# **Assertive Community Treatment:**

#### ACT team training activities in this quarter:

- ACT 101
- ACT 201-C
- Role of the ACT RN
- Psychiatric Medication and Chronic Health Conditions
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- Intervention strategies for Dementia in Persons with SMI and Other Disorders
- Hope for Recovery-Recovery of Hope

**Michigan Fidelity Assistance and Support Teams:** development and process continue to evolve; additional reviewers will be trained in June and October.

To date, Fidelity Support visits have occurred with ACT teams:

- Oakland County Community Network Services
- Northern Lakes
- Detroit-Wayne New Center, Southwest Solutions, and Northeast Guidance
- Centra Wellness
- Van Buren Co Steps

**Technical Assistance** summary: calls requesting assistance in obtaining services for family members or friends. Other assistance primarily centered on agency questions related to Medicaid's requirement that ACT teams to provide prescreens prior to hospitalization. For many teams this has resulted in no change in practice; in other ACT teams this function had been absorbed by the larger agency and changes are being made for ACT to again provide pre-screens.

# Older Adults:

The **Michigan Dementia Educator's Network (MDEN)** (a network of experienced dementia educators who specialize in training professional and family caregivers.) The June 2018 focus is <u>Sleep & Dementia: Challenges and Interventions</u>

- Education on Sleep, Dementia and the Brain
- Function, Benefits, Challenges and Favorable Conditions of Sleep for People with Dementia and Those Who Care

## Lansing Community College Mental Health & Aging Project workforce development:

- 'An Introduction to Acceptance and Commitment Therapy for Professional Caregivers Working with Older Adults'
- 'Working with Older Adults: Ethical Issues'
- Geropsych seminars:
  - 'Accommodating Hearing Vision Loss in Older Adults'
  - 'Elder Abuse'
  - Mental Health & Aging Conference 30<sup>th</sup> Conference Anniversary May 2018 (about 400 participants)
- 'Intervention Strategies for Dementia in Persons with Serious Mental Illness & Other Disorders'

# Family Psychoeducation:

- FPE Steering Committee is meeting on quarterly basis: next meeting June 14, 2018
- Contract continued with Stephanie Lange for FY18 as lead for FPE efforts, including committee meetings, training coordination, monitoring of IMP, technical assistance as requested and up to 5 MIFAST visits (only scheduled 1 so far)
- Trainings are in the process of being confirmed for FY18:
  - One 2-day FPE Facilitator Training—Mackinaw City was on May 10 11 trained 25 people
  - One 2-day Advanced Facilitator Training— will be July 23 24 and is open for registration now (Mt. Pleasant)
  - An additional Facilitator training may occur in Huron/Tuscola for about 12 people that need it in that region - but it is pending

### improvingMlpractices.org:

Behavioral Health information on the public site; Workforce development, course and resources for account holders who log in.

PIHP Reciprocity Workgroup and the State Training Guideline Workgroup has continued the beneficial relationship coordinating through imp; State Training Guidelines Workgroup (STGW) has updated and posted Training Curriculum Guidelines on imp; STGW has created vetting tools for PIHPs and Agencies to vet current training against; companies/agencies are enrolling in transcription service allowing approved supervisors and managers to assign, track and validate course completion for employees within their agency; employees can store both imp and outside certificates on their account transcripts-accessible where and when they choose.

Tobacco Retailers education is now live, other accessibility and course development continue.

Related Metrics: October 2017-May 2018

	May- 18	Apr-18	Mar-18	Feb-18	Jan-18	Dec-18	Nov-17	Oct-17
Total Number of Reistered Users	16859	16372	16042	15625	15252	15256	14855	14233
Number of Active Users in the								
Month	2814	2433	2640	2433	2433	unavailable	509	948
Number of Courses Accessed	171	156	199	168	209	152	143	103
Number of Certificates Generated	1539	2492	1196	1003	1442	1038	1202	1162
Number of CEUs Granted	2474.5	2073.5	2004.5	1634.5	1851.5	1723	1953.5	1916.5

If you have questions or would like additional information, please contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

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