

MST TEXAS NEWSLETTER

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Provider Spotlight

Congratulations to LifePath Systems for making an incredible impact on the youth and families served through Multisystemic Therapy the last two years! Here is a shout out to the LifePath Supervisor, Ms. Ebony McGrew and her predecessor, Ms. Tanya. For more information on LifePath, please visit: <https://www.lifepathsystems.org/>



Ebony McGrew, LPC
MST Supervisor



Tanya Escalon, LPC
Director of Youth and Family Services

"Ebony has been a shining star since she has entered the world of MST. It is evident that she values serving families and supporting them with having the best outcomes for their children. In the last 6 months, Ebony has been promoted from MST therapist to supervisor and has thrived in her position by effectively supporting team members in their growth and achievements while working with families."

- Kimberly Duncan, MST Expert

New Provider!

We welcome a new Provider for MST in Texas this month. Please join me in welcoming Center for Health Care Services/ Clarity Child Guidance Center who will serve youth and families in Bexar County, San Antonio. For more information on Clarity, please visit: www.claritycgc.org



MST Texas Project Ultimate Outcomes:

January 1, 2023– February 28, 2025

750 Youth & Families Served



85%
Living at Home



86%
In School/ Working



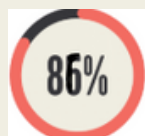
88%
No New Arrests

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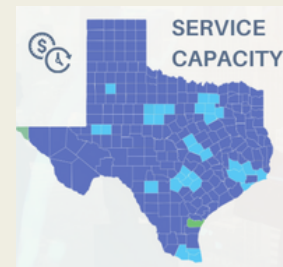
Hiring and Recruitment



Therapist positions filled



Supervisor positions filled



- A hiring profile has been created to understand hiring trends, retention, MST staff tenure, license type and salary ranges in Texas. Please refer to the document emailed on 02.28.2025.
- Please continue to inform us of any staffing changes as it helps us with tracking the number of positions open and need to be filled. If there are any staffing changes within your team, or you have an open position, please email EBA at recruiting@ebanetwork.com.
- EBA will work alongside you to help fill the position. You can find career opportunities at <https://evidencebasedassociates.com/careers/>

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HAPPY SOCIAL WORKERS MONTH!



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REMINDERS

HHSC TA CALL

HHSC TA call is now quarterly! The next call is scheduled for **April 17, 2024 at 10 am CT**. This call is for both cohorts. Thanks in advance for reviewing the following covering the last quarter period (**January 1, 2025 – March 31, 2025**).

- Total number of open cases and discharges.
- Total number of referrals and any referral trends (i.e. an increase in child welfare referrals, majority probation referrals, etc.). Bonus points go to those who decide to share the total number of referrals and cases served since conception.
- Success story or a highlight about a therapist on your team.
- Training: Any upcoming scheduled trainings for you or your staff (i.e. boosters, etc.)

INTERNAL OPERATIONS

1. **SAVE THE DATE!** The next Internal Operations call is scheduled for **March 28, 2025 at 10 am CT**. If you have agenda topics you'd like to discuss, please email Dr Menon at smenon@ebanetwork.com directly and we will get them added.
2. **Remember to remind your families to do their TAMS!**
3. **New! Coding System only applies to all referrals starting Feb 1, 2025. Key points are included here:**
 - All active referrals require a LOCAL CASE ID 2 completed to indicate system involvement (C, J, B, N) on the enrollment form.
 - Upon discharge, these codes (C, J, B, N) will be required on the RESEARCH GROUP field on the enrollment form.
 - All non-active referrals will require a local case ID 1 code. Please refer to the new coding instructions and video for reference.
4. **The success story link is open for submission. Please submit at <https://forms.office.com/r/ruayk4jKWU>**
5. **A contact list for the Texas MST project has been created for distribution. It is attached to this newsletter.**