

Behavioral Health Bureau



Captain AJ Patella

Sergeant Bill Burk

Goal / Objectives



Create a professional, collaborative, and appropriate response to mental health calls for service

Introduction

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH BUREAU(BHB)

SHERIFF / HEALTH CARE AGENCY COLLABORATION



**CRISIS
INTERVENTION
TRAINING / TEAM**

**CO-RESPONDER
TEAMS**



**MOBILE
CRISIS TEAMS**

**CASE
MANAGEMENT**

Crisis Intervention Training(CIT)



Objective 100% of Sworn Staff CIT I (16 hours) / 25% CIT I, II, III (40 hours)



"Memphis Model"

Percentage of Rank Completing Training

Rank	CIT 1	CIT 2	CIT 3
DEPUTY SHERIFF I	28.8%	4.4%	0.1%
DEPUTY SHERIFF II	60.5%	10.3%	2.3%
INVESTIGATOR	61.2%	3.6%	1.4%
SERGEANT	60.0%	5.3%	0.8%
LIEUTENANT	26.9%	0.0%	0.0%
CAPTAIN	34.9%	0.0%	0.0%
COMMANDER	33.3%	6.7%	0.0%
ALL SWORN STAFF	45.9%	6.3%	1.0%

- ❖ 16 CIT I Classes scheduled through the remainder of 2021 (352 Individuals)
- ❖ Brings total sworn trained to 57%
- ❖ POST has approved STC CIT I course
- ❖ CIT I training goal is projected to be completed in 2022

Preparing for a Mental Health Response



Behavioral Health Liaisons

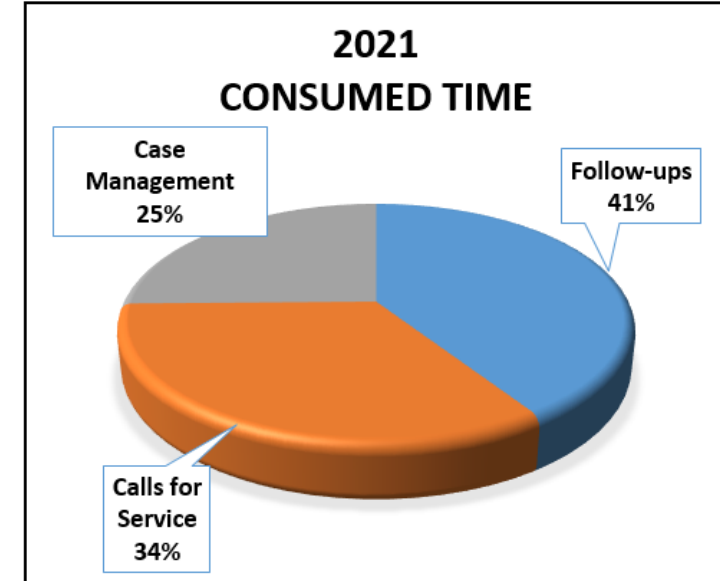
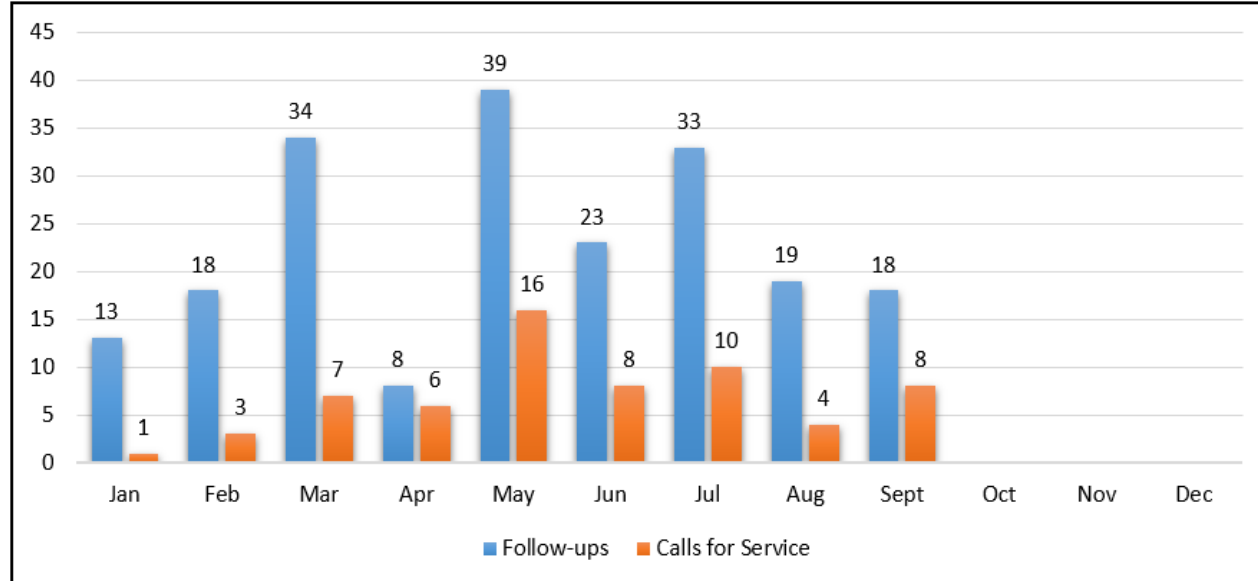
- **Redefinition of Roles and Responsibilities**
- **Advanced Homeless Liaison Officer Course (40 Hours)**
 - POST Approved
 - First Class held in June 2021
- **Ongoing Monthly Training in De-escalation and Mental Health**
 - Addressing individuals with Autism - *CHOC*
 - De-escalation/Negotiations Cross Training – *OCSD Crisis Negotiations Team*
 - Behavioral Threat Assessments – *OCIAC*
 - Behavioral vs Mental Health Issues – *HCA*
 - Trauma Informed Care – *HCA*
 - Psychosis/Schizophrenia – *HCA*

