PROGRAM TITLE: Integrated Mental Health – Primary Care

PROVIDER: Department of Behavioral Health (DBH), Central California Faculty Medical Group

(CCFMG), Community Regional Medical Center (CRMC), and University of California

San Francisco Fresno (UCSFF)

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: The Integrated Mental Health – Primary Care (IMH-PC) program is a collaborative between DBH, CCFMG, CRMC, and UCSFF focused on providing mental health services in the primary care setting. The program is designed to promote, foster, and strengthen relationships between the agencies to ensure coordination with the goal of delivering comprehensive services for positive client physical and mental health wellness. IMH-PC is staffed with 1.2 full-time equivalent (FTE) psychiatrists provided by CCFMG and funded by DBH thru an existing County contract. This includes 2 adult psychiatrists and one child and adolescent psychiatrist. Additionally the IMH-PC team includes the following DBH positions: 2.0 FTE Mental Health Clinicians, 0.2 FTE DBH Clinical Supervisor, and 0.2 FTE Office Assistant. Facility space and ancillary support at the Ambulatory Care Center (ACC) are provided by CRMC. The psychiatrist provides education, evaluation, and treatment as well as treatment recommendations. DBH clinical staff consult directly with medical staff and patients at ACC. The DBH clinical staff provides brief evidence-based outpatient therapy and linkage between IMH-PC and other DBH and regional programs. The staff provides treatment and linkage for clients with mild to moderate impairment while clients with severe impairment are referred to DBH and/or other appropriate resources.

Staffing has been variable over the 2 years of program development. From February to August of 2013, the IMH-PC program only had only 0.3 FTE psychiatrists and one FTE clinician. In August of 2013 the program increased to 1.1 FTE physicians. From January to December of 2014, the program had between 2.5 and 3.0 Mental Health Clinicians, as well as 1.2 FTE psychiatrists. Since December of 2014 the program is back down to 2.0 FTE Clinicians. Although the program has never achieved full staffing (4.0 FTEs and 1.5 FTE psychiatrists), IMH-PC has successfully implemented an abbreviated version of the IMPACT model of integrated mental health care (an evidence based practice for treatment in the primary care center).

The IMH-PC program has been extremely successful in outcomes (see attached) as well as increasing collaboration between its partner organizations. The program has been the focus of a favorable Fresno Bee article, featured in the UCSFF Special Lecture series, two Department of Psychiatry Grand Round presentations, and the Community Medical Center Winter Symposium facility spotlight presentation in Whistler, Canada. The treatment outcomes will be presented at the American Psychiatric Association yearly conference in May 2015 as a research poster, and the educational component of the service has won the Innovations in Education grant from UCSF for 2015-2016.

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SERVED:			

DATES OF OPERATION:

Feb 2013 – Current

OUTCOME GOAL

Goals for 2014 were to continue to build a positive working relationship between all of the partners; expand services to Women's and Children's Health Centers; fully implement IMH-PC program; expand the use of the PHQ-9 (Patient Health Questionnaire-9 for depression); and continue to link clients to the most appropriate services.

The goal for 2015 is to continue to implement the IMPACT model of treatment and for client improvement to be measured by the PHQ-9 and other screening tools like the GAD-7.

- A total of 19,806 PHQ-9s were given to clients in CY 2014 (up from 5,289 in 2013).
- A majority of the PHQ-9s were completed at Family Practice (39%) and Women's Health (32%).

DATES OF DATA REPORTING PERIOD:

December 2013 – December 2014

OUTCOME DATA

PHQ-9 COMPLETED BY CLINIC						
Month	Internal Medicine	Family Practice	Women's Health	Children's Health	Total	
December	369	168	460	101	1098	
January	341	454	528	130	1453	
February	283	582	547	111	1523	
March	284	525	568	171	1548	
April	300	585	526	151	1562	
May	126	542	563	175	1406	
June	105	594	566	114	1379	
July	208	732	598	149	1687	
August	316	915	499	130	1860	
September	537	908	474	172	2091	
October	642	991	589	185	2407	
November	343	827	476	146	1792	
Total	3854	7823	6394	1735	19806	
Percent	19%	39%	32%	9%	100%	

Please see Chart A and Chart B

- A total of 4107 consumers were served in CY 2014 (up from 172 in 2013)
- A total of 1272 consumers were seen for full (30-45 minute) encounters in CY 2014
- A total of 2835 consumers were seen in brief (15-30 minute) consultation in CY 2014
- A majority of consumers were from Internal Medicine (46%), and Family Practice (33%).

