

Current MHSOAC Evaluation Contracts and Deliverables:

The Regents of the University of California, University of California, Los Angeles			
Evaluation of the Mental Health Services Act (MHSA)			
<p>MHSOAC Staff: Sheridan Merritt</p> <p>Active Dates: January 31, 2011 to June 30, 2014</p> <p>Objective: Evaluation of MHSA funded programs and services and the Act’s broader impact on the public community mental health system in California. The evaluation includes the following four focus areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1—Describe, summarize, and analyze activities and expenditures of local MHSA funds 2—Design and complete statistical analyses and reports that measure the impact of MHSA on individual consumers and the broader public mental health system using prioritized performance indicators identified by the Mental Health Planning Council 3—Summarize and synthesize existing evaluations with a focus on the impact of MHSA on consumer outcomes and MHSA values 4—Final Report <p>Status: Focus areas 1 and 3 of this project have been completed. The contractor is currently completing focus area 2, which will include a comprehensive report (i.e., the “Trends Report”) examining trends in individual- and system-level priority indicators across multiple years (i.e., 2004/05 through 2011/12). Following completion of the “Trends Report”, the contractor will transfer knowledge, tools, and existing data sets to the MHSOAC to facilitate continued performance monitoring to be carried out internally.</p>			
Deliverable	Due Date*	Deliverable Cost	Status
#1a Initial Report of Activities and Costs of Local MHSA Funds	June 30, 2011	\$122,617	Completed
#1b Second Report of Activities and Costs of Local MHSA Funds	November 30, 2012	\$119,177	Completed
#2a Draft Standardized Template for Reporting on Prioritized Indicators	June 30, 2011	\$79,391	Completed

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#2b Revised Deliverable #2a, Standardized Template for Reporting on Prioritized Indicators	September 30, 2011	\$35,599	Completed
#2c Draft Written Documentation of Process for Compiling Data to Produce Report on Prioritized Indicators	June 30, 2011	\$85,602	Completed
#2d Revised Deliverable #2c, Written Documentation of Process for Compiling Data to Produce Report on Prioritized Indicators	September 30, 2011	\$29,724	Completed
#2e Draft Report on Prioritized Indicators at Statewide Level for Most Recent One Year Period Available with additional data preparation	June 30, 2012	\$134,363	Completed
#2f Revised Deliverable #2e Report on Prioritized Indicators at Statewide Level for Most Recent One Year Period Available with additional data preparation	September 30, 2012	\$89,528	Completed
#2g1 Data Quality Report: Implications for Priority Indicators	October 31, 2013	\$144,000	Completed
#2g2 Priority Indicator Trends Report	April 18, 2014	\$179,000	Completed
#2h Knowledge transfer and training to MHSOAC's designated staff, User Manual with standardized procedures, and electronic data transfer	May 30, 2014	\$52,000.00	Completed
#3a Summary and Synthesis of Existing Evaluations on Impact of MHSA on Consumer Outcomes	May 1, 2011	\$35,363	Completed
#3b Summary and Synthesis of Existing Evaluations on Impact on MHSA Values	December 31, 2011	\$35,362	Completed
#4 Final Report	May 30, 2014	\$132,512	Completed
Total Contract Amount		\$1,274,238	

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University Enterprises Inc. for California State University, Sacramento

DCR Data Quality and Corrections Plan

MHSOAC Staff: Keith Erselius

Active Dates: June 27, 2011 – June 30, 2014

Objective: Assess the quality of Full Service Partnership (FSP) data available via the Data Collections and Reporting (DCR) system and make recommendations for how to overcome problems and limitations. Information regarding the DCR obtained via interviews with State, county, provider, vendor, and stakeholder groups. Summarize issues and recommend potential solutions and best practices. Implement solutions as possible (e.g. webinars, onsite and regional trainings).

Status: To date, counties have been provided with user manuals, training opportunities, webinars, and data dictionaries, as well as tools to analyze data from the DCR. County specific reports and statewide DCR quality reports are still pending. This contract was amended in 2013 to continue through 2014.

