

# Nebraska

# System of Care Planning Grant

Planning for Transformation Through Partnerships



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# ABOUT THE PROJECT

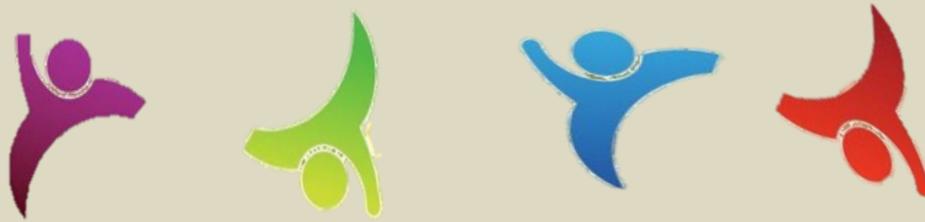
Nebraska is bringing together youth, families, child-serving systems and providers and Nebraska leaders to develop a statewide comprehensive strategic plan for a prevention oriented, culturally and linguistically appropriate, and family-driven, youth-guided System of Care for children/youth with serious mental health challenges and their families. The planning year is devoted to preparing a “framework” to infuse care through a system. A system of care is not a single program, but rather coordination and integration of multiple programs and services across partnerships.



## KEY COMPONENTS of a SYSTEM OF CARE

- Individualized care
- Community coordination and integration
- Service accessibility
- Family and youth partnership - system, program and practice levels
- Cultural competence - system, program and practice levels





# Nebraska's Planning Year July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014

Nebraska's efforts are supported by a federal grant award from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) and matching contributions from state and local entities.

- **\$504,500** Federal Award
- **\$311,654** State and Local Match



# Core Values

## Nebraska's System of Care Will Be:



- Family Driven and Youth Guided
- Community and Partnership-based Processes and Relationships
- Culturally and Linguistically Competent





# Planning Goals



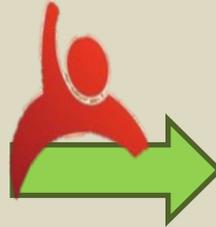
By June 30, 2014, Nebraska will:

- 1) Develop a plan to infuse the system of care framework and philosophy to improve the lives of children experiencing serious mental health challenges and their families.
- 2) Develop a logic model describing inputs, approaches, outputs and outcomes to support infusion of SOC approach statewide.
- 3) Develop a culturally and linguistically competent social marketing/strategic communication plan.



# Planning Will Take Nebraska

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...to here



# PLANNING INVOLVES PARTICIPATION

## Connecting Through a Complexity of Partnerships Across Multiple Domains



- Youth Partners



- Family Partners



- System Partners



# Planning is Supported by Project Consultants and Contractors



- Family Organizations
  - NE Federation of Families, 6 Family Organizations
- Nebraska Children and Families Foundation
  - Youth Partners and Communication Plan
- 16 Youth/Family Partners
- Regional Behavioral Health Authorities (RBHA)
- Children & Family Services
  - Service Area Administrators (SAA)
- TriWest Group
  - Peter Selby, PhD and Suki Martinez-Parham, M Ed
- University of Nebraska
  - Public Policy Center



# Partners and Stakeholders Contribute Through 3 Key Operational Teams



1. The Systems of Care Project Management Team (PMT)
2. The Systems of Care Development Team (SOC-DT)
3. The Systems of Care Core Strategy Team (CST)



## System of Care Project Management Team (PMT)

- Tri-Chairs  
Family, DBH, CFS
- Family/Youth Organizations
- Behavioral Health (DBH)
- Children & Family Services (CFS)
- Medicaid & Long Term Care
- Developmental Disabilities
- Public Health
- Office of Probation

Support

Final Products

## System of Care Development Team (SOC-DT)

- Youth and Families
- Child-Serving Systems
- Child-Serving Providers
- Private Partners (NCFE)
- Nebraska Children's Commission  
SOC Representative
- American Indian Tribes
- Consultants (TriWest/PPC)