Mental Health Response



Co-Responder Team

- Deployed regionally and expanded to two shifts
- Incorporated Case Management
 - Working with OCIAC and the FBI's Behavioral Health Unit
 - Information is exchanged between the Patrol and Custody Behavioral Health Bureaus

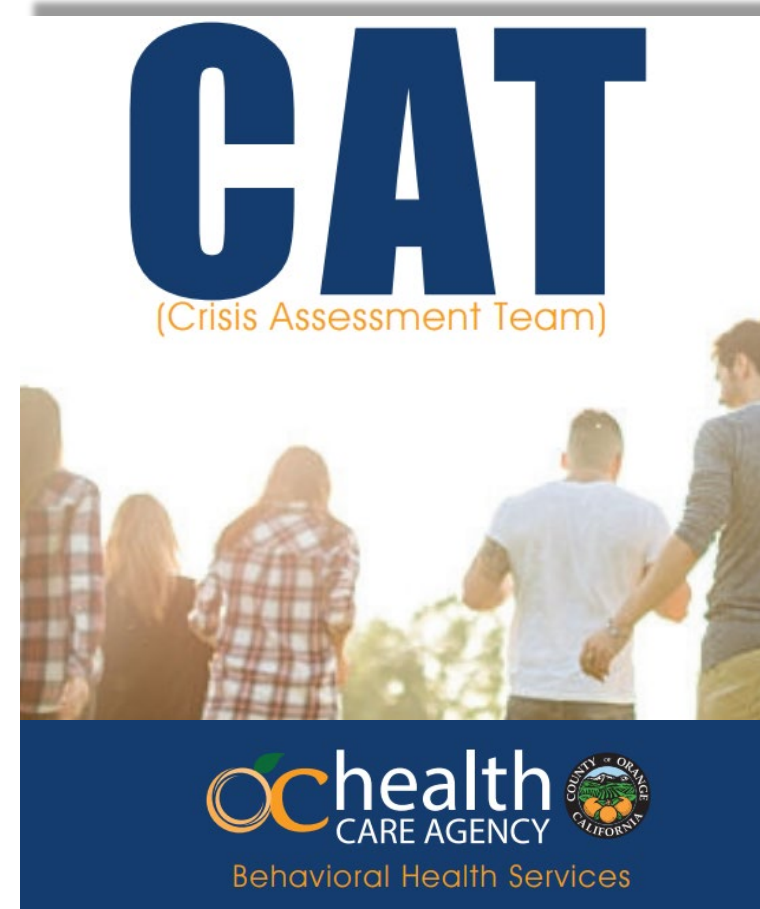


Mental Health Response

Mobile Crisis Teams

Crisis Assessment Team (CAT)

- 24-Hour Mobile Response
 - Initial Crisis Field Response
 - Follow-Up Field Assessments



Case Management Team

Be Well

- Collaborated on the campus's policies and procedures
- Assisted with training of OC Law Enforcement Agencies
- Ongoing partnership



Care Plus

- Transition from SOCDIS to Care Plus Program
- Multi-disciplinary Team (MDT)

CIT

- **Crisis Intervention Team** Steering Committee
- Updated Patrol Operations Manual
- Mobile Crisis Team (CAT)