Deliverable	Due Date*	Deliverable Cost	Status
#1.1 Data Dictionary: Draft	August 15, 2011	\$27,711.00	Completed
#1.2 Data Dictionary: Final	October 17, 2011	\$27,711.00	Completed
#2.1 User Manual Draft Chapters 1-4	October 17, 2011	\$14,983.00	Completed
#2.2 User Manual Draft Chapters 5-8	November 21, 2011	\$14,983.00	Completed
#2.3 User Manual Revised draft all Chapters	December 19, 2011	\$14,983.00	Completed
#2.4 User Manual Final (digital due 1/17/12)	February 13, 2012	\$14,983.00	Completed
#3.1 DCR Training Curriculum: Draft	February 13, 2012	\$21,894.00	Completed
#3.2 DCR Training Curriculum: Final	April 2, 2012	\$21,894.00	Completed
#4.1 DCR Training: Region 1	June 29, 2012	\$8,500.00	Completed
#4.2 DCR Training: Region 2	June 29, 2012	\$8,500.00	Completed

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#4.3 DCR Training: Region 3	June 29, 2012	\$8,500.00	Completed
#4.4 DCR Training: Region 4	June 29, 2012	\$8,500.00	Completed
#5.1 Application Notes: Draft 1 & 2	March 5, 2012	\$14,443.00	Completed
#5.2 Application Notes Final 1 & 2 (digital due 4/5/12)	May 7, 2012	\$14,443.00	Completed
#6.1 Data Quality Reports: County Level Draft	November 7, 2011	\$20,771.00	Completed
#6.2 Data Quality Reports: County Level Draft	January 9, 2012	\$20,771.00	Completed
#7.1 Report Template: Client Level Draft	December 19, 2011	\$12,877.00	Completed
#7.2 Report Template: Client Level Final (digital 4/20/12)	May 21, 2012	\$17,954.00	Completed
#8.1 Data Analysis Training Curriculum: Draft	March 20, 2012	\$17,954.00	Completed
#8.2 Data Analysis Training Curriculum: Final	May 21, 2012	\$17,954.00	Completed
#9.1 Data Analysis Training: Region 1	June 29, 2012	\$8,500.00	Completed
#9.2 Data Analysis Training: Region 2	June 29, 2012	\$8,500.00	Completed
#9.3 Data Analysis Training: Region 3	June 29, 2012	\$8,500.00	Completed
#9.4 Data Analysis Training: Region 4	June 29, 2012	\$8,500.00	Completed
#10.1 e-Learning: Digital video of DCR Training	June 29, 2012	\$500.00	Completed
#10.2 e-Learning: Digital Video of Data Analysis Training	June 29, 2012	\$500.00	Completed
#11.1 Statewide Data Quality Improvement Webinar and FAQ's	May 15, 2012	\$17,567	Completed

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#11.2 Statewide Data Quality Improvement Webinar and FAQ's	December 17, 2012	\$17,566	Completed
#11.3 Statewide Data Quality Improvement Webinar and FAQ's	February 18, 2013	\$17,566	Completed
#11.4 Statewide Data Quality Improvement Webinar and FAQ's	April 15, 2013	\$17,566	Completed
#11.5 Statewide Data Quality Improvement Webinar and FAQ's	June 17, 2013	\$17,566	Completed
#12 Statewide Data Quality Correction Plan for County Reporting Types	December 17, 2012	\$75,400	Completed
#13 Statewide FSP Data Measures Training	September 16, 2013	\$69,900	Completed
#14 County-Level DCR Data Quality Reports	December 16, 2013	\$62,627	Completed
#15.1 Statewide DCR Data Quality Report: Draft	January 30, 2014	\$62,890	Completed
#15.2 Statewide DCR Data Quality Report: Final	March 15, 2014	\$25,210	Completed
#16 State Data Correction and Cleaning Assistance to Counties for Improved DCR Data Quality	June 30, 2013	\$186,388	Completed
#17 Provide a county-level FSP provider and program outcomes report for each county	March 31, 2014	\$54,000	Completed
#18 Provide a statewide FSP program outcomes report	June 30, 2014	\$49,000	Pending
#19 Program-, provider-, and partnership service coordinator-level report templates	October 15, 2014	\$83,000	Pending
Total Contract Amount		\$1,121,555	

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The Regents of the University of California, University of California, Davis

Reducing Disparities in Access

MHSOAC Staff: Ashley Mills

Active Dates: June 25, 2012 – July 31, 2014

Objective: Using quantitative and qualitative approaches, evaluate the impact of the MHSA as well as state and local policies and practices on the disparities in access to, quality of, and outcomes of the public mental health system; focus on disparities based on age, gender, race, ethnicity and primary language.