Draft Products

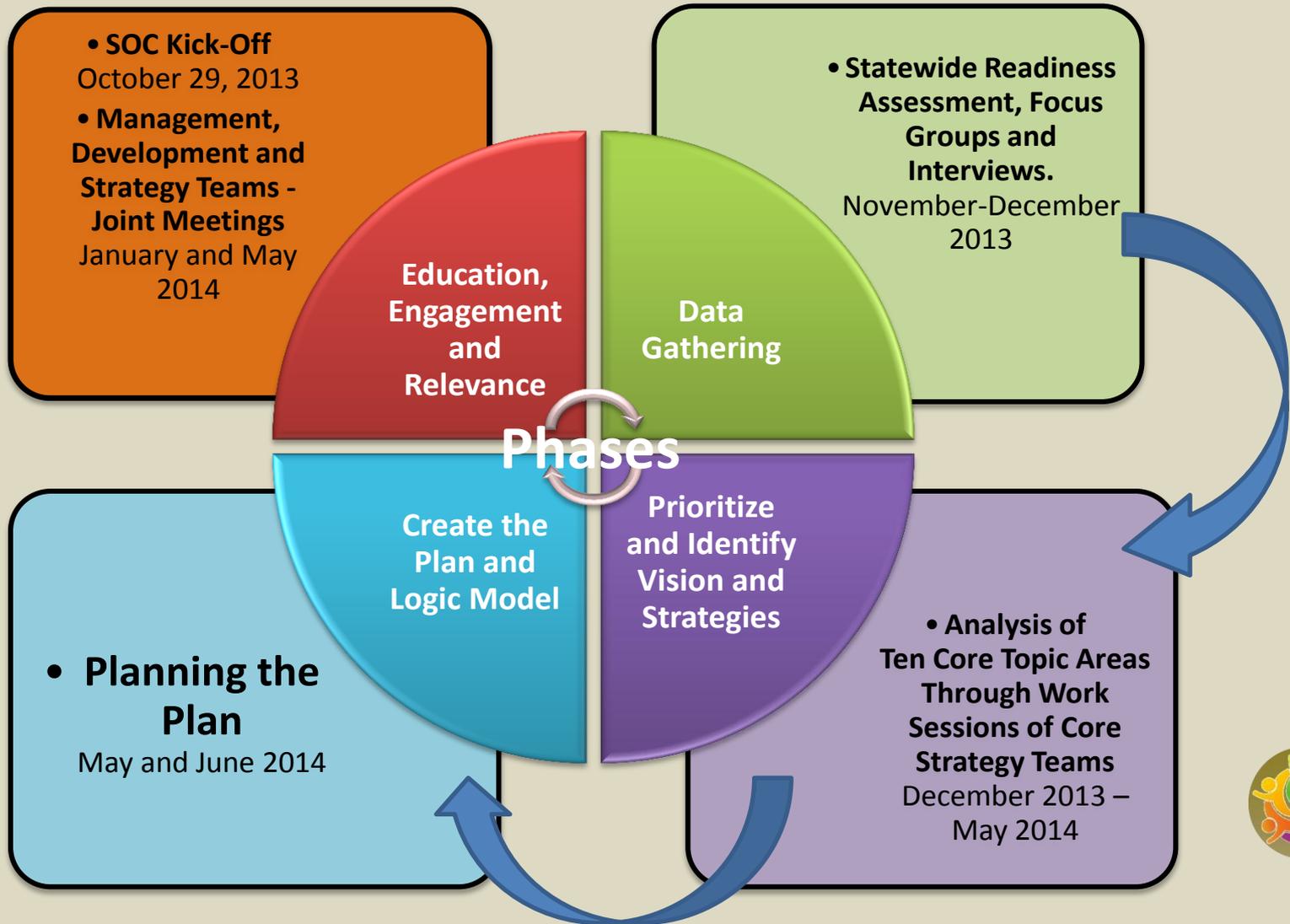
Membership

## System of Care Core Strategy Teams (CST)

- Youth and Family Partnership
- High Fidelity Wraparound / Family Centered Practice
- Financing Strategies
- Trauma Informed Services and Supports
- Workforce Development
- Social Marketing and Communication
- Services and Supports
- Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate Services and Supports
- Prevention and Early Intervention
- Policy, Administrative and Regulatory



# Work is Accomplished Through Planning Phases and Processes



# Planning is Continually Enhanced and Supported by Project Leaders, Partners and Staff



# Nebraska's System of Care Planning Project: Coming Together For A Mutual Goal..



**...and a Shared Vision for Healthy Change**



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