

# Education Sub-Committee

## EVALUATE RECOMMENDATIONS

COMMITTEE IDEAS	ADDRESS WHAT NEED?	SUPPORT WHICH OUTCOME(S)	BEST PRACTICE MODEL / STRATEGY	TARGET WHAT POPULATION?	EXPANDS EXISTING SERVICE? CREATES NEW SERVICE?
Increase MH Services on school sites to help high-risk students  <u>Top Priority</u>	Mental Health and dual diagnosis substance abuse issues	Benefit from education; increase attendance, reduce suspensions; improve functioning	School-linked & school-based services	K – 12 students identified through Student Study Teams, Student Assistance Programs, Student Attendance Review Boards, school psychologists, etc.	Expand Student Assistance Program contracts  Expand County MH School Services
Explore screening tool to be used at schools to identify Mental Health needs  <u>Top Priority</u>	Need for comprehensive screening for MH needs	Identify students at risk, help prevent suicide	Teenscreen is a best practice screening tool	All high school students	New service