Number of Services Provided by IMH-PC Staff						
Month	Internal Medicine	Family Practice	Women's Health Center	Children's Health Center	Total	
December	22	8	1	0	31	
January	49	18	1	5	73	
February	39	21	2	6	68	
March	40	19	8	9	76	
April	48	25	6	20	99	
May	54	30	14	14	112	
June	42	33	7	6	88	
July	55	53	33	16	157	
August	58	68	19	9	154	
September	62	48	14	10	134	
October	65	47	25	14	151	
November	49	49	13	18	129	
Total Full	583	419	143	127	1272	
Percent	46%	33%	11%	10%	100%	
Total Brief					2835	
All Visits					4107	

Number of Services Provided by IMH-PC Staff

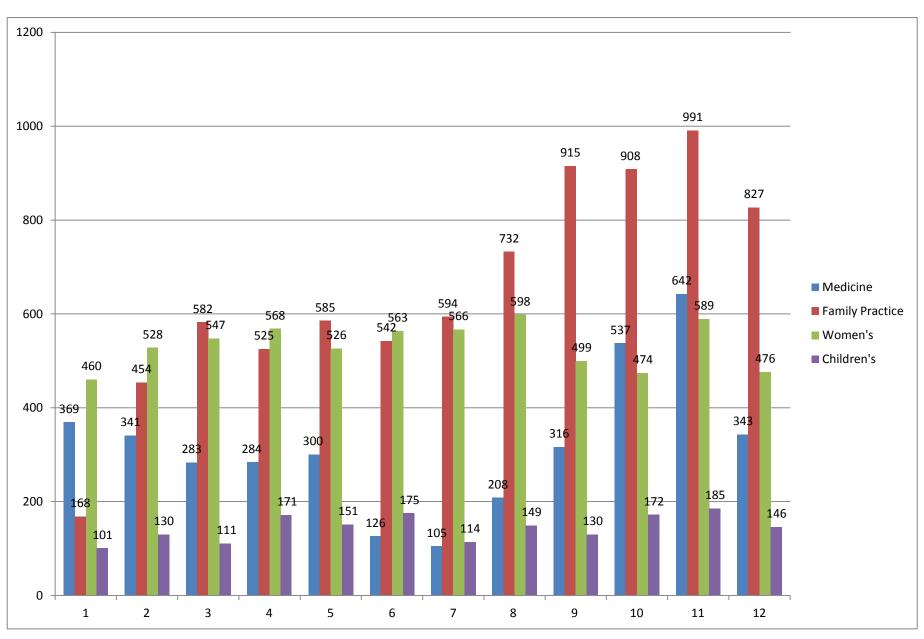
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•	PHQ-9 scores decreased in all clinics
	demonstrating improvement in depression
	scores over the time of the program's operation.
	These demonstrated both direct and indirect
	services including education and resources
	provided in addition to direct patient care by
	IMH-PC staff.

