WORKING TOWARD SAFETY AND JUSTICE THROUGH POLICE & PROSECUTOR PARTNERSHIPS

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Obstacles to Collaboration





Examples From the Field: Pennington County

- Care Campus:
 - Partnership with Pennington County Sheriff's Office, Pennington County Health and Human Services, Crisis Care Center and Rapid City to co-locate multiple programs.
 - Includes: Safe Solutions (for those under the influence of substances, primarily alcohol); Detoxification; Residential and Outpatient Treatment; Crisis Care Center; Rapid City PD Quality of Life Unit
- OneHeart:
 - This transformation campus seeks to provide transitional housing and co-locate a variety of services, including addiction, mental health counseling, and job training, to move those who are homeless into permanent housing and improve their quality of life. This would offer person-centered, trauma-informed, recovery-oriented care; in return, each adult resident would be expected to create a self-directed income plan, housing plan and agree to live clean and sober.
- Quality of Life Unit:
 - This unit will foster collaboration through police officers working hand-in-hand with caseworkers in order to provide boots-on-the ground social work services to homeless and vulnerable populations.
- Mniluzahan Okolakiciyapi Ambassadors:
 - Includes Native and non-Native leaders who represent multiple community sectors. They seek to address the broken relationships and lack of respect between the Native and non-Native American communities in Rapid City.



Examples From the Field: Milwaukee County

- Community Prosecution:
 - Philosophy of collaborating with other organizations to create safer communities
- Milwaukee Early Intervention Program:
 - Includes monthly meeting with all stakeholders figure out how to improve the criminal justice system
- Post-Booking Stabilization Process:
 - Work with police department, public defender, and assistant DA to ensure individual gets stabilized as quickly as possible
- Housing First Initiative:
 - Start process of stability for chronic homeless population by getting housing first, police department identifies individuals, contacts behavioral health, and look for long term solutions



Finding Solutions to Common Challenges





Keys to Collaboration: Additional Guidance from Police Prosecutor Meeting





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Questions?



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