Status: The Contractor has submitted all remaining Deliverables. Staff is currently working to provide feedback on Deliverables 1aii, 1b, 1c and 3 to the Contractor for revision. The contract is scheduled to end on July 31, 2014.

Deliverable	Due Date*	Deliverable Cost	Status
#1 In Depth Quantitative Data Analysis of Trends in Disparities	Priority Indicator(s) that Assess the Impact of the MHSA on		
#1ai Description of Analytic Plan for #1aii	December 31, 2012	\$36,716	Completed
#1aii In-depth analysis of data	December 31, 2013	\$73,435	Completed
#1b Summary of MHSA impact on reduction of disparities obtained through county-submitted information	December 31, 2013	\$55,075	Completed
#1c Report on data sources, limitations and recommendations	March 31, 2014	\$18,358	Under Review
#2 Qualitative Analysis of Client and Family Member Perspectives Regarding the Impact of the MHSA on Disparities			
#2a Description of research design	December 31, 2012	\$37,950	Completed
#2b Draft Analysis of findings for Stakeholder Input	December 31, 2013	\$94,875	Completed
#2c Final Analysis of findings using participatory research	March 31, 2014	\$56,925	Completed

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#3 Final Report	March 31, 2014	\$26,666	Under Review
Total Contract Amount		\$400,000	

The Regents of the University of California, University of California, Los Angeles

Evaluation of the use and impact of the Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) for early intervention programs

MHSOAC Staff: Renay Bradley, Carrie Masten

Active Dates: December 2012 – June 30, 2014

Objective 1: Assessment of prevention and early intervention programs, including program costs, numbers served, spectrum of clients served, and program components/focus.

Objective 2: Evaluate the impact of a sample of early intervention programs that fall within various “clusters” (e.g., first break psychosis, trauma-focused programs for children, and signs of depression in older adults). Focus will be on outcomes associated with untreated mental illness (e.g., suicide, incarceration, unemployment, prolonged suffering).

Status: Deliverable 1, which describes how PEI funds were spent in FY 2011/12 and the clients that were served via PEI programs, was completed and presented at the January 23rd Commission meeting. Findings from the analysis of the three “clusters” of Early Intervention programs (Deliverable 2E) and the Final Report for this contract (Deliverable 3) have been completed and approved. UCLA will present findings from the Early Intervention cluster reports at the July 24th Commission meeting.

Deliverable	Due Date*	Deliverable Cost	Status
#1 Use of PEI Funds for PEI Programs	October 31, 2013	\$90,000	Completed
#2 Evaluation of Early Intervention Programs/Efforts			
#2a Preliminary Description of Clusters & Evaluation Plan	December 31, 2012	\$50,000	Completed
#2b Final Description of Evaluation Plan	April 26, 2013	\$50,000	Completed

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#2c Analytic Plan	May 31, 2013	\$50,000	Completed
#2d Preliminary Findings	December 31, 2013	\$50,000	Completed
#2e Minimum Three Reports – Final Evaluation	March 31, 2014	\$40,000	Completed
#3 Final Report	April 30, 2014	\$45,000	Completed
Total Contract Amount		\$375,000	

Resource Development Associates (RDA)

Community Program Planning (CPP) Process Evaluation

MHSOAC Staff: Ashley Mills

Active Dates: April 1, 2013 – September 30, 2014

Objective: Evaluate the impact of county-level community program planning processes on MHSOAC outcomes using participatory research methods, and identify promising practices that can be incorporated into a curriculum and associated training and technical assistance. Work with a group of client stakeholders to design and carry out research methods, as well as develop the curriculum.

Status: Deliverable 5 (data analysis) consists of two documents; (1) a technical report and (2) a stakeholder report. Both documents have been received and are under the review of MHSOAC staff. The Promising Practices Summit will be held on June 26th and 27th to identify data driven promising CPP practices.

