



## STATE OF INDIANA

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Indiana Public Defender Council  
Indiana Sheriffs Association  
Indiana Supreme Court  
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State Courts' Response to Mental Illness  
State Justice Institute

### Welcome by

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CROSS-BRANCH EFFORT

# 2022 Mental Health Summit



**Save the date**

October 21, 2022  
8:30 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Indiana Convention Center

**Nominate**  
your local team

[on.in.gov/mhs22-team](https://on.in.gov/mhs22-team)

The 2022 Summit will gather community teams to collaborate in their efforts to more effectively respond to the needs of court-involved individuals with mental illness.

The Summit will provide an opportunity to discuss, develop, and implement a comprehensive continuum of behavioral health interventions for Indiana Courts and communities.

The goal is to provide persons living with behavioral health challenges and/or co-occurring disorders with someone to call, someone to respond, and somewhere to go.

SOMEONE TO **call**

SOMEONE TO **respond**

SOMEWHERE TO **go**

## Learn & share with community teams

The Summit will include a combination of plenary sessions, interactive breakout sessions, and an opportunity for local teams to discuss needed resources and potential strategies in the local mental health continuum of care for the community and court system. After attending the Summit, participants will be better able to:



Understand how an **inadequate response** to mental illness negatively impacts Indiana courts and communities



Observe how local policy teams and Indiana State agencies mapped their **behavioral health continuum** to identify and address areas of need



Identify **local interventions** to divert persons living with mental illness and/or co-occurring disorders from the justice system



Identify service gaps in local systems and develop **effective strategies** to fill them

## Why it matters

Mental Health America collected data throughout 2020 and 2021. Comparatively, **INDIANA RANKS LAST** among all 50 states (plus D.C.) with the highest *per capita* number of residents in need of care for depression, suicide, trauma, and psychosis. We rank:

51<sup>st</sup>

84.22 of every 100k have experienced

**DEPRESSION**

50<sup>th</sup>

82.56 of every 100k have considered

**SUICIDE**

48<sup>th</sup>

44.01 of every 100k have experienced

**PTSD**

49<sup>th</sup>

149.79 of every 100k have **survived**

**TRAUMA**

47<sup>th</sup>

57.96 of every 100k have experienced

**PSYCHOSIS**

Working together collaboratively, we can change these statistics.

[See data dashboard from mhanational.org](https://mhanational.org)