

\$425M

is just .56% of the total amount invested in the airline industry

OR

2%

of the \$185 billion sent to health care as a whole



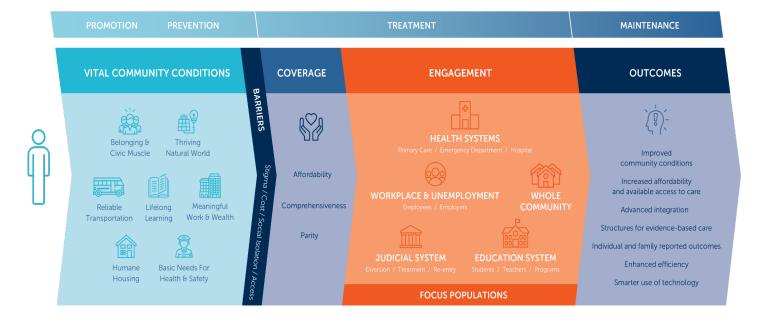


Advancing Mental Health and Addiction Policy

Framework for excellence in mental health and well-being

The framework for excellence in mental health is a guide for changemakers at every level of society who seek to improve mental health outcomes and promote well-being for millions of Americans.







Health Systems

Integrate mental health care where people seek physical care

See Solutions



Judicial System

Avenues to aid those with mental health concerns

See Solutions



Education System

Childhood is a critical time to improve mental health

See Solutions



Workplace & Unemployment

Maximize mental health outcomes across situations

See Solutions



Whole Community

Concrete steps to span sectors

See Solutions

me Policy Recommendations

Immediate changes

- Permanently expand access to telehealth services for all Medicare beneficiaries (and ERISA plans) as well as invest in broadband expansion to ensure rural and other underserved communities have equitable access to mental health care (pay at parity, too!)
- Offer Medicaid coverage 30 days prior to an incarcerated individual being released from prison
- Put cash into the pockets of Medicaid providers (now)
- Fully fund the 988 hotline

For the courageous visionaries

- Create a structure and system that accommodates integration: bring mental health into clinical and community settings to ensure individuals can be identified and access mental health services wherever they present
- Develop a Community Health Service Corps a new community mental health workforce
- Infuse cash into communities to allow for local creativity to address mental health and addiction needs



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