



# **BUILDING POSITIVE HEALTHY COMMUNITIES THROUGH POSITIVE BEHAVIOR SUPPORT**

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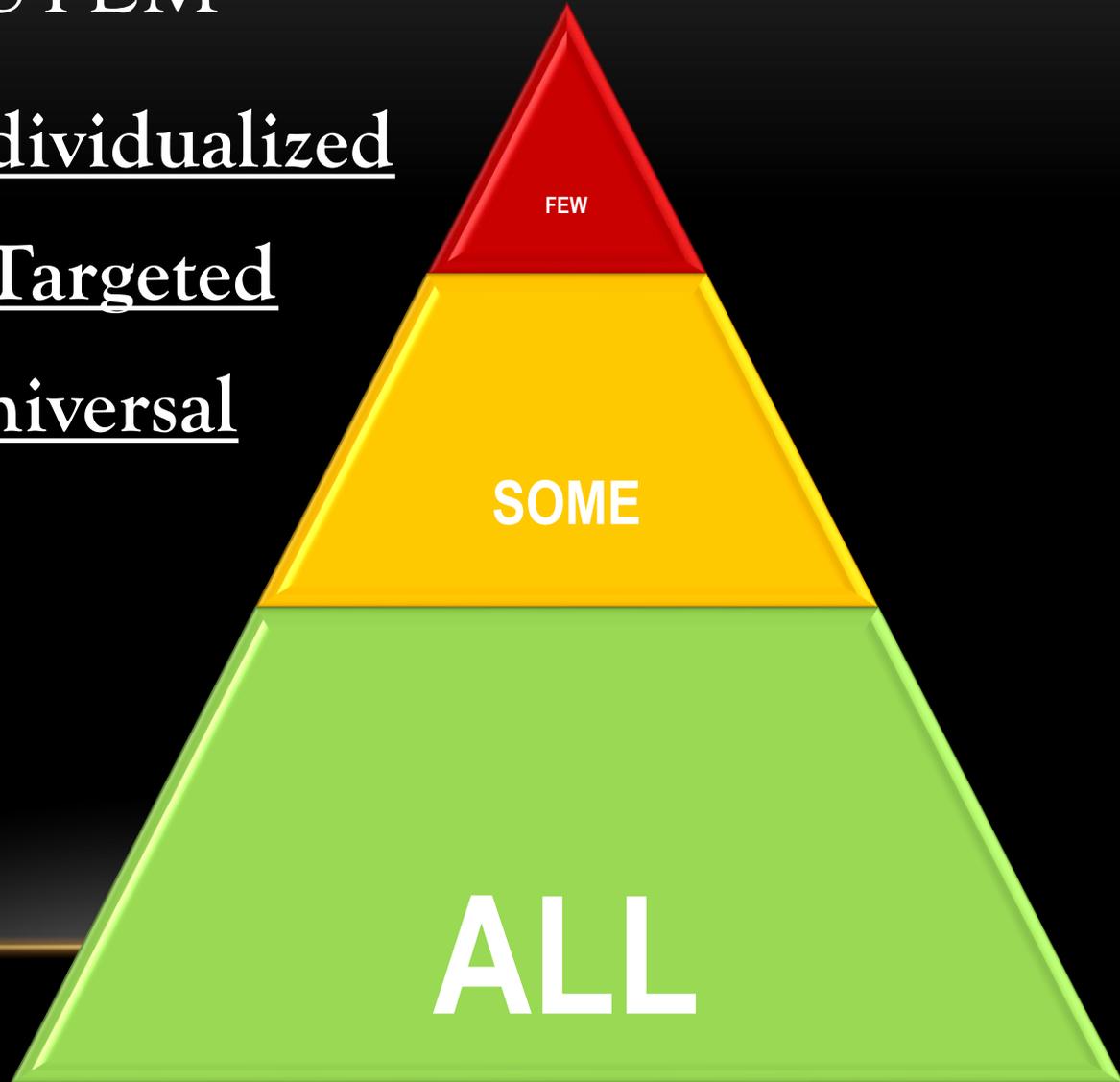
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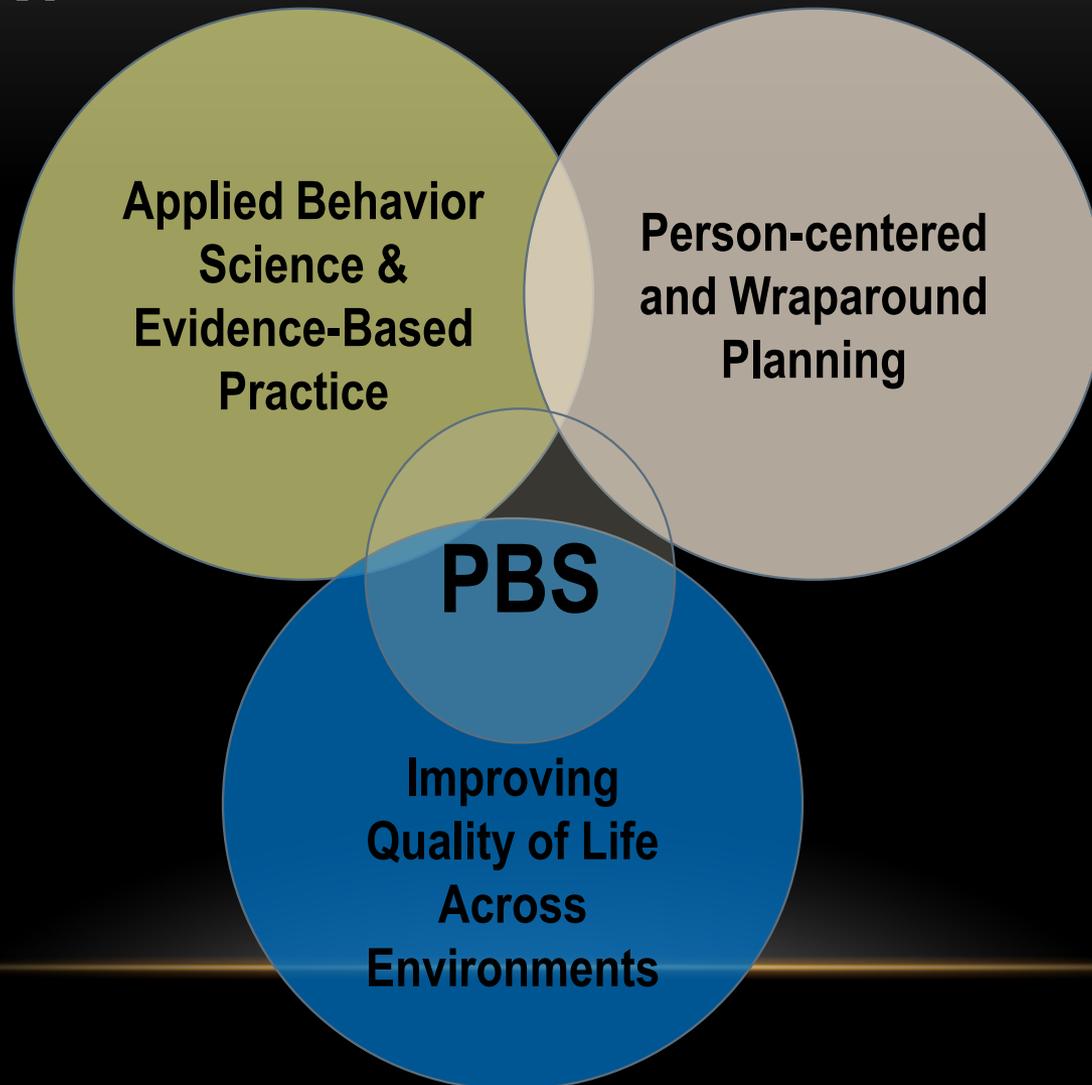
Matt Enyart, MSED