Crisis Intervention Team

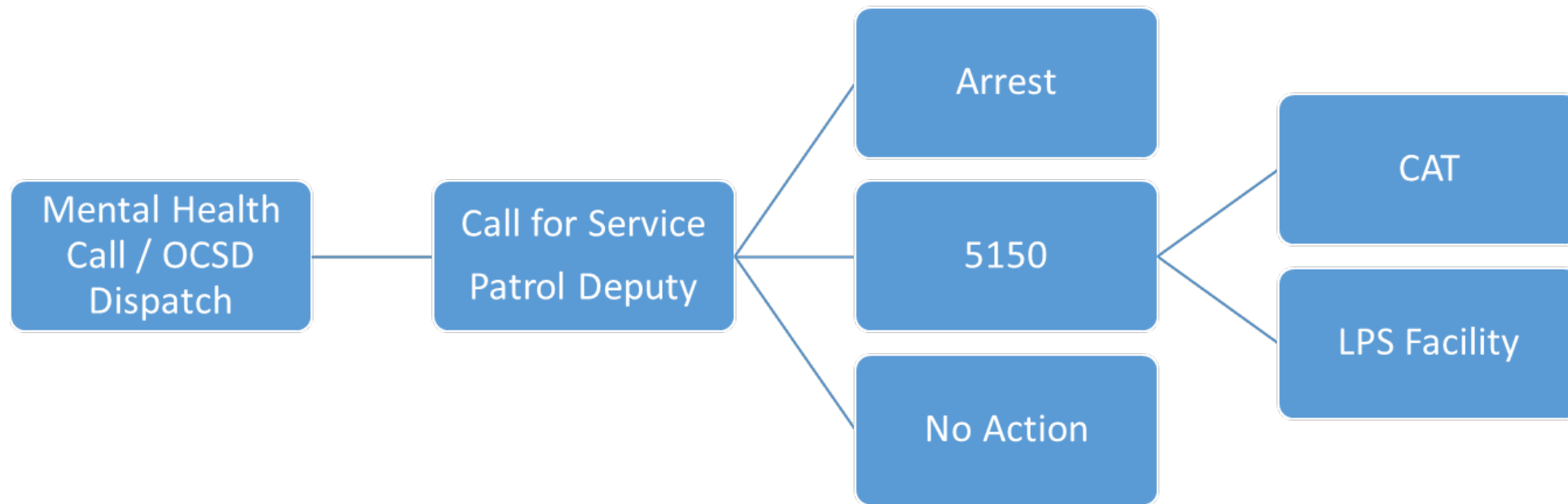


Category	Agencies/Organizations	Key Stakeholders
BH Provider	HCA-BHS Management Training Crisis services Collab. Court Homeless Outreach	Annette M. /Brett O'Brien Teresa Renteria Linda Molina/Vanessa Thomas/Matthew Kee/Dawn Smith Jenny Hudson/Chi Lam Christina Weckerly Ramirez
BH Provider/ Training	HCA CIT training provider (WYS and NAMI)	Stephanie Lowrance (WYS) Amy Durham (NAMI)
Community	Community advocacy/consumers and family members	Amy Durham/Steve Pittman (NAMI-OC) Consumers/family members
LE/First responder	OCSD Behavioral Health Bureau Seal Beach PD Dispatch	Captain AJ Patella Sgt. Bill Burk Chief Gonshak/Lauren Barich/Brian Gray Kasey Bowden, the Police Communications Director of West Cities Police Communications (WESCOM)
BH Provider	Hospitals/Emergency Room departments Children's Mental Health Be Well OC	Christy Cornwall (St. Joe) Lina N/Laura Mason/Gail Jones (College) Barry Ross (St. Joe) Christopher Childress (Hoag) Seneca staff (Katie, Kalia, Thevin) Anthony Delgado
First Responder	Fire/EMS personnel	Steve Phillips (OCIAAC and Fire/EMS) OCFA and other OC fire agencies Adrian Rodriguez (HCA-EMS) Josh Dean/Aja Dickey (Premier Ambulance) Kristin Thompson (NBFD) Brandon Grinstead (OCFA)
First Responder	OC Training Managers Association (OCTMA)	Jeniffer Vallejo
First Responder	Police Chiefs and Sheriff Association	Chief Lenyi
First Responder	DA	Jess Rodriguez/Tamika Williams (DA- Mental Health Dept)

