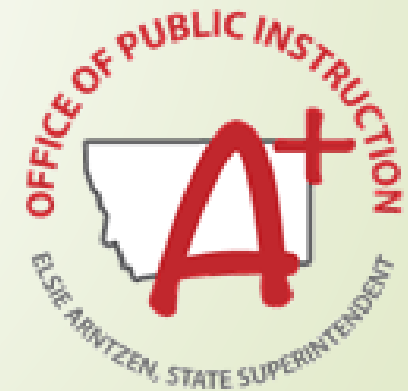


System of Care Tribal Wraparound Project



It's not a program, it's a way of life...

- Laying the spiritual path for our future families
- Cherish and support each other, everyone, and everything in the universe
- Collectively cherishing our homes forever into the future
- Everything we are looking for is within ourselves and our communities



What is Systems of Care?

► Building a systems of care is a process that involves working with schools and community stakeholders to assemble a spectrum of effective, community-based services and supports for youth and families with, or at risk of, mental illness or other challenges they may face.





Core Values

Systems of Care Are:

- ▶ Family driven and youth guided -- The strengths and needs of the child and family determining the types and mix of services and supports provided.
- ▶ Community based -- The locus of services, as well as system management, rests within supportive, adaptive structures, processes, and relationships at the community level.
- ▶ Culturally and linguistically competent -- Agencies, programs, and services reflect the cultural, racial, ethnic, and linguistic differences of the populations they serve to facilitate access to and utilization of appropriate services and supports.



What it looks like:

- ▶ **Project team seeks out partnerships**

- ▶ Buffalo Hide Academy
- ▶ Tribal Action Planning Team
- ▶ Crisis Response Team Development

- ▶ **Project team educates system partners**

- ▶ Annual PIRs
- ▶ Door to Door
- ▶ Quarterly Meetings

- ▶ **Project team promotes family voice & choice in system partner decisions**

- ▶ Building rapport with existing youth & family forums (NDO, School Youth Groups, PTA, Community Helpers)
- ▶ Building bridges between schools and community
- ▶ Bringing youth & family to the table

- ▶ **Strengths & Challenges**



We all do
better when
we all do
better.

**The
Principles of
Wraparound**

Family Voice & Choice

Culturally Competent

Individualized

Strengths Based

Unconditional Care

Natural Supports

Community Based

Team Based

Collaboration & Integration

Outcome Based & Cost Responsible

Principles of Wraparound





Thank you



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