# LAYERED POSITIVE BEHAVIOR SUPPORT SYSTEM

- Tertiary or Individualized
- Secondary or Targeted
- Primary or Universal



# COMPONENTS OF POSITIVE BEHAVIOR SUPPORT



# WHAT'S IN A NAME?

PBS = Positive Behavior Support

KIPBS = Kansas Institute for Positive Behavior Support

APBS = Association of Positive Behavior Support

SWPBS = School-wide Positive Behavior Support

PBIS = Positive Behavior Interventions and Support

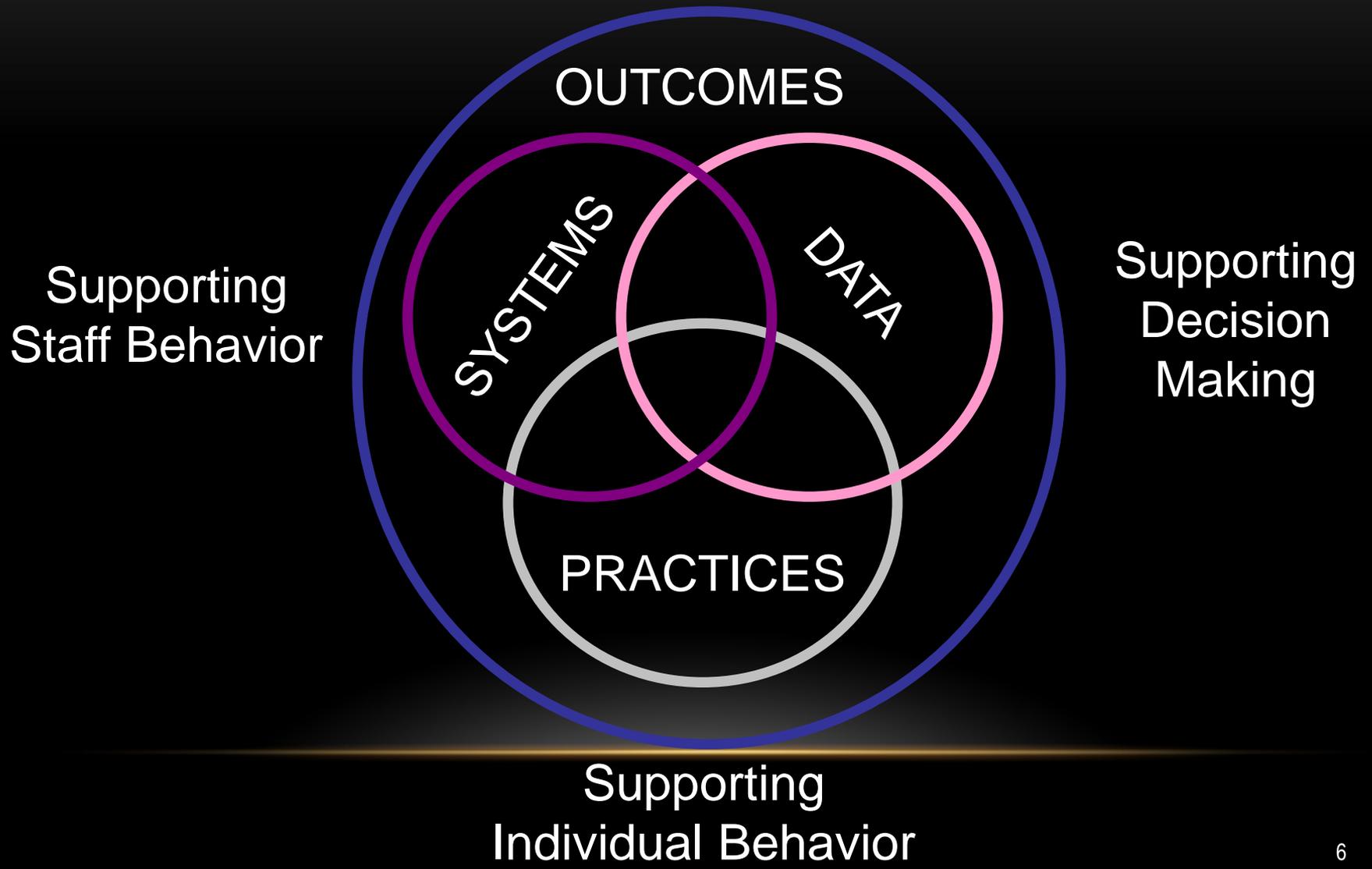
EBS = Effective Behavior Supports

PBES = Positive Behavior and Employment Support

MTSS = Multi-Tier System of Supports