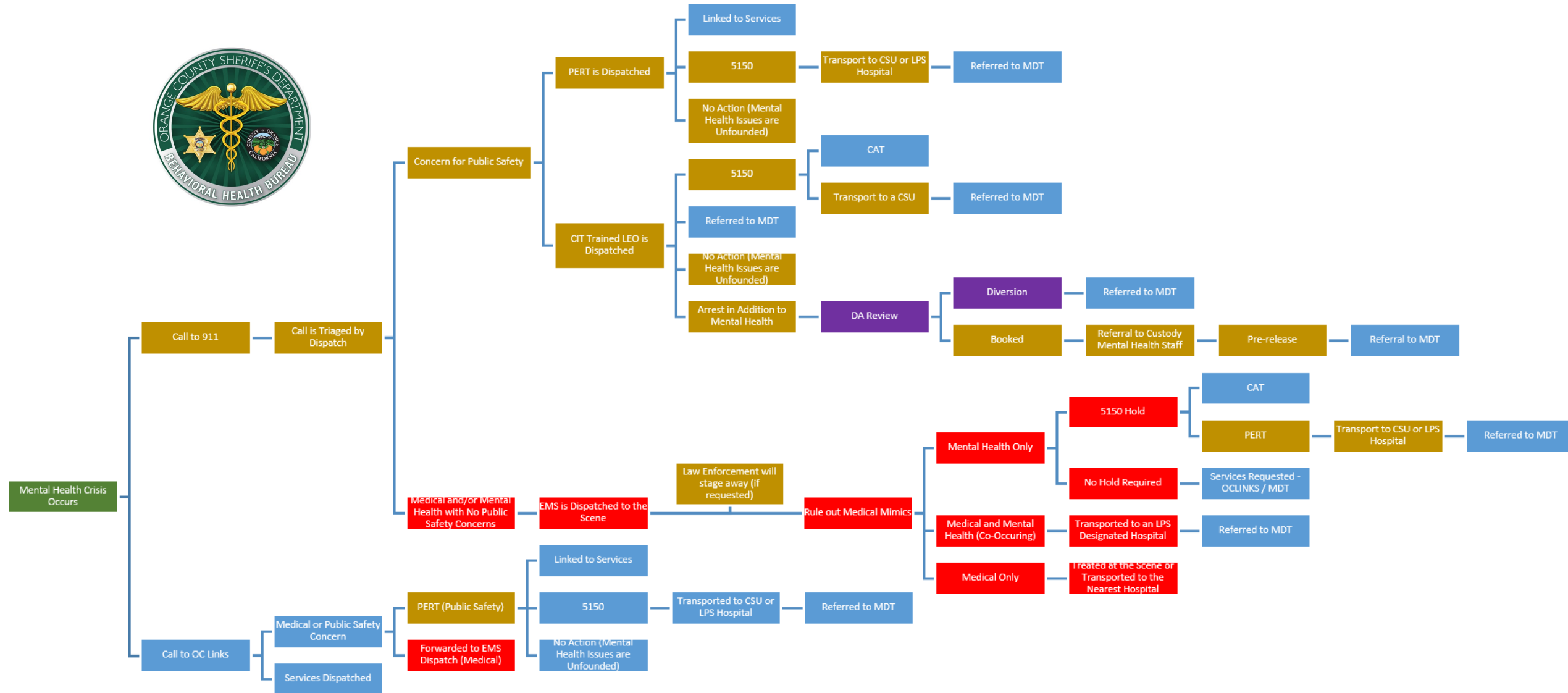
Law Enforcement Response



Calls Involving a Mental Health Crisis



Proposed Response Model



Analytics

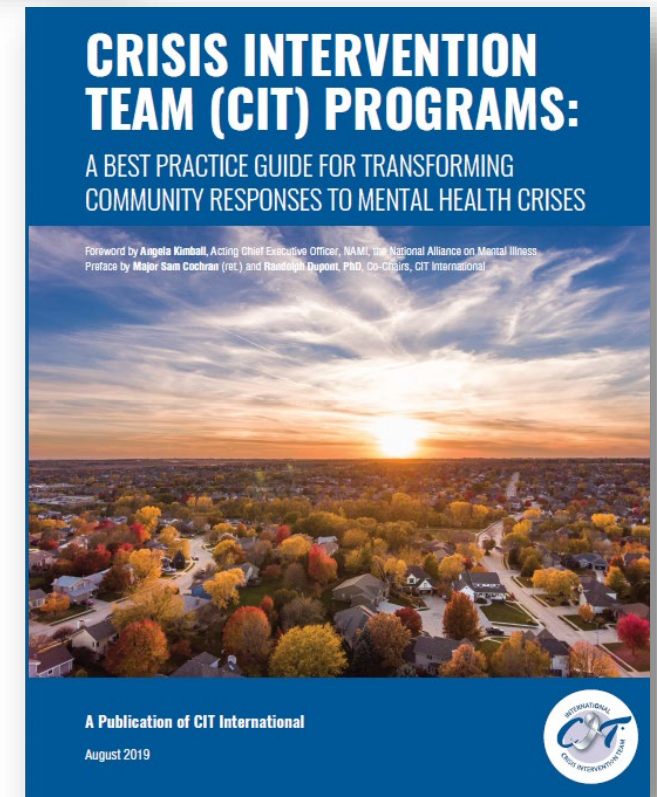


Process Measures

- Training
- Identify Specialized Deputies
- MOUs / Policies

Operational Measures

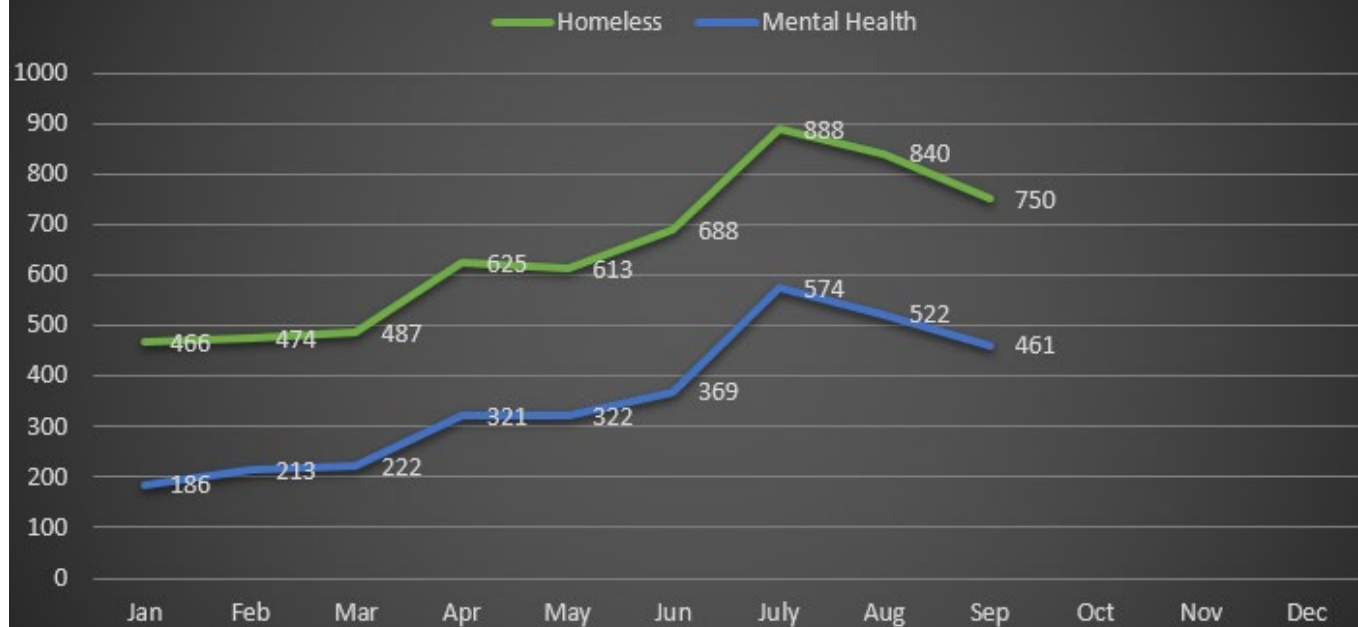
- The number of calls for service involving people with mental illnesses
- Duration of calls for service
- Percentage of calls that specially trained personnel handle
- Repeat calls for the same people
- Repeat locations for mental health calls
- Frequency of disposition decisions
- The frequency of use of force during mental health calls
- The number of injuries or fatalities to officers, consumers and third parties



Analytics



2021 Call Dispositions



Mental Health Calls

OCSD

Average Response Time

0:08:27

Average Length of Call

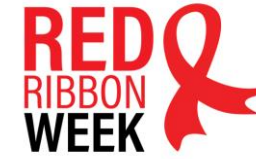
1:41:24

Average Consumed Time

6:50:25



Questions?



Orange County Sheriff's Department

Drug Prevention Programs

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**DRUG USE[®]
IS
~~LIFE ABUSE~~**



ORANGE COUNTY
SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

35 years of Drug Prevention Education



Drug Use is Life Abuse

Provides financial support for drug prevention programs.
Created the following drug prevention programs used by deputies in schools:

- Free From Drugs (K-4)
- Positively kNOw Drugs (5-7)
- Next Step (8-12)



