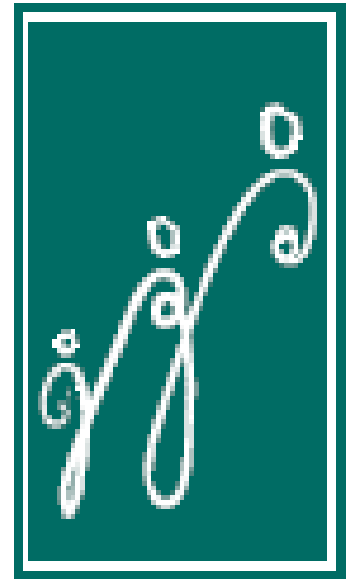


# Washoe County Children's Mental Health Consortium

## 2022 Annual Report

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# GOALS OF THE 2020-2029 LONG TERM PLAN



1

Increase access to compassionate care in the least restrictive environment.



2

Decrease and/or buffer children and youth's exposure to toxic stress.



3

Increase child, youth, and family access to positive community-based experiences.



# RELEVANT SYSTEMIC FACTORS



- Post COVID-19 Pandemic
- Surgeon General's Advisory on Youth Mental Health
- United States Department of Justice Civil Rights Division Investigation
- Mental Health Providers and Services
- Family Peer Support



# FAMILY VOICE THEMES



- Education
- Bullying
- Youth Suicide
- Overall Health & Access to Compassionate Care



# COMMUNITY SNAPSHOT



- Spotlight on 13 Community Partners
- Successes
- Community Impact



# OUTCOME OF 2021 PLANNED ACTIVITIES



- 17 Planned Activities
- Representative of the work of multiple community partners
  - 12 Complete
  - 4 In Progress
  - 1 Paused



# ACCOMPLISHMENTS



- **Goal 1 ~ 15** accomplishments
  - Example: **First Annual Washoe County Youth Mental Health Summit**
- **Goal 2 ~ 4** accomplishments
  - Example: **Letter to Washoe County School Board of Trustees**
- **Goal 3 ~ 2** accomplishments
  - Example: **Increased participation by community members**



# PLANNED ACTIVITIES



- 12 Planned Activities
- Representative of the work of multiple community partners
- Examples:
  - Co-host Second Annual Washoe County Youth Mental Health Summit
  - Support development of a Bridge Support Program with School Involvement that will offer tailored supports families coping with youth suicide attempt





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