

Joint Committee on Corrections & Juvenile Justice Oversight

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Rainbow Services Inc. (RSI)

*A collaborative effort between Wyandot, Inc.,
Johnson County Mental Health Center, Heartland
Regional Alcohol and Drug Assessment Center
and the State of Kansas*

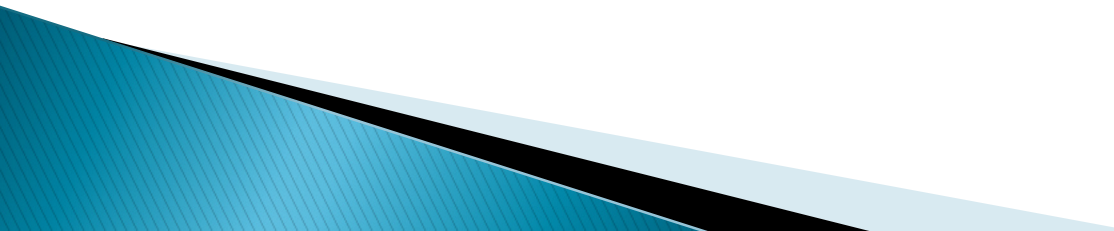
How We Got Here

- ▶ In the fall of 2011, 30 residential beds for patients at Rainbow Mental Health Facility (RMHF) were moved to Osawatomie State Hospital (OSH)
 - Due to a report from the Kansas Fire Marshal's office citing certain safety concerns about the building.
 - ▶ In 2013, the state decided to undertake a comprehensive assessment of mental health service needs in the Kansas City metro area
 - In FY13 KDADS contracted with Mercer to conduct an actuarial analysis of hospital and community-based services utilization.
 - The agency's Hospital & Home Team (H&H) team was charged with reviewing the Mercer report and developing recommendations for reducing reliance on the state hospitals for public safety-net services that could be provided elsewhere.
 - The H&H team recommended developing ways to offer alternative services at Rainbow Mental Health Facility that would have the potential to point the way toward the delivery of similar services across the state.
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Time-Line of Events

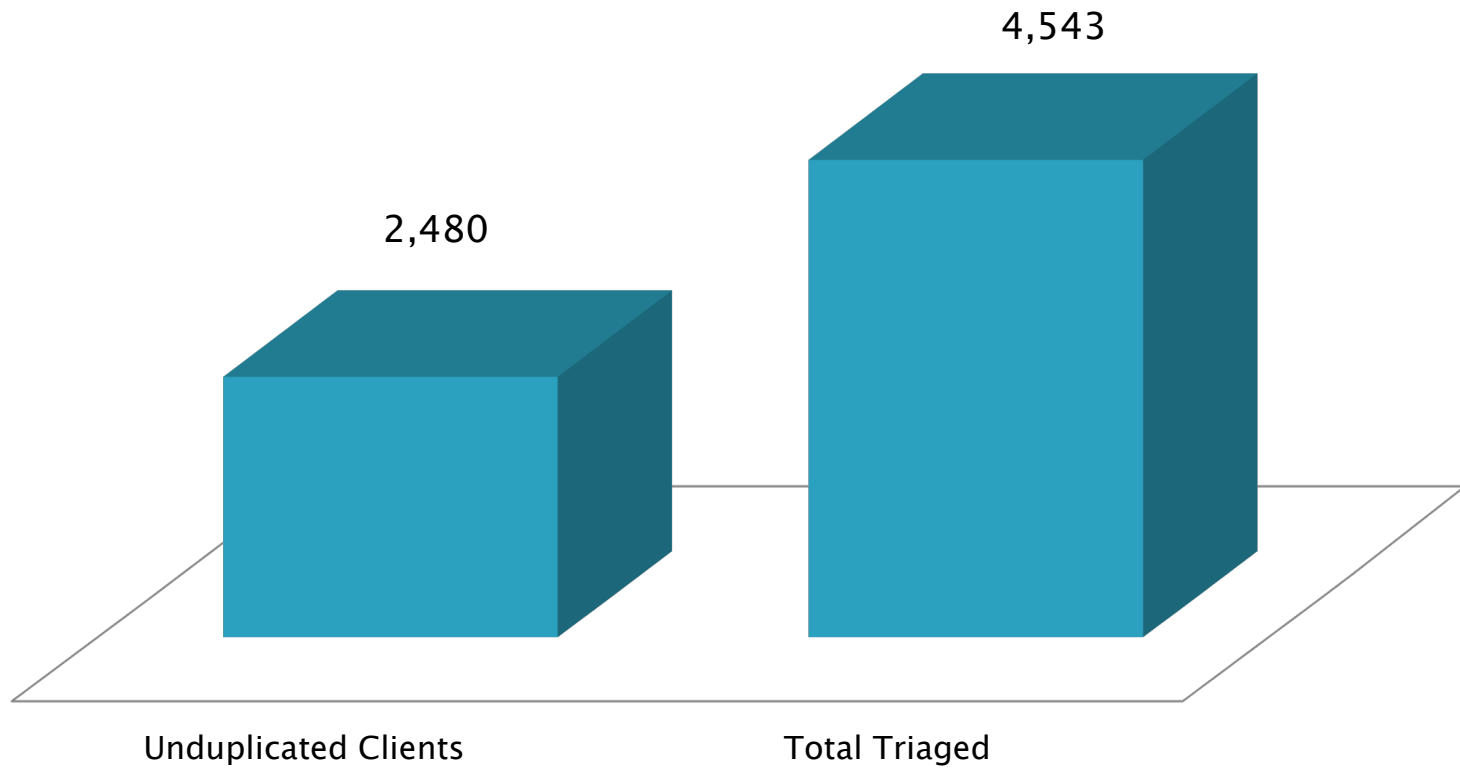
- In April 2013, KDADS began meeting with stakeholders from Wyandotte and Johnson County to discuss community needs and possible changes to the Rainbow facility.
 - In June 2013, KDADS completed a Request for Information to elicit ideas for the use of the building.
 - In August of 2013, KDADS began conversations with Wyandotte Inc, Johnson County and Heartland Regional Alcohol and Drug Assessment Center (HRADAC) regarding the services the state wished to fund for a pilot project in the Rainbow facility.
 - A decision was made to permanently assign to Osawatomie State Hospital the 30 in-patient beds previously at Rainbow.
 - In January of 2014 Governor Brownback announced the creation of Rainbow Services, Inc. and outlined the vision for this new project.
 - April 7, 2014—Rainbow Services, Inc. opened their doors for business.
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Key Goals