Above the Influence



The Orange County Sheriff's Department newest drug prevention program

Six, 1 hour classes

5th & 6th grade students

Meets CA state ATOD education standards

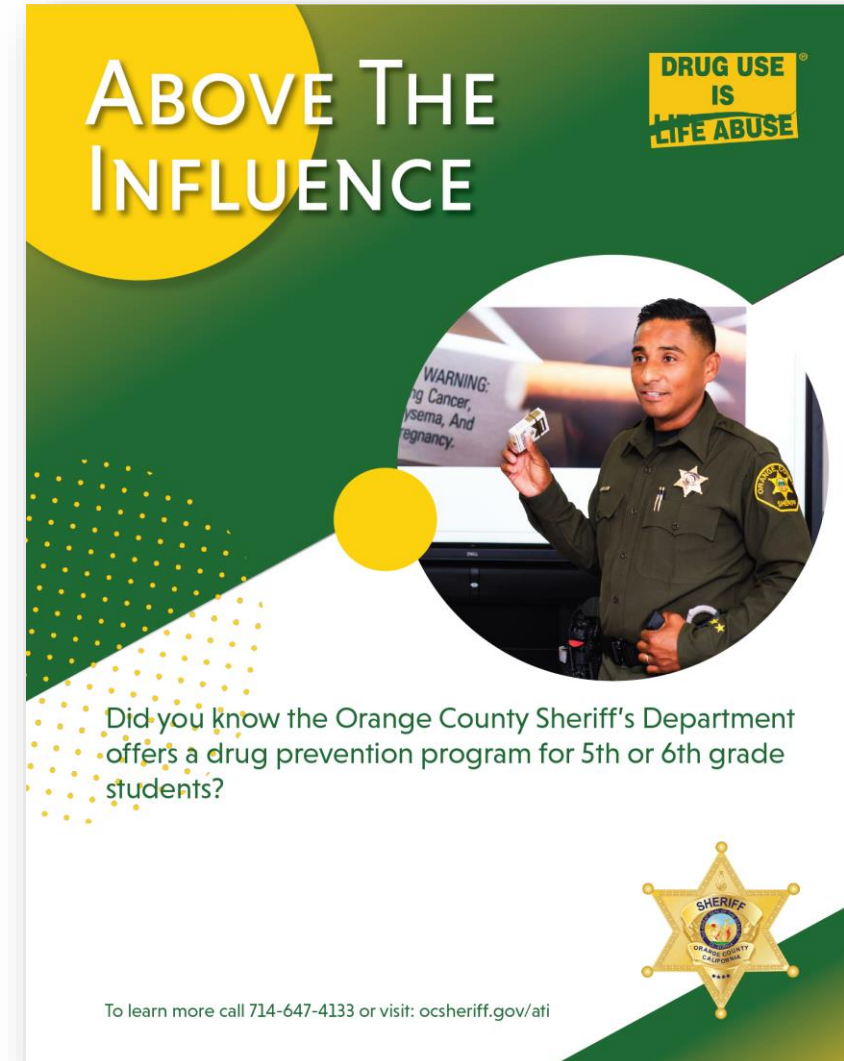
Engagement through

- Demonstrations
- Videos
- Discussions
- Student involvement

Science and fact based approach

Increase the perceived risk of harm

Increase protective factors



Above the Influence curriculum



What is addiction?