PHQ-9 AVERAGE SCORES BY CLINIC					
Month	Internal Medicine	Family Practice	Women's Health	Children's Health	
December 2013	11.55	9.68	6.02	4.77	
November 2014	9.15	5.41	5.37	4.02	
Total decrease	2.4	4.27	0.65	0.75	
Percent decreased	21%	44%	11%	16%	

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CHART A
PHQ-9s COMPLETED BY CLINIC





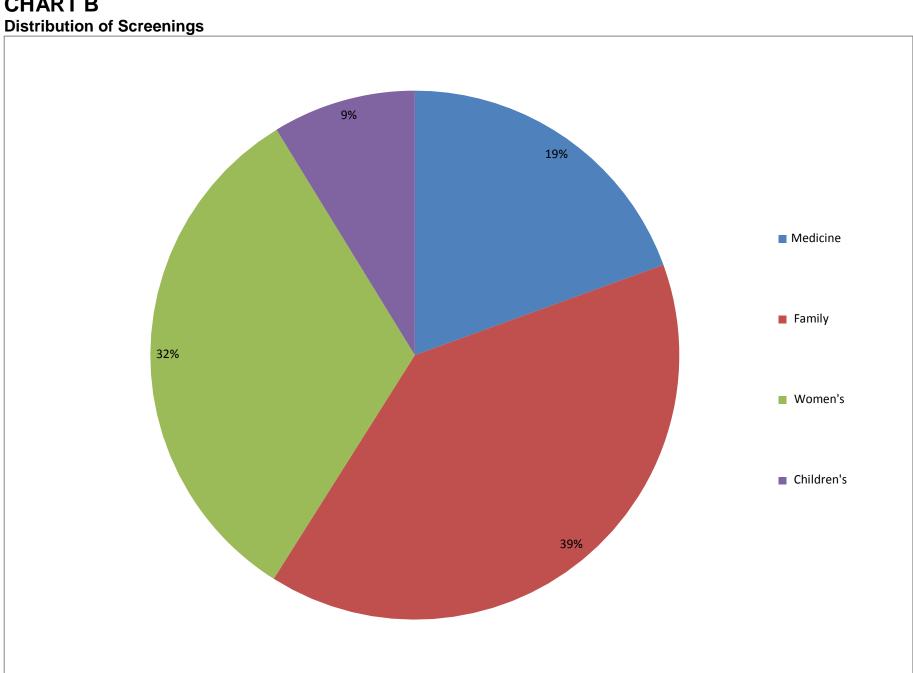