- To divert consumers from unnecessary and inappropriate use of state hospitals and jails
 - To establish and support alternative community programming that will decrease reliance on Osawatomie State Hospital (OSH) to provide for individuals who may not need inpatient hospitalization, but have no other resources to meet their needs
 - To decrease admissions to OSH of individuals who could be stabilized in the community in 10 days or less by connecting these persons to services/resources in their home communities
 - To increase 24-hour community options for individuals with co-occurring mental health and substance use disorders
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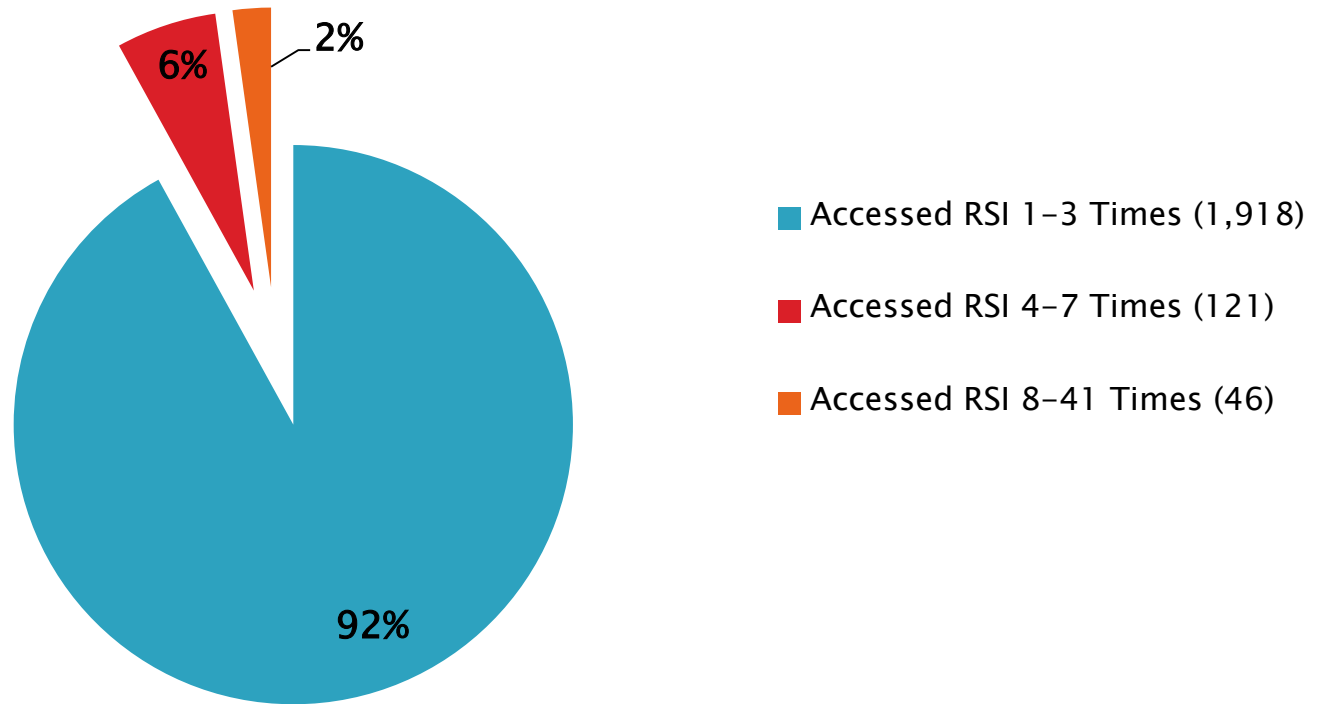
Review of RSI data