How drugs affect the dopamine reward system

Consequences of substance abuse

- Physical
- Mental
- Legal
- Relational

Destigmatize mental illness

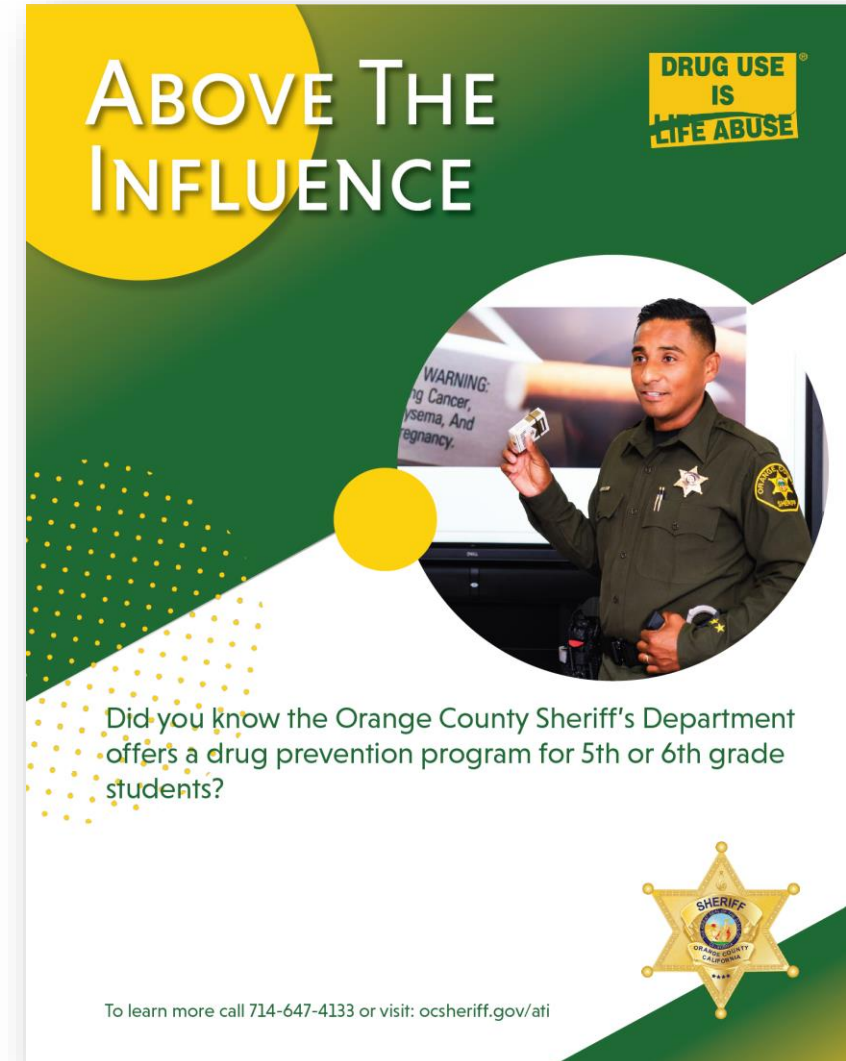
Suicide prevention

Healthy lifestyle alternatives to using drugs and alcohol

Assertiveness and refusal skills

Drug topics covered

- Nicotine, tobacco and vaping products
- Alcohol
- Marijuana
- Prescription and over the counter medication safety



Next Step Program



Target audience: 8th grade

Peer to peer drug prevention program

First Semester:

- Starts as a club at the high school
- Students learn drug prevention curriculum
- Students create five lesson plans

Second semester:

- We transport HS students to middle school
- HS students teach their lessons to the 8th grade students

Current programs

- Dana Hills HS
- San Clemente HS

Nothing but the Truth About Drugs...

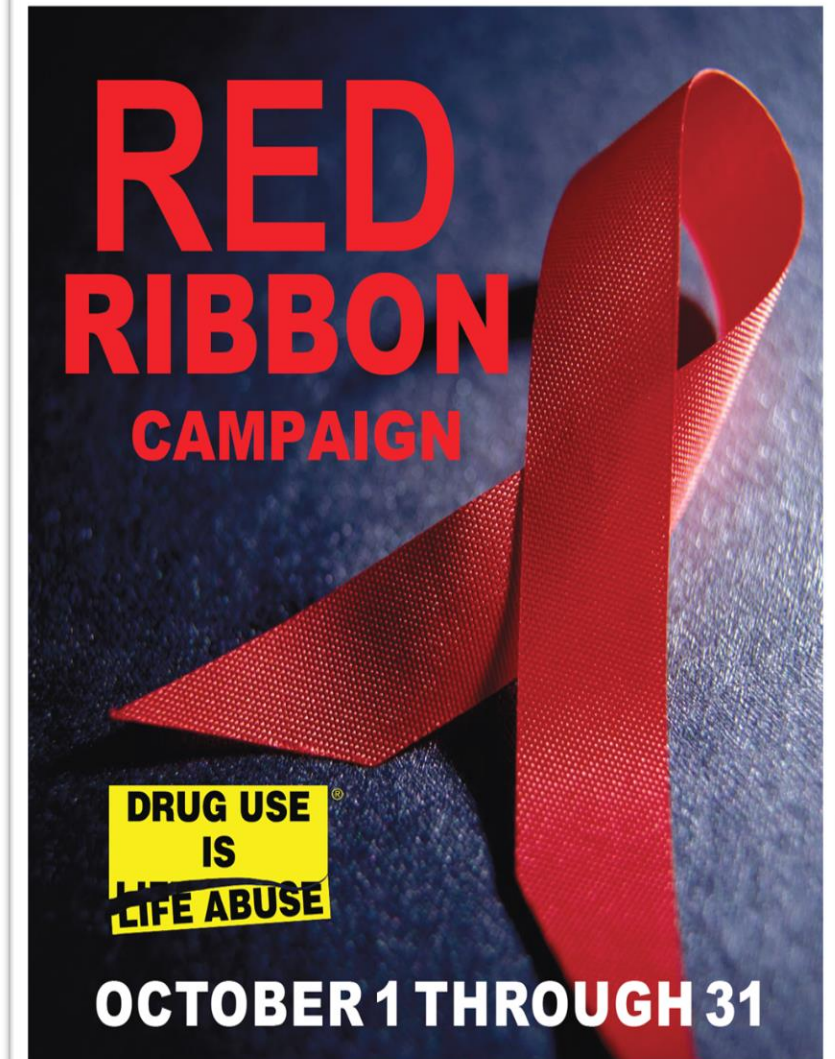
**NEXT
STEP**

...Kids Teaching Kids

Red Ribbon Campaign – Drug Awareness



1985 DEA Special Agent "Kiki Camarena killed by Mexican Cartel.
1988 OCSD & DUILA started supporting Red ribbon campaign efforts in Orange County.
1994 OCSD & DUILA started providing red ribbon wristbands free to schools.
My unit alone, is providing 32 drug prevention education school events.



