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Planning With Purpose: Using Implementation Science to Support High Quality Delivery of Programs & Services for the Healthy Development of Adolescents

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Forum Objectives:

- Identify and describe the phases of implementation science across multiple program years
- Be able to discuss and explain at least three strategies for engaging in the process of continuous quality improvement
- Recognize your organization/agency's position within the process of implementation science models

What is Impleme ntation Science?

Implementation Science

- › Covers the construction, execution, evaluation and improvement of program/service delivery (implementation)
- › Is a Universal Continuum of Best Practices for all youth serving organizations and professionals
- › Provides Options & Engagement at any stage of the program cycle

Why Use Implementation Science?

Implementation Science Matters

- › Plan with Purpose
- › Build Community Consensus
- › Create Real, Meaningful Impact
- › Innovate Improvements

Implemen tation Science Stages &

Community Conversations



Commitment



Construction & Commencement



Continuous Improvement

Community Conversations

- › Formal & Informal
- › Needs Assessments
- › Root Cause Analysis
- › Roundtable discussions with stakeholders (including Youth!)
- › Engage Community Based Organizations

Commitment

- › Develop Scope of Implementation
- › Identify Time, Talent & Treasure
- › Contracting and MOU processes
- › Inventory Facilities, Materials, Equipment, Supplies
- › Determine Goals, Evaluation Needs & Data Collection Models

Construction & Commencement

- › Developing/Choosing Curriculum
- › Building Service Delivery Model
- › Participant Recruitment and Enrollment
- › Selection and Hiring of Staff
- › Training and Professional Development
- › Implement Programs/Services & Engage Youth and Families
- › Collect & Record Data

Continuous Quality Improvement

- › CQI is always ongoing!
- › Incorporate Feedback from Youth/Family Advisory Councils & Staff
- › Fidelity Monitoring, Site Visits, Technical Assistance Support
- › Sustainability Planning
- › Evaluate Program Implementation & Processes for Fidelity & Quality
- › Develop Action Plans for Future Improvement, Development & Growth

Stepping into the Cycle of Implemen

Assessing Your Efforts

- › Intentional & Honest Assessment of Current Conditions
- › Start Anywhere!
- › Learn from Data & Evaluation
- › Set Actionable, Attainable Goals
- › Build towards Long-Term Vision to Meet Youth & Community Needs

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References & Resources for Understanding & Using Implementation Science

- › [SISEP @ UNC-Chapel Hill](#)
- › [Harvard Catalyst Community Engagement Program](#)
- › [An Introduction to the Non-Specialist](#)
- › [Equitable Implementation at Work](#)
- › [Implementation Science @ University of Washington](#)
- › [ISEE Lab @ NYU](#)