Deliverable	Due Date*	Deliverable Cost	Status
#1 Report of Research Design and Data Collection Training Plan	July 31, 2013	\$46,600	Completed
#2 Data Analytic Plan	September 30, 2013	\$34,950	Completed
#3 Summary of Consultation Provided to Client Contractors re: CPP Process Inventory	March 31, 2014	\$11,650	Completed

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#4 Report of Other Public Community Planning Processes	November 30, 2013	\$34,950	Completed
#5 Summary Report of Results from Data Analysis/Evaluation	May 31, 2014	\$46,600	Under Review
#6 Final Report of Promising CPP Process Practices	July 31, 2014	\$46,600	Pending
#7 Summary of Consultation Provided to Client Contractors re: CPP Process	September 30, 2014	\$11,650	Pending
Total Contract Amount		\$233,000	

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California Institute for Mental Health (CiMH)

Innovative Program Evaluations - Inventory, Evaluation, and Training/Technical Assistance

MHSOAC Staff: Celeste Doerr

Active Dates: June 2013 – March 2015

Objectives: Perform an inventory and meta-level evaluation of the Innovative program evaluation activities that have been planned or carried out by counties. Based on information gleaned from this process, identify promising Innovation evaluation practices and needs for technical assistance at the county level. Develop and provide tools, training, and technical assistance to strengthen county ability to plan and conduct high quality Innovation evaluations. Identify policy recommendations related to the Innovation component.

Status: Deliverable 1, the research plan, is completed. Based on the approved plan, CiMH distributed to counties a Universe Verification Data Request, which is being used to identify Innovation programs and collect limited information about them. This first round of data collection is nearing completion. A second data request, which will solicit more information about each program, will be released in July. A contract amendment extended due dates, added funding, and revised deliverables to enable more extensive training and technical assistance to counties.

Deliverable	Due Date*	Deliverable Cost	Status
#1 Report of Proposed Inventory Method and Research/Evaluation Design	January 21, 2014	\$29,631	Completed
#2 Inventory of County-level Innovation Evaluations	October 31, 2014	\$98,771	Pending
#3 Report of Evaluation Results and Promising Practices	December 31, 2014	\$19,754	Pending
#4 Develop and Disseminate Tools and Resources to Counties	January 31, 2015	\$19,631	Pending
#5 Report of Innovation Evaluation Policy Recommendations	February 28, 2015	\$19,754	Pending

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#6 Report of Technical Assistance to Counties	April 30, 2016	\$10,000	Pending
#7 Develop and Deliver a Modular Training Curriculum to Counties	April 30, 2016	\$50,000	Pending
Total Contract Amount		\$247,541	

Mental Health Data Alliance (MHDA)

CSI Data Quality Improvement Effort

MHSOAC Staff: Keith Erselius

Active Dates: June 15, 2013 – December 31, 2014

Objective: To provide counties with increased access to accurate and timely data through strengthening of the Client and Service Information (CSI) system, which collects data on all clients served via the Community Services and Support (CSS) component of the MHSA. Highlights of this contract include the following:

- Develop county-level CSI data quality reports and disseminate those reports to the counties
- Create statewide CSI data quality report that includes best collection/reporting practices
- Develop, and disseminate to counties, a tool to help counties independently analyze their own CSI data
- Create an information sharing link between CSI and DCR systems

Status: MHDA is currently in a stakeholder review process with the statewide data quality and best practices plan and is scheduled to complete the deliverable on time.

Deliverable	Due Date*	Deliverable Cost	Status
#1 Statewide data quality best practices plan	January 3, 2014	\$58,000	Completed
#2 County-level data quality reports with basic CSI client information	February 28, 2014	\$82,250	Completed

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#3 CSI data submission file analysis tool	May 16, 2014	\$46,000	Completed
#4 Statewide CSI data quality report	August 1, 2014	\$76,250	Pending
#5 Create a link between the DCR and CSI in order to provide diagnosis, GAF scores, and service types for DCR clients served (including final reports)	December 15, 2014	\$88,000	Pending
Total Contract Amount		\$350,500	

The Regents of the University of California, University of California, San Diego (IA)

Evaluation of Methods for Engaging and Serving Transition Age Youth (TAY)

MHSOAC Staff: Sheridan Merritt

Active Dates: May 1, 2014 to June 30, 2016

Objective: Identify, describe, and assess outreach/engagement strategies and services that have been or are being offered for TAY throughout the State, and promote continued identification and adoption of effective support (i.e., services, strategies, programs, systems) that promotes positive outcomes in transition-age youth (TAY) with mental health needs, including recovery and resilience.

