



# MHSA Funding Available – Submit Your Innovative Ideas!

The Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) funds Innovative Projects to develop new best practices in behavioral health, ideas must:

1. Introduce a new practice or approach
2. Make a change to an existing practice, including application to a different population.
3. Apply a promising community-driven practice or approach that has been successful in non-behavioral health contexts or settings.
4. NOT have been demonstrated effective (in the literature, research, etc.).

Ideas should address the following prioritized needs:

- Engagement and integration of **older adults**
- **Culturally relevant** outreach and service delivery
- Integration of **peer/family** supports
- Integration of **co-occurring** practices
- Engagement services for **transition-age youth**
- Broader **housing** options across the continuum of care

\* For more information visit, [smchealth.org/mhsa](http://smchealth.org/mhsa). For your idea to be considered, you must complete an Innovation Project Form, available on [smchealth.org/mhsa](http://smchealth.org/mhsa) and submit it to [mhsa@smcgov.org](mailto:mhsa@smcgov.org) **by 2/22/19**



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**Questions?**

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