County: SAN MATEO
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Plan Highlights:
This PEI Plan has 6 projects:

- The projects are: 1) Early Childhood Community Team, 2) Community Interventions for School-Age and Transition Age Youth, 3) Primary Care/Behavioral Health Integration: IMPACT Model, 4) Total Wellness for Adults/Older Adults, 5) Stigma Initiative, 6) Youth/Transition Age Youth Identification and Early Referral
- The county’s outreach strategies designed to reach the diverse population by providing incentives (transportation, translation, stipends)
- The workgroups focused on different age groups (e.g., 0-5, 6-17, 18-25, and adults and older adults)
- Youth commissioners served on the Mental Health Board and conducted a mental health awareness survey of high school students generating over 1,000 responses.
- Will contract with community-based and faith-based organizations to effectively reach targeted populations
- In the Total Wellness for Adults/Older Adults project, PEI funds will be utilized to train providers on the mental health needs of adults and older adults. This project included very good leveraging of resources.

Plan Strengths:

- Very good inclusion of consumer and family members, mental health providers, county staff and other mental health partners in the community program planning process
- Included data showing that the majority of the participants were impressed with the community program planning process
- Good linkage with MHSA Workforce, Education and Training component
- Well defined timelines

The Plan Review Team Recommends: APPROVAL

BUDGET: FY 2007/08 & 2008/09 = $2,071,177