Status: MHSOAC staff, in collaboration with Todd Gilmer, Ph.D. of the University of California, San Diego are finalizing the scope of work and contract deliverables for this effort. MHSOAC anticipates entering into an Interagency Agreement with UC Regents, San Diego early in 2014. Due dates listed in the table below are approximate pending contract execution.

Deliverable	Due Date*	Deliverable Cost	Status
#1 Report of Proposed Research Design	June 1, 2014	\$100,000	Under Review
#2 Report of Research Findings	March 1, 2015	\$150,000	Pending
#3 Report of Recommended Evaluation and Quality Improvement Methods	May 1, 2015	\$50,000	Pending

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#4 Identify, Develop, and Provide Technical Assistance to Counties			
#4a Report Describing Proposed Methods to Complete Work Outlined in Exhibit A Section 3.C.vi	May 1, 2015	\$50,000	Pending
#4b Report Describing Completion of Work Outlined in Exhibit A Section 3.C.vi	March 1, 2016	\$100,000	Pending
#5 Report of TAY Policy Recommendations	April 1, 2016	\$50,000	Pending
Total Contract Amount		\$500,000	

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The Regents of the University of California, University of California, San Diego

Community Services and Supports (CSS) Tracking, Monitoring, and Evaluation System

MHSOAC Staff: Keith Erselius

Active Dates: ~May 15, 2014 – June 30, 2016

Objective: Development and implementation of a tracking, monitoring, and evaluation system for adults receiving services via CSS that allows for evaluation of those clients and services. The ultimate goal of this project will be to contribute to our ability to understand and improve upon the quality of services offered via the CSS component and the statewide system that supports these services.

- Pilot data and outcomes system with select counties and providers to evaluate the feasibility of expanding the system statewide
- Inform policy and practices regarding a data collection system that could potentially expand to all MHSA components

Status: The MHSOAC recently agreed to enter into a contract with The Regents of the University of California, University of California, San Diego to complete this work. This contract is on track to be executed in early 2014. The contract has been sent to UCSD awaiting for their execution.

Deliverable	Due Date*	Deliverable Cost	Status
#1 Report of Proposed Tracking, Monitoring, and Evaluation System for Adults Receiving Services within the CSS Component	August 1, 2014	\$69,639	Pending
#2 Report of Proposed Implementation Plan to Pilot the Tracking, Monitoring, and Evaluation System in a Sample of Providers/Counties	August 1, 2014	\$104,458	Pending
#3 Report of Proposed Research Design and Analytic Plan to Evaluate the Efficacy of CSS Services for Clients in Less Comprehensive Services than Full Service Partnerships	October 1, 2014	\$104,458	Pending
#4 Report of Evaluation Results	March 1, 2016	\$278,554	Pending

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#5 Report of Policy and Practice Recommendations for How to Improve Upon Current CSS Services, Evaluations, and Systems	March 1, 2016	\$139,277	Pending
Total Contract Amount		\$696,386	

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Ongoing MHSOAC Internal Evaluation Projects:

MHSOAC Evaluation Unit		
Tracking and Monitoring of MHSA Programs and Activities via Plans, Updates, and Expenditure Reports		
<p>MHSOAC Staff: Celeste Doerr, Keith Erselius</p> <p>Active Dates: December 2013 – December 2014</p> <p>Objectives: Develop and implement a system for extracting and utilizing information of interest for tracking and monitoring MHSA program activities and outcomes for FY 2011/12 and 2012/13. Consider what additional information may be useful to capture via the reporting process. Specifically, extract and organize information that is submitted to the State by counties via Three-year Plans, Revenue and Expenditure Reports, and Annual Updates.</p> <p>Status: Database fields have been selected. A list of data elements is under review. Database is being populated and tested.</p>		
Work Effort or Product	Due Date	Status
#1 Determine State needs for information that is currently provided within reports	March 31, 2014	Completed
#2 Develop system for extracting and cataloging State's data needs	April 30, 2014	Completed
#3 List of recommended data elements	June 16, 2014	Pending
#4 Complete construction of tables, forms, and queries	August 15, 2014	Pending
#5 Test database functionality	August 22, 2014	Pending
6 Use system to extract and catalog data needed by State for FY 2012/13	October 31, 2014	Pending
#7 Data quality check	December 31, 2014	Pending