Number of individuals triaged from April 2014 - August 2016



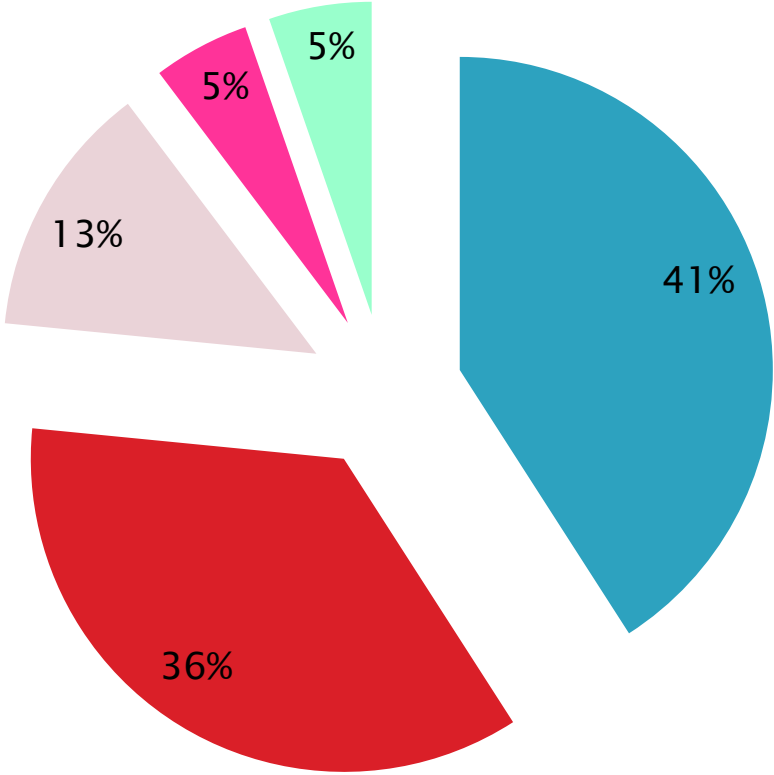
The Majority of Clients (92%) Accessed Services Between 1 and 3 Times

