P.A.C.E.
PRIORITIZING TO ADDRESS OUR CHANGING ENVIRONMENT

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• Excellence
• Integrity
• Outcomes
• Commitment to the whole population
• Right to recovery, resilience, and self-determination

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P.A.C.E. is a strategy to unite our efforts, sharpen our focus, and move us forward. Our strategic planning process centered around five priority areas, which led to a new comprehensive strategic plan. This plan includes strategic goals, as well as division objectives, to ensure that we remain internally aligned, responsive to urgent community needs, and well-positioned to address emerging challenges. Division objectives and action plans will be implemented within every division and may be adjusted from year to year in response to community needs and measured impact.

Developing a strategic plan demonstrates our commitment to promoting recovery, resilience, and self-determination. A clear path forward will help DBHIDS set priorities for delivering services and programs in a manner that aligns with our values and our population health approach.

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CORE DBHIDS DIVISIONS

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» Division of Intellectual disAbility Services
» Division of Community Behavioral Health
» Division of the Chief Medical Officer
» Division of Planning and Innovation
» Division of Administration and Finance

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PRIORITY AREAS

PREVENTION AND EARLY INTERVENTION

GOAL: Further develop services around community needs.

Be intentional about promoting continued wellness and take action early to improve long-term outcomes.

TREATMENT AND SERVICES

GOAL: Increase access to service.

Facilitate access to an effective and comprehensive array of services that promote health and wellness.

HEALTH ECONOMICS

GOAL: Improve processes and practices to enhance cost effectiveness.

Create a data-informed culture that continually learns and improves services.

INFRASCTRUCTURE AND INTELLIGENCE

GOAL: Increase the use of business analytics and information flow to inform service delivery and improve outcomes.

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INNOVATION

GOAL: Innovate to improve programs and processes.

Envision “impossible” results and design imaginative ways to achieve them.