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<p>#8 Final report to summarize and synthesize relevant data for FY 2012/13; describe data needs not captured via the Plans, Updates, and Expense Reports and recommendations for how to address these unmet needs</p>	<p>December 31, 2014</p>	<p>Pending</p>
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MHSOAC Evaluation Unit

Community Forums

MHSOAC Staff: Celeste Doerr, Brian Geary
Active Dates: December 2013 – December 2014
Objectives: Strengthen current data collection methods used to summarize what is learned at the Community Forums.
Status: Evaluation staff developed a new questionnaire, facilitator’s guide for use during the meetings, and scribes’ guide to be used in training. Staff recommended a scribes’ reference sheet to be used in the meetings. Draft questionnaire was submitted to Community Forum Workgroup for feedback June 16, 2014. Scheduling and development of materials for pilot test is underway.

Work Effort or Product	Due Date	Status
# 1 Identify Program Unit goals	December 12, 2013	Completed
# 2 Develop plan to strengthen data, meet data-related goals, and preserve process-related value	December 20, 2013	Completed
# 3 Revise questionnaire, Scribes’ Guide, Facilitators’ Guide	March 30, 2014	Completed
# 4 Present to Commissioners Wooton and Nelson for feedback	April 15, 2014	Completed
# 5 Finalize second-round revisions to materials	May 30, 2014	Completed
# 6 Present to Community Forum Workgroup for feedback	June 19, 2014	Completed
# 7 Pilot test questionnaire	August 21, 2014	Pending

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MHSOAC Evaluation Unit		
MHSA Performance Monitoring		
<p>MHSOAC Staff: Sheridan Merritt</p> <p>Active Dates: On-Going</p> <p>Objective: Implement a process and system for monitoring and reporting on individual- and system-level indicators designed to measure the impact of MHSA funded programs at the State and county level.</p> <p>Status: MHSOAC staff are currently working to complete the UCLA contract that will build the foundation for ongoing performance monitoring done by the MHSOAC. MHSOAC staff will begin to independently conduct performance monitoring after the hand-off takes place in the Spring of 2014. In the meantime, MHSOAC staff are working to develop a process for adding indicators.</p>		
Work Effort or Product	Due Date	Status
#1 Secure HIPAA compliance for MHSOAC staff and information systems to allow for the secure storage and analysis of client-level data	June 1, 2014	Pending
#2 Develop process for adding additional client-, system- and community-level indicators (Step 2)	June 30, 2014	Pending
#3 Yearly report of Mental Health System Performance for FY 12/13	December 31, 2014	Pending
#4 Incorporate items from other workgroups in performance monitoring (Step 3)	June 30, 2015	Pending
#5 Incorporate specific indicators for MHSA components beyond CSS (i.e. PEI, INN, TN WET) (Step 4)	TBD	Pending
#6 Incorporate community-level indicators in performance monitoring (Step 5)	TBD	Pending

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#7 Incorporate additional general indicators (Step 6)	TBD	Pending
#8 Add indicators that measure change over time for individual consumers (Step 7)	TBD	Pending

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MHSOAC Evaluation Unit

Collect, Summarize, and Publicize Outcomes From County Evaluations of the CSS Component

MHSOAC Staff: Celeste Doerr, Carrie Masten
Active Dates: January 2014 – August 2014
Objectives: Collect, summarize, and publicize evaluations that counties have completed on the CSS component. Focus on fiscal years 2011/12 and 2012/13.
Status: MHSOAC Staff developed a method to obtain information from counties about completed CSS evaluations. Staff solicited and incorporated input from counties on the survey methodology. Individualized data requests were disseminated to counties February 14, 2014. Because some counties requested changes, a new data request was disseminated May 19, 2014. Responses are due June 30, 2014. Thirteen counties have submitted their completed surveys as of June 30, 2014. Follow-up with counties is ongoing.

