



# MID SHORE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

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Greetings!

This issue of the Steering Wheel includes our RFP announcement, several new learning opportunities, new job postings, and more.

It's all part of Mid Shore Behavioral Health's dedication to sharing helpful links to connect you with resources, guidance, wholeness, and hope.

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## RFP Alert!

MSBH is seeking responses from diverse partnerships to establish this new resource in the Mid Shore region.

### Mid Shore Behavioral Health Adolescent Clubhouse Initiative

[Click Here to Download the Request for Proposals](#)

Pre-Bid Conference Nov. 23, 3-4pm  
Submission Deadline: Dec. 16, 4pm

Message provided by  
Mid Shore Behavioral Health



### Community Bulletin Board

*Find Mid-Shore trainings, job postings, and events here*

**Have you experienced  
a loss of wages  
due to COVID-19 and  
live in Talbot County?**

**HELP is available for:**



Call 410-770-4848 or visit [talbotcovid19.org](http://talbotcovid19.org) to learn more



Lieutenant Governor's Commission to Study Mental and Behavioral Health  
**State Summit on Behavioral Health and the Justice System**

**November 17-18, 2020**

The Lieutenant Governor's Commission to Study Mental and Behavioral Health invites you to participate in a statewide Sequential Intercept Model (SIM) Summit.

The SIM Summit will be keynoted by Lieutenant Governor Boyd K. Rutherford and hosted by the co-chairs of the **Public Safety Subcommittee**, Senator Katie Fry Hester and Dr. Lynda Bonieskie, and the chair of the **Crisis Services Subcommittee**, Steve Schuh.

*"The SIM offers a strategic map of potential programs and opportunities to invest in that will reduce and improve interactions between individuals with mental and behavioral health needs and the criminal justice system."*

- Lieutenant Governor  
**Boyd K. Rutherford, Chair**



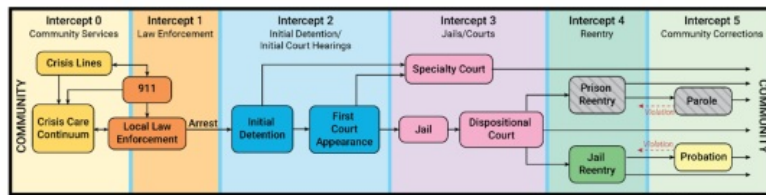
This virtual event will bring together behavioral health and criminal justice system stakeholders from across Maryland to explore how the SIM framework can be used to improve outcomes for adults with mental and substance use disorders who are involved or at risk for involvement in the criminal justice system.

[Click here to Register Now!](#)

**NOTE: All participants must complete the online registration form. After registering, you will receive an email with additional information, including instructions for joining the event via Zoom.**

### Goals of the Summit

- Educate stakeholders on the SIM and its use as a conceptual framework
- Highlight best practices across intercepts
- Explore available resources, gaps in services, and opportunities for improvement
- Increase collaboration between the behavioral health and criminal justice systems
- Identify potential legislative, policy, and finance strategy changes
- Develop a strategic action plan



The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration's (SAMHSA) GAINS Center for Behavioral Health and Justice Transformation will be organizing the event, which is being supported by SAMHSA at the request of the Maryland Governor's Commission on Mental and Behavioral Health.

## Trainings & Resources

Events below are not hosted or provided by MSBH. If you have any questions about these events, please contact the event organizers directly. Thank you.

**\*\*Asterisked Items are New to the Listing**

- **November is National Family Caregiver Month**, Mental Health America has resources for caregivers of someone with a mental illness, [with more here](#)
- **Saturday, November 14, 10:00 - 2:00 p.m.** [His Hope Ministries 4th Annual Holiday Bazaar](#)
- **Monday, November 16, Noon - 1:00 p.m.** [NAMI Maryland Hosts Depression - Out of the Darkness and Into the Light Webinar](#)
- **\*\* Tuesday & Wednesday, November 17 - 18** The Lieutenant Governor's Commission to Study Mental & Behavioral Health invites you to participate in a statewide [Sequential Intercept Model \(SIM\) State Summit on the Behavioral Health & the Justice System](#)
- **Wednesday, November 18, 9:00 a.m.** [Racial Trauma Definitions and Interventions, University of Maryland School of Medicine \(1 CEU\)](#)

