COVID-19
Division of Behavioral Health + Stakeholders

April 23, 2020
3pm-4pm MDT via WebEx

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Welcome

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• Chat
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Welcome

Welcome and Introductions

Mission
Lead a collaborative behavioral healthcare system in Idaho.

Vision
People receive the behavioral health services they need when they need them.
Purpose of Call

OUTCOMES

• Review of COVID-19 landscape in ID and impact on Behavioral Health
• Review of DBH emergency response resources and products
• Hear from the participants on what is needed and experiences
As of 10:15 am, April 3, 2020, the coronavirus.idaho.gov website reported:

- 891 Confirmed Cases
- 222 New Cases since April 2, 2020
- 9 Deaths

As of 8:00 am, April 23, 2020, the coronavirus.idaho.gov website reported:

- 1,802 Confirmed Cases
- 36 New Cases Confirmed on April 22, 2020
- 54 Deaths
DBH Response to COVID-19

- COVID Strike Team
- Response plan
  - Distress Line 1-888-330-3010
    - As of this morning, there have been 53 calls documented since 3/26/2020
  - Website
    - COVID-19 Links and Useful Information
    - Consumer and Provider Resource Guides
      - Telehealth information
      - Guidance for providers
- Survey
- Federal Funding Opportunities - SAMHSA
DBH COVID-19 Website

https://healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/Medical/MentalHealth/COVID-19/tabid/4750/Default.aspx
COVID-19 Emergency Funds

The Amount: $2 million
The Time: 16 months
The Activities:
  • Psychiatric Triage Centers
  • Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Treatment
  • Assistance for Front-Line Workers
We want to hear from you!

Experience and input

Q & A

If you have a question, please let us know in the chat box and we will unmute you to ask it. If you ask a question in the chat box that we do not have time to answer, we will do our best to capture that question and follow-up with you after the meeting. Thank you.

Please feel free to email us your question(s) at behavioralhealth@dhw.idaho.gov