% of Clients with Multiple Admits to RSI

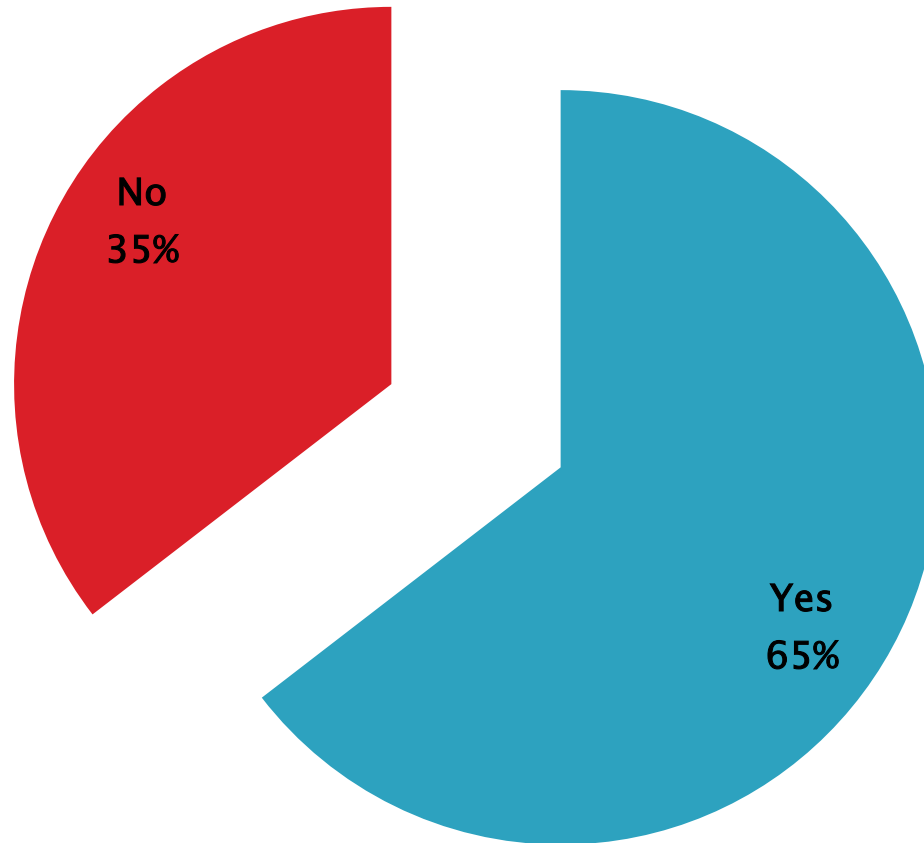


Transportation to RSI

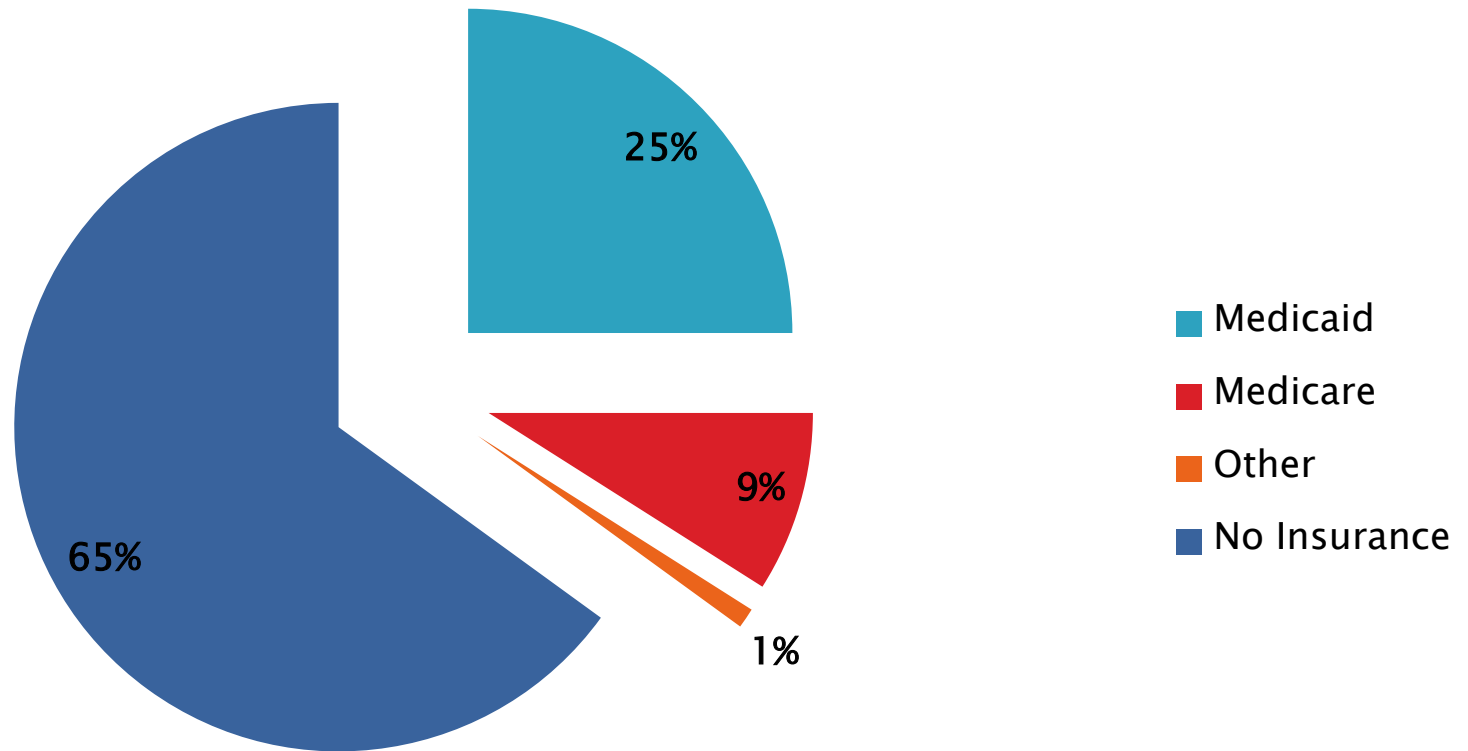
- Self/Family/Friend – 855
- Law Enforcement – 745
- CMHC – 275
- Ambulance – 104
- Other – 111



