

Psychiatric Advance Directives (PADs) Innovation (INN) Project

What is a PAD?

A PAD is a legal document that details a person's preferences for treatment decisions during a mental health crisis.

What is the PADs INN Project?

The PADs INN project is a time-limited, multi-county effort that seeks to implement the training and use of PADs across multiple counties, with the goal of developing a standardized PAD training, template and "tool kit" for all California counties. Participating counties include Contra Costa, Fresno, Mariposa, Monterey, Orange, Shasta and Tri-City.

Who is the target population?

All counties will pilot PADs with adults (ages 18+). Each county has a specific population or program as its focus to identify learnings across diverse groups. The decision to create a PAD is voluntary.

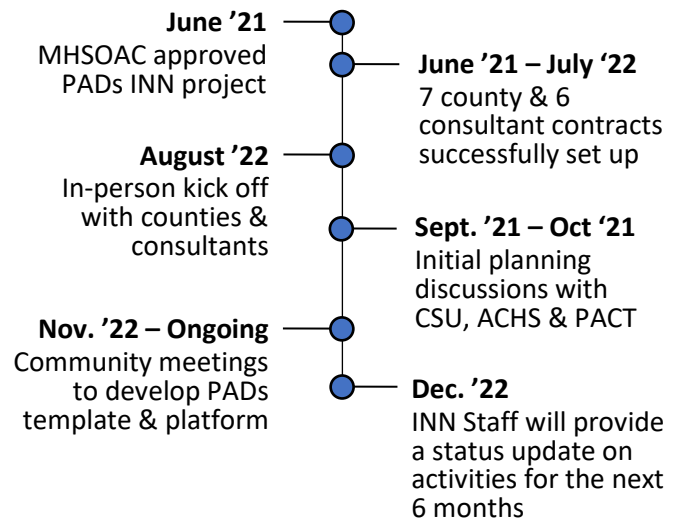
How will OC implement the project?

INN Staff and the PADs Trainer are working with Adult Correctional Health Services (ACHS), Program of Assertive Community Treatment (PACT) and Crisis Stabilization Units (CSU) as pilot programs. Current discussions are focused on PADs implementation planning and readiness. Additional programs may be added in later phases.

Who is involved in the project?

Consultants	Role
Fiscal Intermediary	Fiscal & contracting agent
Project Manager	Coordinates activities between counties & consultants
PADs Trainer	Assists counties in developing PADs implementation plans
Peer Support	Develop PAD template based on community input; train county peers & staff on template
PADs Platform	Develop cloud-based platform based on community input
Project Evaluation	Evaluate project activities
Marketing	Develop branding, website, etc.

What is the project timeline?



PADs Multi-County Project Goals & Objectives

