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## Action

August 28, 2014 Commission Meeting

### Approve the Glenn Innovation Plan

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**Summary:** The Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission (MHSOAC or Commission) will consider approval of the Glenn County Innovation Program, System-Wide Mental Assessment Response Team (SMART) Project. Staff reviewed the county's plan and recommends that the Commission approve \$816,344 for three years because the Innovation Program complies with all Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) requirements.

Glenn County Mental Health is developing a collaborative response team specifically geared to a rural community, with staff from mental health, probation, law enforcement and the schools to develop protocols to systematically respond to mental health events in schools. They will specifically target incidents of suicidal behavior and risk of mental illness in response to bullying. This collaboration team will be called a System-Wide Mental Health Assessment Response Team (SMART).

The team will follow-up with each student, classroom, teacher and/or family member involved in an incident, to assess risk, deliver brief therapy as needed, and assess the need for additional follow-up services. The learning goal of this project is to assess the effectiveness of this collaborative team approach.

**Enclosures:** Innovation Plan Approval Summary:  
Glenn County Innovation

**Handout:** A PowerPoint will be provided as a handout at the Commission meeting.

**Recommended Action:** Approve Glenn County Innovation Plan in the amount of \$816,344 for three years.

**Presenter:** Jose Oseguera, MHSOAC Chief of Plan Review and Committee Operations, Dr. Deborah Lee, MHSOAC Consulting Psychologist

**Motion:** The MHSOAC approves the Glenn County Innovation Plan for the amount of \$816,344 for three years.