team responds to the the scene of the suicide loss. The team consists of a clinician and a volunteer who is also a survivor of a suicide loss. The guiding principle of the LOSS Team is hope.

On average there are 135 survivors per suicide death. The LOSS Team services are not only available to the immediate family, but also to others connected who are also

impacted by this traumatic loss.

Age Group Served 1: ALL AGES

Age Group Served 2: Choose an item.

Funding Source 1: Prevention (MHSA)

Funding Source 2: Choose an item.

Provider: Hinds Hospice

MHP Work Plan: 2-Wellness, recovery, and resiliency support

Choose an item. Choose an item.

Dates Of Operation: April 9, 2019-Current

Reporting Period: July 1, 2022 - June 30, 2023

**Funding Source 3:** Choose an item.

Other Funding: Click here to enter text.

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**FISCAL INFORMATION:** 

Program Budget Amount: \$355,489.00 Program Actual Amount: \$252,410.11

Number of Unique Clients Served During Time Period: 231
Number of Services Rendered During Time Period: 3039

Actual Cost Per Client: \$83.06

**CONTRACT INFORMATION:** 

Program Type: Contract-Operated Type of Program:

Contract Term: Click here to enter text. For Other: Prevention

**Renewal Date:** Click here to enter text.

**Level of Care Information Age 18 & Over:** Choose an item.

**Level of Care Information Age 0-17:** Choose an item.

#### TARGET POPULATION INFORMATION:

Target Population: The LOSS Team serves those impacted by suicide loss. Our goal is to reach survivors of all ages and provide immediate support

and resources within Fresno County.

#### **CORE CONCEPTS:**

- Community collaboration: individuals, families, agencies, and businesses work together to accomplish a shared vision.
- Cultural competence: adopting behaviors, attitudes and policies that enable providers to work effectively in cross-cultural situations.
- Individual/Family-Driven, Wellness/Recovery/Resiliency-Focused Services: adult clients and families of children and youth identify needs and preferences that result in the most effective services and supports.
- Access to underserved communities: Historically unserved and underserved communities are those groups that either have documented low levels of access and/or use of mental health services, face barriers to participation in the policy making process in public mental health, have low rates of insurance coverage for mental health care, and/or have been identified as priorities for mental health services.
- •Integrated service experiences: services for clients and families are seamless. Clients and families do not have to negotiate with multiple agencies and funding sources to meet their needs.

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### Please select core concepts embedded in services/ program:

(May select more than one)

Community collaboration

**Cultural Competency** 

Individual/Family-Driven, Wellness/Recovery/Resiliency-Focused Services

Choose an item.

#### Please describe how the selected concept (s) embedded:

Community Collaboration: The LOSS Team collaborates with first responders, community organizations and schools to provide care to the community as whole. We work closely to provide grief support services and suicide prevention efforts within the county.

Cultural Competency: The LOSS Team holds monthly meetings for volunteers which often contain trainings in order to increase the team's knowledge in cross-cultural situations. Our guest presenters train our team on different cultural practices related to death, dying, grief and loss as it pertains to other cultures.

Individual/Family-Driven/Wellness/Recovery/Resiliency-Focused Services: Services are available to all ages and to all members of the family system, focusing on postevention efforts specifically for suicide, providing opportunities to grow resiliency in individuals impacted by the suicide death of a loved one.

#### **PROGRAM OUTCOME & GOALS**

- Must include each of these areas/domains: (1) Effectiveness, (2) Efficiency, (3) Access, (4) Satisfaction & Feedback Of Persons Served & Stakeholder
- Include the following components for documenting each goal: (1) Indicator, (2) Who Applied, (3) Time of Measure, (4) Data Source, (5) Target Goal Expectancy Click here to enter text.

# **DEPARTMENT RECOMMENDATION(S):**

Click here to enter text.