RSI Clients with Co-Occurring Symptoms

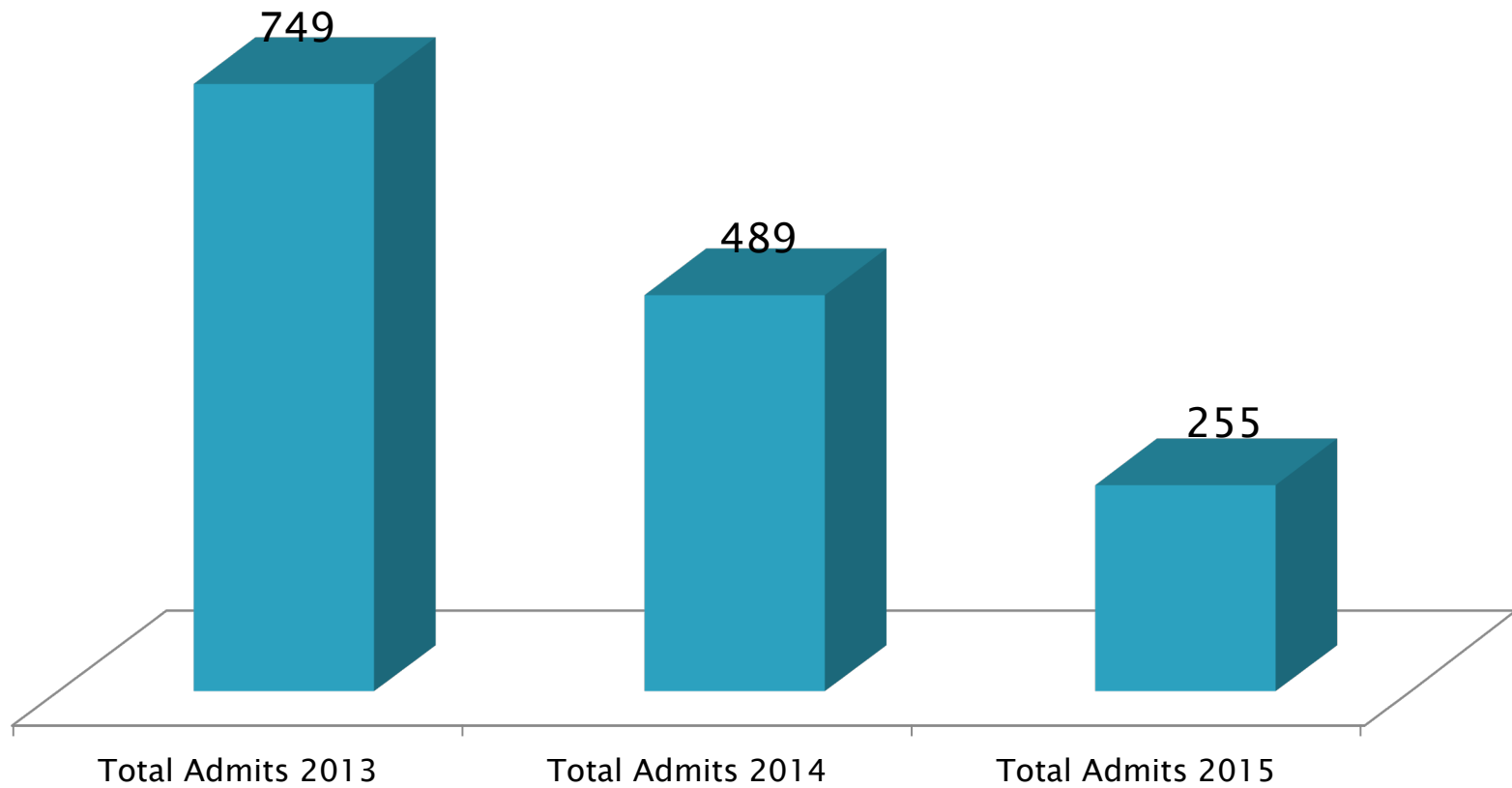


65% of RSI Clients Do Not Have Health Insurance*



**Data Based on Last Six Months*

Total Admits to State Hospital for RSI Catchment Area 234 Fewer Admissions in 2015



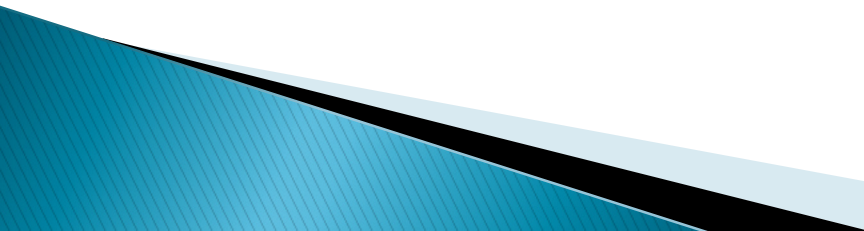
Cost Savings in 2015

- ▶ \$3,947,900 in State Hospital Bed Days
- ▶ \$2,054,223 in Emergency Room Diversions
- ▶ \$75,200 in Jail Diversions (based on 1 day incarceration)

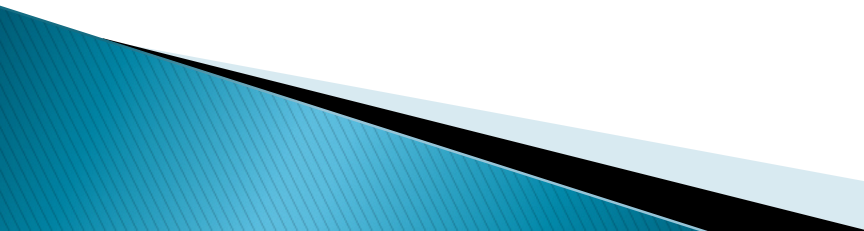
\$6,077,323



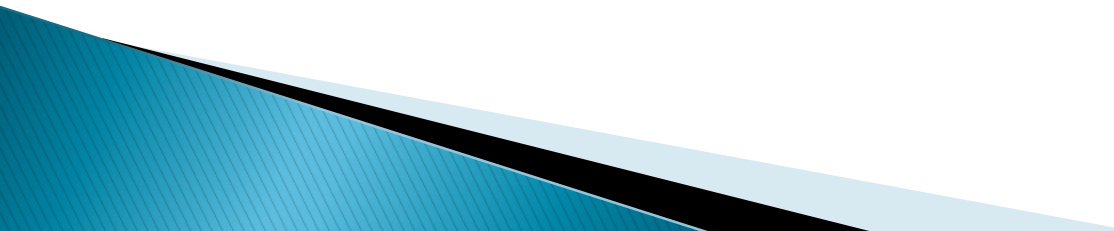
Opportunity for serving the involuntary population

- Reduce involuntary admissions to the State Psychiatric Hospital
 - Reduce jail admissions
 - Reduce length of stay in the jail
 - Reduce travel for law enforcement
 - Treat people in their home community
 - Immediate link to community resources and treatment providers
 - Reduce cost (State Hospital, LEA, jails, courts)
 - Better care
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Programming Design for the Involuntary Population

- ▶ Local services
 - ▶ 72 hour emergency observation and treatment
 - ▶ Immediate access to medications & mental health treatment
 - ▶ Focus on stabilization
 - ▶ Access to housing & other community resources
 - ▶ Warm handoffs to community providers
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Needed steps

- ▶ Legal authority to detain
 - ▶ Changes in statute
 - ▶ Facility enhancements
 - ▶ Staffing enhancements
 - ▶ Funding
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Juvenile Justice Services

- ▶ Community Mental Health Services
 - Serving every county in Kansas
 - Existing relationships with juvenile court and services
 - Assessments
 - Individual and family therapy
 - Case management & other community based services

Thank you

