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Evaluation Discussion

Workforce Education and Training (WET) Advisory Committee

The Workforce Education and Training (WET) Five-Year Plan 2014-2019 allocated \$2.74 million towards mental/behavioral health workforce education and training evaluation activities. The Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development (OSHPD) is yet to determine the specifics of the evaluation to be conducted. OSHPD would like feedback from the WET Advisory Committee as we move forward with decisions of priority elements to evaluate.

1. What types of information should OSHPD attempt to capture via the next evaluation? Are there any specific mental/behavioral health issues or activities you would recommend OSHPD research/evaluate?
 - a. What are the best source(s) to collect this information?
 - b. What stakeholders should be engaged in the collection and analysis of this type of information?
 - c. Are there any critical steps needed to ensure we are able to collect this information efficiently and effectively?
2. If OSHPD were to assess regional or local WET activities, what specifically would you recommend OSHPD evaluate about those activities?
 - a. What potential challenges/barriers would OSHPD have to overcome?
 - b. What are the steps or recommendations to overcome those challenges?
3. Are you aware of other organizations conducting research and analysis of mental/behavioral health workforce activities?