Work Effort or Product	Due Date	Status
#1 Develop methodology to collect information from counties on completed evaluations of the CSS component	February 15, 2014	Completed
#2 Collect data/information from counties	June 30, 2014	Pending
#3 Conduct review of data and documents received from counties and extract relevant information as needed	July 31, 2014	Pending
#4 Written report that summarizes and synthesizes county evaluations of the CSS component completed in FY 2011/12 and 2012/13	September 30, 2014	Pending

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MHSOAC Evaluation Unit		
PEI evaluation strengthening; collect, summarize, and publicize completed PEI evaluations		
<p>MHSOAC Staff: Ashley Mills, Carrie Masten</p> <p>Active Dates: January 2014 – December 2014</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determine status of county efforts to evaluate one PEI project; make recommendations as needed to ensure adequate evaluations. Focus on fiscal year 2012/13. • Collect, summarize, and publicize PEI evaluations that counties have completed. Focus on fiscal year 2012/13. <p>The developed survey instruments were disseminated to the counties (MHSA Coordinators and Mental Health Directors) on February 14, 2014. All completed survey instruments and local evaluation reports are to be returned to the MHSOAC by June 30, 2014.</p>		
Work Effort or Product	Due Date	Status
#1 Develop methodology to collect information from counties on completed evaluations of the PEI component and evaluation methods used	February 15, 2014	Completed
#2 Collect data/information from counties on completed PEI evaluations and evaluation methods	June 30, 2014	Completed
#3 Conduct review of data and documents received from counties and extract relevant information as needed	July 31, 2014	Pending
#4 Written report that summarizes and synthesizes county evaluations of the PEI component completed in FY 2012/13	September 30, 2014	Pending
#5 Written report that provides recommendations for how to help strengthen county PEI evaluations and implementation plan	October 31, 2014	Pending

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Forthcoming MHSOAC Evaluation Contracts:

The Regents of the University of California, University of California, Davis

Early Psychosis Evaluation

MHSOAC Staff: Ashley Mills

Active Dates: ~July 2014 - Not to exceed June 30, 2017

Objective: Identify and describe the impact of Early Psychosis programs being offered in the State, including outreach/engagement/screening efforts and actual direct services, and the specific facets/elements of those efforts and services that lead to successful outcomes. Outcomes would include (for example) how many have been helped, the positive impacts that clients have experienced, and cost savings/benefits.

Status: MHSOAC staff is working with the contractors to develop a scope of work, budget, and deliverables for this contract. The contract is scheduled to be executed in July 2014.

Contractor TBD via Request for Proposals (RFP)

Determine Effectiveness of Selected MHSA Programs for Older Adults (RFP to be Released in Fall of 2014)

MHSOAC Staff: Sheridan Merritt

Active Dates: ~November, 2014 to June 30, 2017

Objective: Through this effort, MHSOAC will evaluate the effectiveness of county-led programs to improve outcomes for older adults with mental health needs, support quality improvement efforts for existing programs, and identify best practices and promising programs for expansion to underserved communities.

Status: Evaluation planning began in early 2014. The scope of work and associated deliverables will be developed along with the RFP. An external contractor will be selected in the Fall of 2014 through a competitive bidding process with an anticipated contract start date of November 1, 2014.

Contractor TBD via RFP

Recovery Orientation Evaluation (RFP to be released in the Summer of 2014)

MHSOAC Staff: Ashley Mills

Active Dates: ~November 1, 2014 – Not to exceed June 30, 2017

Objective: Explore the extent of and variation in the recovery orientation of programs

Status: The scope of work and associated deliverables are currently being drafted by MHSOAC staff. An external contractor will be selected in the Fall of 2014 through a competitive bidding process with an anticipated contract start date of November 1, 2014.

Contractor TBD

Full Service Partnership (FSP) Classification Project

MHSOAC Staff: Keith Erselius

Active Dates: ~July 1, 2014 – Not to exceed June 30, 2017

Objective: Explore the feasibility of classifying FSP programs in a meaningful and useful fashion.

Status: Evaluation planning will begin in the Spring of 2014.

* Reflects the date that the deliverable is due to the MHSOAC for an internal review for compliance and approval.