

Northeast Ohio Regional RECLAIM Collaborative



The NEORRC was developed in response to an Ohio Department of Youth Services call to employ a regional approach to reduce recidivism and out-of-home placements for justice involved youth aged 12 to 17. Led by Mahoning County Juvenile Court, the NEORRC brought together Mahoning, Ashtabula, Trumbull, and Geauga counties to expand an already existing Behavioral Health Juvenile Justice initiative. Multi-Systemic Therapy & High Fidelity Wraparound were selected as the vehicles to drive this reduction. As a result, evidence-based services were expanded and reductions in recidivism and out-of-home placements were realized.



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To date, more than **300** youth have been enrolled in the program.

PRIMARY GOALS:



Reduce out-of-home placements



Divert youth from detention or incarceration to evidence-based family-focused programming in the community



Improve intersystem communication

From FYs 2013 to 2018, data from the NEORRC and other related efforts indicated:

60%

reduction in youth placed in secure detention



41%

reduction in youth placed on probation

100%

reduction in youth placed in residential settings

59%

reduction in youth committed to ODYS

Multi-Systemic Therapy Treatment Outcomes

Data collection at the end of MST participation indicated:

84%

of youth were living at home

81%

of youth were in school or working

79%

of youth had no new arrests during treatment