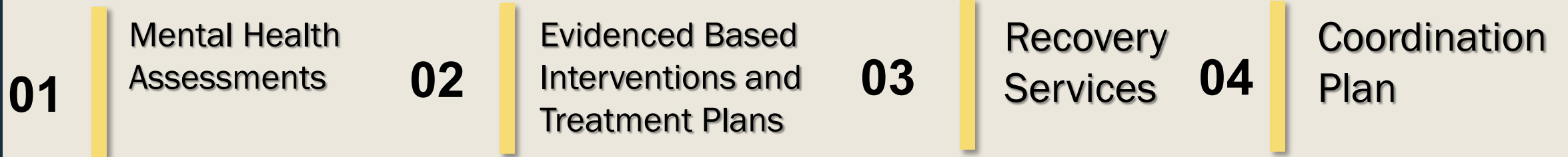


VOLUSIA COUNTY SCHOOLS

Mental Wellness Update

MENTAL WELLNESS

VOLUSIA COUNTY SCHOOLS COMPLIANCE WITH SB 7026



School Board approved Mental Wellness Plan in July 2018

- 5 Mental Health Teams Consisting of Licensed Mental Health Counselors, Social Workers and School Psychologists.
- Contracted services with Halifax Behavioral Services (HBS), Stewart Marchman ACT (SMA) and ADAPT to provide services to students in VCS.
- Contracted Services with the Spirit Program for Care Coordination and Recovery Services.
- Mental Health Specialist to coordinate trainings, Mental Wellness teams, Community Partnerships & Recovery Services.

Mental Health Specialists

Sigrid (Monie) Holland, LMHC

Responsible for Clinical Care Coordination
and Community Mental Health Agency
Relationships.

Sean Richter, LMHC,

Responsible for Youth Mental Health
Training for the district, Parent and
Community Engagement and Threat
Assessment/Crisis Teams.

MENTAL HEALTH TEAMS



Five Teams:

5 Licensed Mental Health Counselors
5 Licensed Social Workers
2 Licensed School Psychologists (3 vacant positions)
2 HBS Contracted Care Coordinators
2 Substance Abuse Counselors



Team Locations:

Palm Terrace
Galaxy MS
Blue Lake Elementary
Silver Sands MS
Indian River Elementary School

TEAMS

Blue Team: Palm
Terrace Elementary-
Dr. Rick Filippi,
Tanya Gintoli, Mark
Sandvoss

Purple Team: Indian
River Elementary-
Dr. Cyndi Fraser,
Michelle Andreano,
Lianna Menendaz

Green Team: Blue
Lake Elementary-
Jessica McIntyre,
Barry Lockenbach

Yellow Team:
Galaxy Middle-
Janae Ponder,
Chachi Lyons

Red Team: Silver
Sands- **Jessica**
Hemesath, Gayle
Keller

SMA Counselors

Sharon Toldson
(Westside)- Based
out of Galaxy
Middle

Chenoe Yancey
(Eastside) – Based
out of Silver Sands
Middle

School Designations

BLUE TEAM:

- Palm Terrace Elem
- Mainland High
- Seabreeze High
- Hinson Middle
- Holly Hill
Elem/Middle
- Ormond Beach
Middle
- Champion Elem
- Ormond Beach
Elem
- Osceola Elem
- Palm Terrace
Elem
- Pathways Elem
- Pine Trail Elem
- Tomoka Elem
- Westside Elem

PURPLE TEAM:

- Indian River Elem
- New Smyrna Beach High
- New Smyrna Beach Middle
- Chisholm Elem
- Coronado Elem
- Edgewater Public Elem
- Indian River Elem
- Read-Pattillo Elem

Alternative Ed:

Highbanks
Riverview
PACE Center for Girls
Hospital Homebound
DJJ

Charter Schools:

Burns Science and
Technology Charter
Easter Seals Charter
Ivy Hawn Charter
RMA East
RMA West
Samsula Academy
The Chiles Academy
The Reading Edge
Academy

GREEN TEAM:

- Blue Lake Elem
- DeLand High
- Taylor Middle-High
- DeLand Middle
- Southwestern
Middle
- Blue Lake Elem
- Citrus Grove Elem
- Freedom Elem
- Manatee Cove
Elem
- George Marks Elem
- McInnis Elem
- Orange City Elem
- Pierson Elem
- Starke Elem
- Volusia Pines Elem
- Woodward Elem

YELLOW TEAM:

- Galaxy Middle
- Deltona High
- Pine Ridge High
- University High
- Deltona Middle
- Galaxy Middle
- Heritage Middle
- River Springs Middle
- DeBary Elem
- Deltona Lakes Elem
- Discovery Elem
- Enterprise Elem
- Forest Lake Elem
- Friendship Elem
- Osteen Elem
- Pride Elem
- Spirit Elem
- Sunrise Elem
- Timbercrest Elem

RED TEAM:

- Silver Sands Middle
- Atlantic High
- Spruce Creek High
- Campbell Middle
- Creekside Middle
- Silver Sands Middle
- Cypress Creek Elem
- Horizon Elem
- Longstreet Elem
- Ortona Elem
- Port Orange Elem
- South Daytona Elem
- Spruce Creek Elem
- Sugar Mill Elem
- Sweetwater Elem
- Turie T. Elem



ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

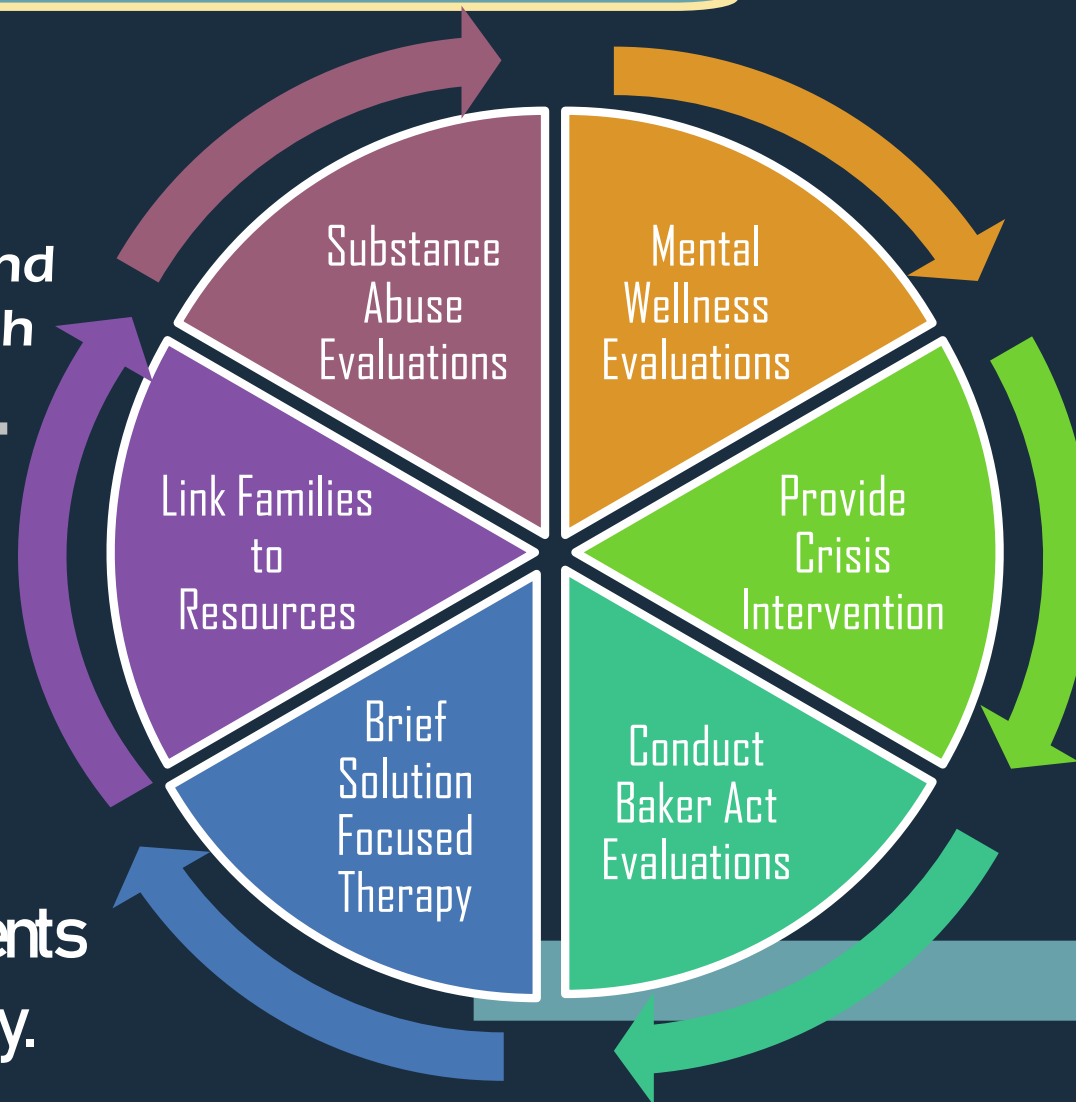
MENTAL HEALTH TEAMS

Provide therapeutic counseling services to students and families using Brief Solution Focused Therapy.

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Provide Substance Abuse Evaluations and connect families with services.

CRISIS COUNSELING AND RESPONSE SERVICES



Youth Mental Health Training

- Required by Florida Statute
- Requires ALL staff to participate in a 6 hour training (Approximately 6,000 employees)
- Volusia County Schools has trained approximately 600 staff members since November.
- Training is occurring weekly and targeting specific sub groups. The following subgroups are in the process of being trained:
 - School Counselors
 - School Social Workers
 - School Psychologists
 - Media Specialists
 - School Administrators/TOA's
 - District Administrators
 - School Nurses
 - Athletic Coaches
 - Guardians
 - Athletic Directors
 - Social Emotional Learning TOA's
 - Staffing Specialists
- Partnering with Stewart Marchman ACT and Halifax Health to offer Youth Mental Health training to interested community members and businesses.

Community Partnerships



Halifax Behavioral
Services
(Contracting for
Services)

Stewart
Marchman ACT
(Contracting for
Services)

Adapt (Contracting
for Services)

Devereux (School
Based Mental
Health Services)

Children's Home
Society (School
Based Mental
Health Services)

Chrysalis (School
Based Mental
Health Services)

FOCUS/Wellness Assessments



Platform for Wellness Evaluations



Electronic Referrals to Mental Health Teams



Mental Health Evaluation Forms



Baker Act Information



Staff Alerts



Handle with Care Alerts



MAY 6TH, 2019

MENTAL WELLNESS COMMUNITY FORUM

**Presented to you by Volusia County Schools &
Halifax Behavioral Services**

A Healthy Mind is a Happier Student

Our students are facing many challenges on a day to day basis that can and do impact their ability to be their best self. This community forum will provide information to both students and parents about the support services provided at the school-based level and beyond with our community providers. We will also provide insight in to how mental wellness contributes to student success. Come join us to ask questions, learn more, and give

Q & A Panel

Guest Speaker

**Meet our
Community
Providers**

**Meet our Mental
Wellness team
members**

**Information and
Resources for
Parents and
Students**

LOCATION

**Spruce Creek High
School
Auditorium**

**801 Taylor Road
Port Orange, FL
32127**

5:30-7:30 PM

Questions and Ideas