National Prescription Take Back Day



Join us for

NATIONAL PRESCRIPTION TAKE BACK DAY

Saturday, Oct. 23, 2021

10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M.

Dispose of unwanted and expired prescription medication. Free and anonymous. No questions asked. Sharps, Marijuana, Liquids or Pressure Canisters will not be accepted. For more information call 714-647-4133.

The event will be held at the following locations:

Dana Point Dana Point City Hall 33282 Golden Lantern St. Dana Point, Ca 92629	Lake Forest Lake Forest Civic Center 100 Civic Center Dr. Lake Forest, CA 92630
Laguna Hills Laguna Hills Community Center 25555 Alicia Pkwy Laguna Hills 92653	Mission Viejo Mission Viejo City Hall 200 Civic Center Mission Viejo, CA 92691
Laguna Niguel Laguna Niguel City Hall 30111 Crown Valley Pkwy Laguna Niguel, CA 92677	Rancho Santa Margarita Rancho Santa Margarita City Hall 22112 El Paseo Rancho Santa Margarita, CA 92688
Laguna Woods Laguna Woods City Hall 24264 El Toro Road Laguna Woods, CA 92367	San Clemente San Clemente City Hall 910 Negocio San Clemente, CA 92673

Over 60% of teens report their home medicine cabinet as their source of drugs. Don't let your medicine cabinet be the source of drugs for anyone.



National prescription Take Back Day occurs twice a year

- April
- October

Drug Enforcement Administration Campaign

OCSD supports DEA by providing eight take back locations

Results: approximately 3 tons of medication collected annually at OCSD sites.



Parent Education and Community Events



Provide prevention speakers for:

- PTA meetings
- ELAC programs - Spanish
- Department of Education sponsored events
- School district sponsored events
- Medical professional associations
- Youth community organizations



Parent Aware Series of videos for social media

- How to search your child's room
- Signs and symptoms of possible drug use
- Intervention specialist advise
- How teens are using technology to buy drugs
- Legal, but not safe for kids

Legislative Efforts to Address Fentanyl



Legislative Opportunities

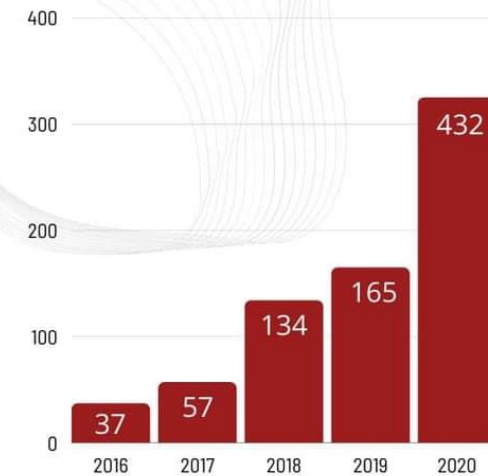
FEDERAL: Fentanyl analogues are only temporarily listed as Schedule I drugs. This placement expires in January 2022. Bi-partisan legislation, *Federal Initiative to Guarantee Health by Targeting (FIGHT) Fentanyl Act*, would permanently make fentanyl a Schedule I drug.

The Sheriff advocated for increased funding for programs like HIDTA to increase interdiction efforts.

STATE: Since 2016 the Sheriff's Department has sponsored legislation seeking to enhance the sentence for possessing fentanyl for sale. The Legislature has not passed the bill.

2021's version of the bill, SB/75AB 1351-(Bates/Petrie-Norris), did not pass this year and have been made a 2 year bill.

DEATHS FROM FENTANYL
POISONING HAVE INCREASED BY
OVER 1000% IN ORANGE
COUNTY SINCE 2016



Number of Fentanyl related deaths in Orange
County



ORANGE COUNTY
SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

THERE IS NO SAFE
WAY TO PURCHASE
ILLEGAL PILLS

Fentanyl Awareness



Fentanyl awareness being added to all OC Sheriff prevention education programs

Lethal Doses of fentanyl sold as counterfeit pills



You don't have to be an addict anymore to die, just willing to experiment. One pill can kill the first time

Thank you



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