

Restrictive Housing Systems Study: Program Validation and Best Practices Recommendations

Part II: Technical Assistance for Implementation

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Presentation to the Restrictive Housing Oversight Committee



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Introduction and Agenda

- Philosophy & Approach
- Milestones & Engagement
- Implementation Plan
- Behavior Assessment Units (BAU)
- Secure Adjustment Units (SAU)
- On the Horizon







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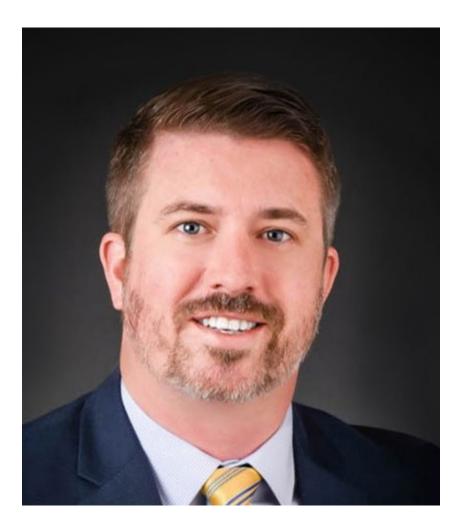


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Presentation Team



Robin Timme

- Board-Certified in Forensic Psychology
- Specialized Practice in Corrections
- Healthcare Delivery in Prisons
- Project manager and senior consultant



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- Former Commissioner of Corrections (CT)
- 30+ Years of Experience
- European Models
- Progressive Programs



Philosophy & Approach

- Reconceptualizing the Continuum of Custody
- **Review of Conditions and Incentives**
- **Moving Away from Discipline**
 - Risk-Needs-Responsivity (RNR)
- Time-In-Cell Only One Indicator
 - Intent: Meaningful Engagement
- Eliminating Restrictive Housing
- **Enhancement of Programming**

Milestones & Ongoing Engagement

- Report released publicly 6.29.2021
- Part II Executed 8.16.2021
- Project Kickoff 9.30.2021
- 10.4-8.2021 • Site Visits
- On-Site Data Meeting 10.22.2021
- 10.29 & 11.1.2021 Workshop Series
- Expansion of Core Group
- Executive Team Meeting 2.1.2022

12.13.2022

- Data Linkage Established
 - **Evaluability Report**
 - Subsequent Reports •

- **Integrated Team**
- **Special Programs Department**
- **Close Coordination**



Milestones & Ongoing Engagement

- Individual Implementation Meetings with
- On-Site Behavior Assessment Unit training
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- Site Visit to Souza Baranowski Correction
- On-Site Behavior Assessment Unit training
- Launch of Behavior Assessment Units N
- Launch of Enhanced SAU Level 1
- Launch of Behavior Assessment Unit M

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Behavior Assessment Units (BAU)

- Operational Movement Away from Restrictive Housing
- Decreased Time-In-Cell
- Increased Access to Phone, Showers, Recreation, Groups
- Shift to Curiosity and Identification of Needs (RNR)
- Interdisciplinary Appraisal Team (IAT)
- Disposition Based on IAT Review (Incident, Criminogenic Need, Clinical Need, etc.)
- Clinical and Criminogenic Factors Determine Disposition

Secure Adjustment Units (SAU)

- The Responsivity Principle (RNR)
- No Longer Diversion Person-Centered Process and Programming
- Referral by IAT to Classification Based on Identified Risks & Needs
- Full Continuum of SAU for all Risk & Need Levels (Closes the Door to DDU)
- Floor Matches BAU Conditions (Time-In-Cell & Engagement)
- Tracks and Phases Matched to Identified Needs (Individualized Program Plans)
- Dispositions Referred to Classification Boards

On the Horizon

- Developing Dispositional Categories from IAT
- Developing Evidence-Based Programming Within SAU
- Enhancing Data-Collection and Reporting
- Expansion of SAU to Include SAU Levels 2 and 4
- Training Staff this Summer
 - BAU Clinical Input and Dispositions
 - SAU Level 2 and 4 Operations and Programming
 - Classification

Questions & Discussion

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Thank You