- Wednesday, November 18, 1:00 p.m. [Maryland Governor's Commission on Suicide Prevention Meeting](#)
- Wednesday, November 18, 2:00 p.m. [Treating Veterans with PTSD: Suicide and PTSD: Navigating Risk and Tailoring Evidence-Based Treatment by Ryan Holliday, PhD](#)
- Thursday, November 19, [National Rural Health Day](#)
- \*\* Thursday, November 19 - Friday, November 20, 8:30 - 12:30 p.m., Eastern Shore School Mental Health Coalition & the Salisbury University Center for Health Communities and School of Social Work's [10th Annual Linking Mental Health to Academic Success: Growth and Support in the COVID Era](#)
- Thursday, November 19, noon [Lunch & Learn: Self-Disclosure - Is It an Ethical Mistake or an Intervention?](#)
- \*\* Thursday, November 19, 5:00 -10:00 p.m. [Awaken Recovery Fundraising Dinner in St. Michaels, Md.](#)
- \*\* Friday, November 20, 10:30 - 12:30 p.m. [Maryland Pre-Admission Screening and Resident Review \(PASRR\) for Individuals with Mental Illness](#)
- \*\* Saturday, November 21, [International Survivors of Suicide Loss Day](#)
- \*\* Monday, November 23, 10:00 - 1:00 p.m. [Maryland Insurance Administration Public Meeting, Mental Health Parity Regulations](#)
- Thursday, December 3, 9:00 - 4:00 p.m. [Maryland Dept. of Health Minority Health and Health Disparities 17th Annual Equity Conference](#)
- Thursday, December 3, Noon [MDH's Racism & Mental Health Series: Addressing Racial Bias in Early Childhood Education to Improve Outcomes for Young Children](#)
- Thursday, December 3, 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. [BHA/MedChi Behavioral Health Webinar Series: Coping with the Ambiguous Losses and Stress of the Pandemic.](#)
- Monday, December 7, Noon - 1:00 p.m. [NAMI Maryland presents Finding Music Within the Noise: A Plan to Thrive During Troubling Times.](#)
- \*\* Wednesday, December 9, 9:00 -10:00 a.m. [Behavioral Health System Baltimore's Annual Gathering \(online event\)](#)
- \*\* Thursday, December 10, For All Seasons' Special Training: [Color Me Closer Therapeutic Coloring in Pairs](#)
- Thursday, December 17, 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. [BHA/MedChi Behavioral Health Webinar Series: The Impact of Racial Trauma on Providers.](#)
- Thursday, January 14, 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. [BHA/MedChi Behavioral Health Webinar Series: The Approach to Impaired Clinicians.](#)
- \*\* Thursday, January 28, 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. [BHA/MedChi Behavioral Health Webinar Series: Vicarious Trauma and Self-Care for Health Care Workers During COVID-19.](#)

- **\*\* GRANT ALERT: [Statewide Family Network Grant](#), Jan. 4, 2021 Deadline.**
- **\*\* Join OMH's National COVID-119 Resiliency Network. [Click here for more.](#)**
- **Suicide Prevention Resource Center's (SPRD) [Care Transitions](#): A new online tool to help ensure a support system, appropriate hand-off communication, and safety plan are in place when individuals at risk of suicide transition from inpatient to outpatient care.**
- **\*\* Every Third Tuesday (Corrected), 5:30 p.m. [Midshore Transliance Meetings, Easton, Md](#)**
- **COVID GUIDANCE: [Screening for Suicide Risk during Telehealth Visits](#)**
- **[CDC's Youth Risk Behavior Survey Data Summary & Trends Report, 2009 - 2019](#)**
- **[MHA's State of Mental Health in America 2021](#)**
- **At your own pace - [Cultural and Linguistic Competency course on the Maryland Behavioral Health University of Maryland Training website](#) - 1.25 NBCC CEUs or a Certificate of Attendance (COA) upon completion of the course and final test.**
- **Missed it? Here are the recordings of the sessions from the [First Annual Racism & Mental Health Symposium](#).**
- **[All Black Lives Matter: Mental Health of Black LGBTQ Youth](#)**
- **[National Hispanic Heritage Month Part I: Unpacking What It Means to Work with Latinx Clients and their Families](#)**
- **["The Military Life Cycle" Understanding and Working with Veterans and their Families \(updated link\)](#)**

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## Resources: Food Distribution Sites

### Caroline County Residents

[Martin's House & Barn](#)

### Queen Anne's County Residents

[Queen Anne's County Residents Only Haven Ministries](#)

[Despensa Emergente Haven Ministries Queen Anne's County Residents Only](#)

### Talbot County Residents

[Church of God and St. Michaels Community Center](#)

[Elks Lodge](#)

[Trappe Methodist Church](#)

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## Volunteer Opportunities

Haven Ministry Food Service Pantry is looking for volunteers. Please contact [Chris Perkins christine@haven-ministries.com](mailto:Chris.Perkins@haven-ministries.com), 443-988-1183.

