



## Action Council January Meeting

Action Council Members

Date: February 7th, 2024, 2:00pm-3:30pm

### Agenda

1. Objectives.
2. Review group agreements.
3. Understanding, Interpreting, and using Data Introduction to Mental & Behavioral Health.
  - Understanding Data, Limitations of Data, and how we use Data.
    - Quantitative Data and Qualitative Data.
  - Language.
    - Discussed preferred language for minority populations.
  - Mental & Behavioral Health Overview.
    - What mental and behavioral health services and supports exist in our region?
    - Where are the entry points for families?
    - Where are the gaps?
    - Which priority populations are not being served or are not being served well?
    - Where areas of the Region are not being served or are not being served well?
    - What changes should be recommended?
  - Regional Data/Demographics.
    - There are 4,242 children from birth to age five in Region 45.
    - 527 of those children live at or below 100% FPL.
  - Current Landscape.
    - 3 Hospitals.
    - 5 Pediatricians (General).
    - 1 Pediatrician with American Board of Medical Specialties.
    - 28 Physicians.
    - 8 Rural Community Health Centers.
    - 2 Community Mental Health Centers.
    - 92 Mental & Behavioral Health Providers.
    - 5 Board Certified Behavioral Analysts.



- 0 Non-Profits supporting Families & Children.
- Provider Locations.
  - There are 84 total Provider Locations in Monroe County and 63 in Randolph County.

### Before the next meeting...

#### Next Steps.

- State Team mid-year survey: deadline is February 14<sup>th</sup>.
- There is an opportunity to share mental health stories.
- Next meeting will be February 21<sup>st</sup>, 2024, 11:30 am-1:00 pm.
- Upcoming Events- Monroe County Resource Fair April 20<sup>th</sup>.