CHART CTotal Number of Services Provided by IMH-PC Staff

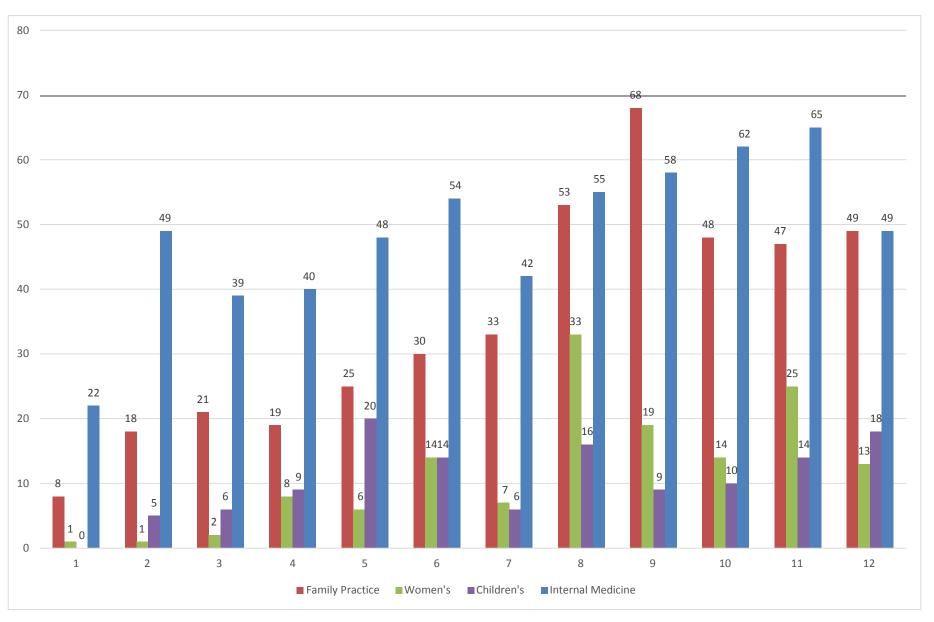


CHART D



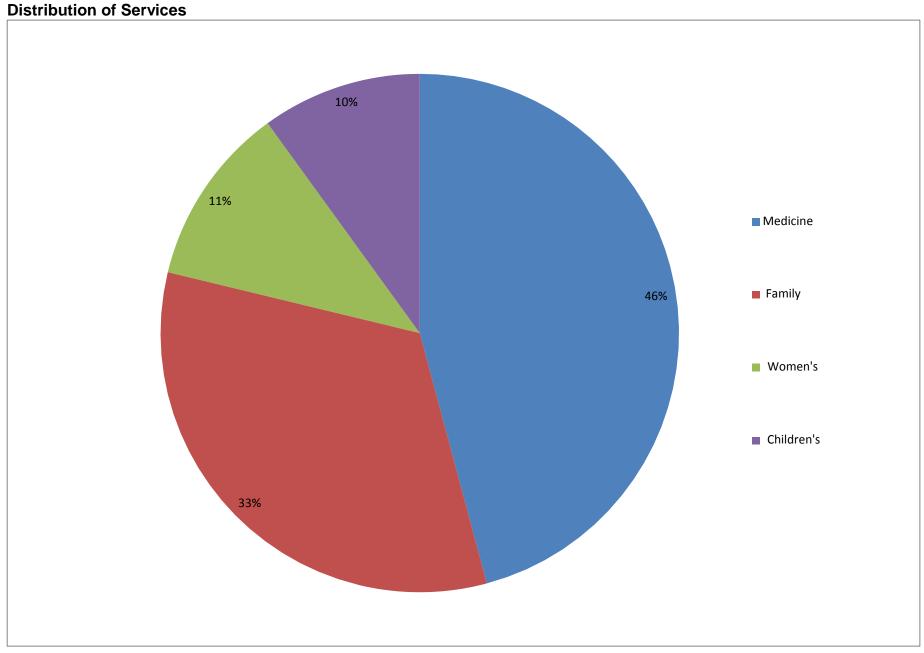
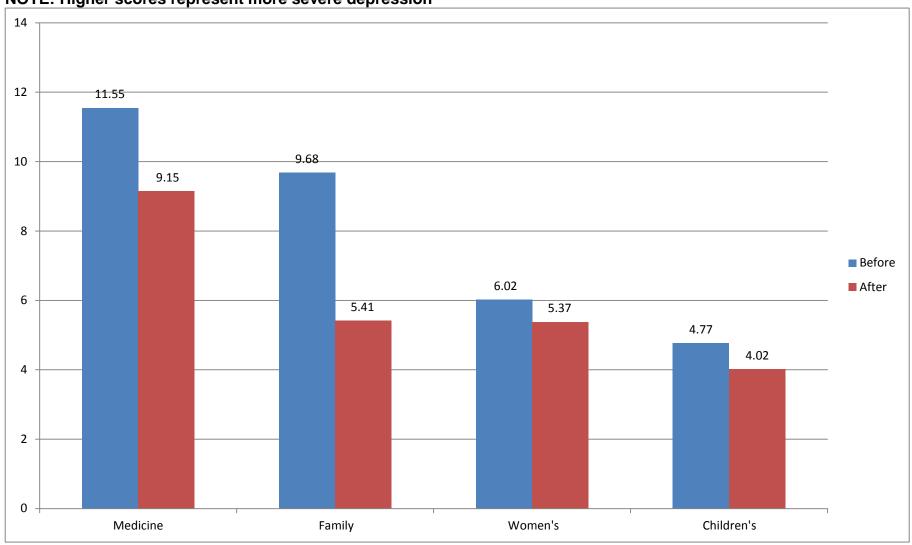


CHART E
PHQ-9 AVERAGE SCORES BY CLINIC

NOTE: Higher scores represent more severe depression



DEPARTMENT RECOMMENDATION(S): The Department recommends continuing IMH-PC program in FY 2015-2016.