Locality: Frederick

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1) For FY 2022, are there any new gaps in services identified that were not reported in FY 2021?

Frederick County continues to struggle with residential treatment and acute psychiatric hospitalization as the primary identified service need. However, the need for evidence based interventions have surfaces over the past year. Athough we have had MST, FFT, and PCIT available to us, there are waitlists ranging from weeks to a year for them now. Also missing in our community is short term out of home placement like a youth shelter or similar for youth coming in to foster care and need placement or even remove a child from a situation for a short period. Lastly, new Medicaid eligible services like mobile crisis, community crisis stabilization, 23 hour crisis, etc are not available in our area.

2) Have any of the gaps in services identified in FY 2021 been resolved in FY 2022?

No.

3) Have any of the barriers to providing services identified in FY 2021 increased or are there any new barriers identified for FY 2022?

New barriers identified are the increases in staff shortages to provide the services needed. This has created waiting lists and inability for families to access services when they are needed.

4) Have any of the barriers to providing services identified in FY 2021 decreased or been resolved completely?

No.

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