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# Job & Position Postings

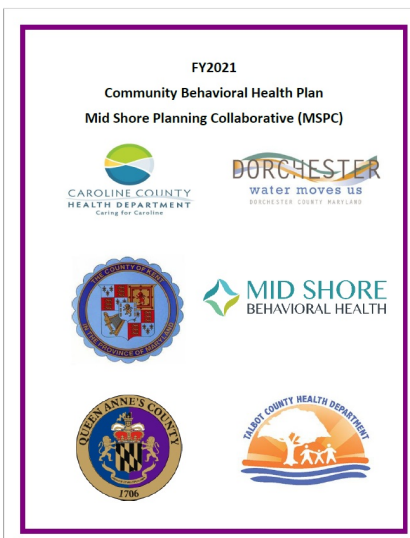
- **\*\* Kent County Healthy Dept. A.F. Whitsitt Center** is hiring a [Registered Nurse, Direct Care Assistant I, and Direct Care Assistant II](#)
- The **Maryland Suicide Prevention Office** is recruiting for a **Suicide Prevention Outreach Coordinator**. [Details Here.](#)
- The **Center for Harm Reduction Services** in the Maryland Department of Health is seeking a **Deputy Chief**. [Details Here.](#)
- **St. James Zion House** is seeking to fill the position of **Employment Case Manager** for their Homeless Veteran Reintegration Program. Read the [Job Description Here](#). Read the [Vacancy Announcement Here](#).
- **MarylandROTA** is looking for a **part-time educator** who can provide the Mental Health First Aid and other opioid prevention-related training and education for youth and adults in mid and upper shore communities. If you are interested, please contact Jinhee Kim at [jinkim@umd.edu](mailto:jinkim@umd.edu).
- **Channel Marker** currently has **numerous job openings**, with more at [channelmarker.org/employment](http://channelmarker.org/employment).
- The **State of Maryland** has openings for a **Certified Peer Recovery Specialist I & II**. To learn more and apply, go to [bit.ly/recoveryspecialist1](http://bit.ly/recoveryspecialist1) or [bit.ly/recoveryspecialist2](http://bit.ly/recoveryspecialist2).
- **Talbot Family Network** is seeking an **Executive Director**. Learn more and apply at [talbotcountymd.gov/index.php?page=Job\\_Openings](http://talbotcountymd.gov/index.php?page=Job_Openings).
- The **Governor's Commission on Suicide Prevention** has two openings available. More about the Commission can be found [here](#). Anyone interested should apply using [this link](#). If you have any questions, please contact Janel Cubbage at [janel.cubbage@maryland.gov](mailto:janel.cubbage@maryland.gov).

To submit a job posting, kindly email:  
[surquhart@midshorebehavioralhealth.org](mailto:surquhart@midshorebehavioralhealth.org).

Please submit postings in PDF or Word Document. Jobs will be promoted for the duration of 1 month, or until notified differently.

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2021 Integrated  
Community Behavioral  
Health Plan

Fiscal Year 2021  
Community  
Behavioral Health  
Plan



is online. Get your copy here:

## 2020 Behavioral Health Resource Guide



Do you have news to share in our newsletter? Have an upcoming event, workshop, training or conference? How about questions you need answers to? Please email [Sherize Urquhart](mailto:Sherize.Urquhart) so that we can be of help.



Check out our events page for upcoming events & trainings.

[Upcoming Events](#)



[Optum Provider Alerts](#)

### **Our Mission**

MSBH's mission is to continually improve the provision of behavioral health services for residents of Caroline, Dorchester, Kent, Queen Anne's and Talbot Counties through effective coordination of care in collaboration with consumers, their natural support systems, providers and the community at large.

### **Our Vision**

MSBH's vision is a rural behavioral healthcare delivery system that is clinically and culturally competent. This system will ensure access, have a community focus, be cost-

effective, and be integrated to serve the community as a whole.



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