

System of Care partners gain Cultural & Linguistic Competence (CLC)

CLC State

OBJECTIVES	Objective 4.1 Each region has & implements ongoing plans/efforts to implement more culturally/linguistically competent services within their SOC	Objective 4.2 Increased hiring of culturally & linguistically diverse populations	• Objective 4.3 Have increased young adult & family member diversity among people accessing services	Cbjective 4.4 Regional providers report & demonstrate increased CLC	Objective 4.5 Service recipients report increased perceptions of having received CLC services	• Objective 4.6 Increased service utilization by more diverse, traditionally underserved groups
ACTIVITIES	 A young adult advisory board is created to work together with regions to address CLC issues. Each region assigns a YIT representative to attend the Cultural and Linguistic Competence Training-of-Trainers to be held in the Spring 2011. Each region develops a Cultural and Linguistic Competence Action Plan as a result of attending the CLC Training-of-Trainers. Each YIT agency's senior management is committed to reviewing and updating the CLC action plan each year, setting realistic objectives and activities for the coming year. 	 YIT agencies/service providers routinely collect data on services, consumers and staff demographics. YIT agencies/service providers use demographic information about consumers and applicants to inform decisions about policy development, clinical practice, research, program development, service delivery and workforce development. 	 YIT agencies/service providers routinely seek advice from minority family members and young adults and consult with advisory boards/councils. YIT agencies/service providers partner with multicultural communities in the planning, development and implementation of CLC and effective mental health services within the mental health system. YIT agencies/service providers promote communication and information dissemination on issues related to cultural and linguistic competence. 	 Each of the twelve YIT regions hosts a CLC training for mental health providers. YIT agencies/service providers integrate cultural and linguistic competence into staff training, staff development and educational activities. YIT regions develop knowledge base of mental health disparities concerning racial, ethnic, and cultural populations. YIT regions contribute lessons learned on cultural and linguistic competence to reduce disparities to external organizations. 	 Cultural and Linguistic Competence is assessed at three different levels: Individual provider level Organizational level Systems level YIT service providers collect and report data on consumer satisfaction by race/ethnicity, age, gender, sexual orientation and SES. 	 Each of the twelve YIT regions conducts an inventory of culturally and linguistically appropriate education and community resource materials being used by YIT agencies/service providers. Each of the twelve YIT regions integrate cultural & linguistic competence expectations into all services and programs.
EVALUATION METHOD	Action Plans and other methods	тво	твд	CLC Training Pre/Post tests	Self-assessments and other methods	June 2010