

**Greater Columbia Behavioral Health
Program for Assertive Community Treatment
Stakeholder Advisory Group
PACT Report
July – Sept 2024**

UPDATE:

92 Unique clients served with currently **82** active participants enrolled in services.

STANDING REPORTS:

Changes in Staffing – Open one case manager position otherwise.

Number of Admissions – **4**

Number of Discharges – **10**

Program Monitoring and Fidelity Compliance – N/A

Program Issues & Concerns – Meeting SEE objectives. Meeting COD objectives and care.

Strengths:

- Providing CBT for psychosis
- Increased program graduation and completion
- Decrease treatment abandonment.
- Increased service area to include “upper valley” (Tampico, Ahtanum and Tieton)
- Increase number of employed clients
- Increased number of clients enrolling in education programs
- Supported employment and education specialist (team supporting clients)
- IMR group
- COD recovery support group (adjusted to psychoEd group)
- PACT family support group

Challenges/obstacles: BHS position vacant for over 1 year. No current SEE specialist on team. COD specialist out on medical leave for extended period of time.

Grievances/Complaints: none

Community Outreach & Education:

- Weekly collaboration with Camp Hope in Yakima.
- We are getting direct referrals for intake from Probation, Community resource partners, and web outreach from other cities looking for their clients to transfer. Walk ins as well.
- Collaboration and treatment coordination with other PACT teams within WA state
- Team MHP completing PACT intake and assessment for direct enrollment which has improved referral to enrollment time to less than 48 hrs.
- PACT fidelity monitoring now includes yearly participation in provider symposium sponsored by Univ. of Wa.

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