Pyramid Model = Early Childhood Positive Behavior Support

# POSITIVE BEHAVIOR SUPPORT IMPLEMENTATION

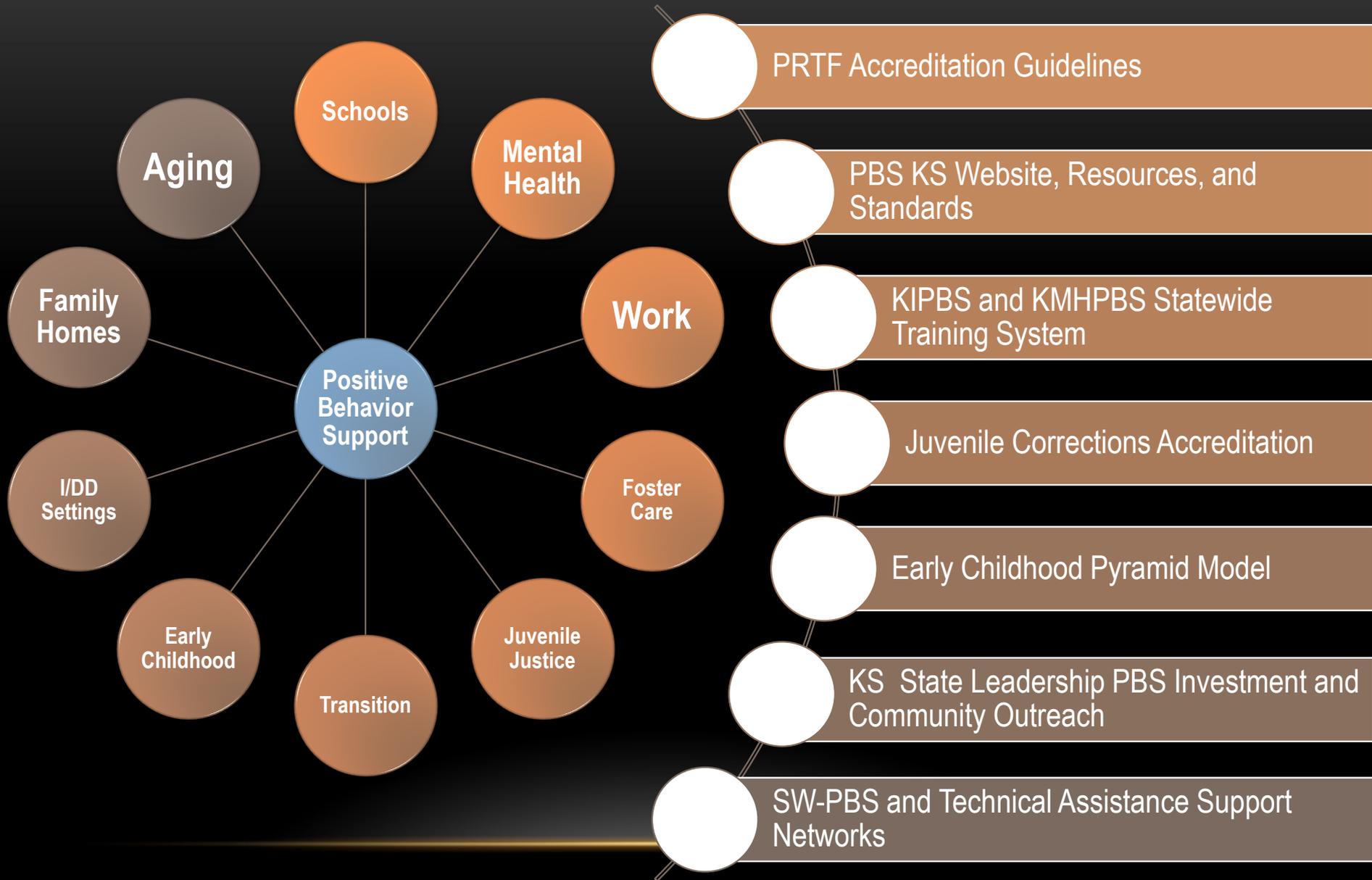


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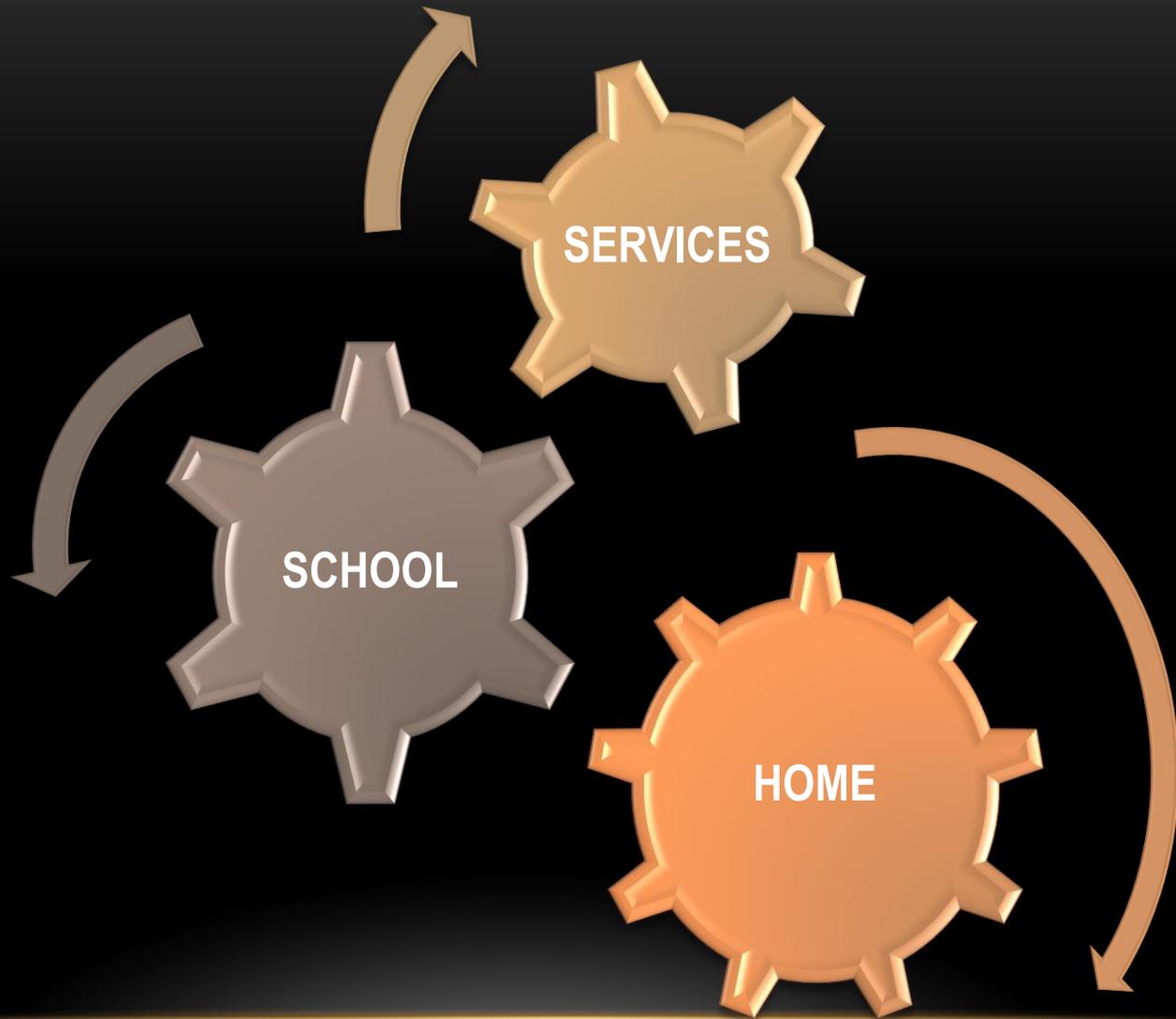
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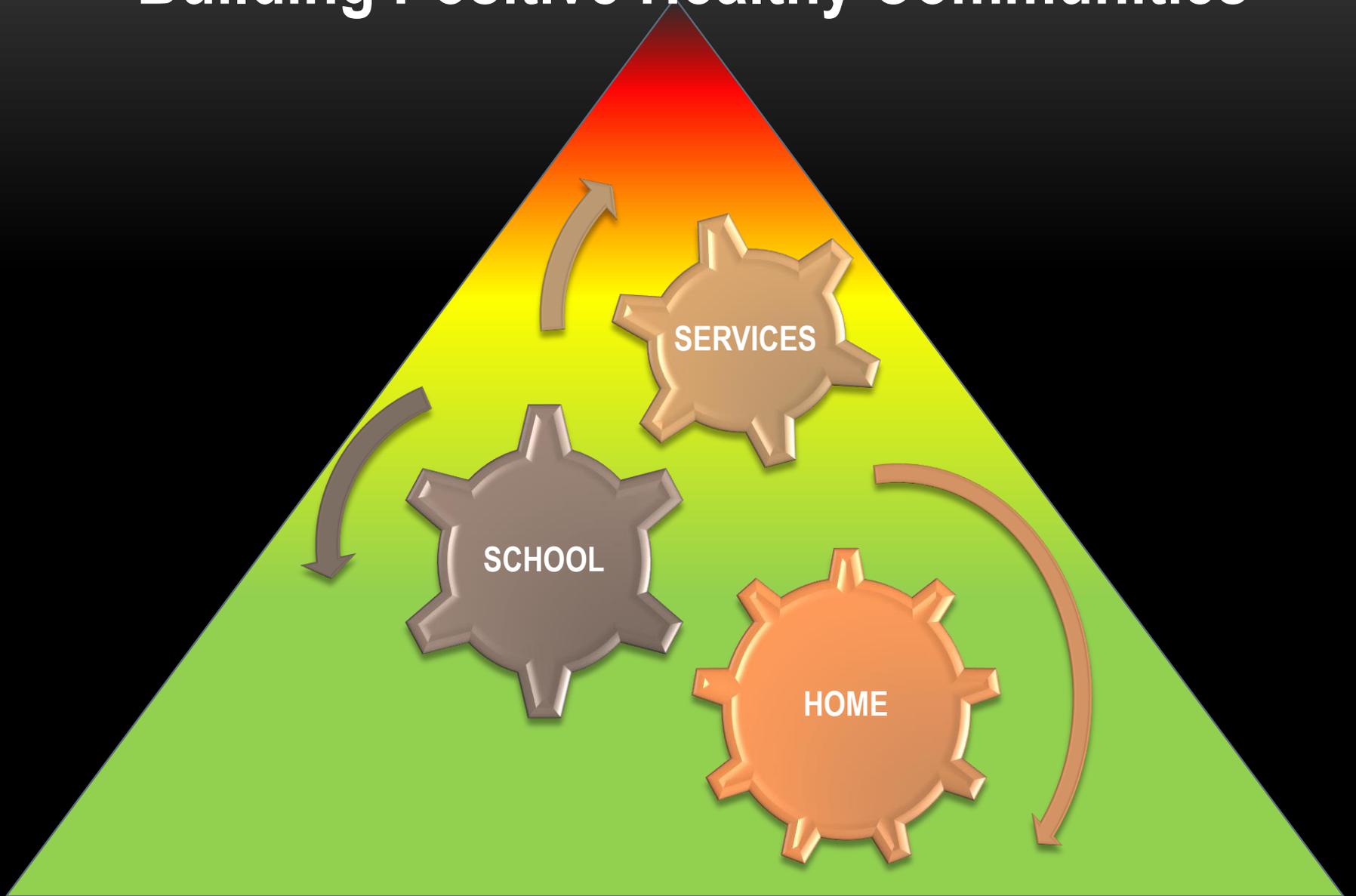
# KANSAS STAKEHOLDERS & SUPPORT SYSTEMS



# Building Positive Healthy Communities



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# POSITIVE BEHAVIOR SUPPORT IMPACT



**BUILDING ON EXISTING  
SYSTEMS AND  
PRACTICE TO...**





...SUPPORT KIDS



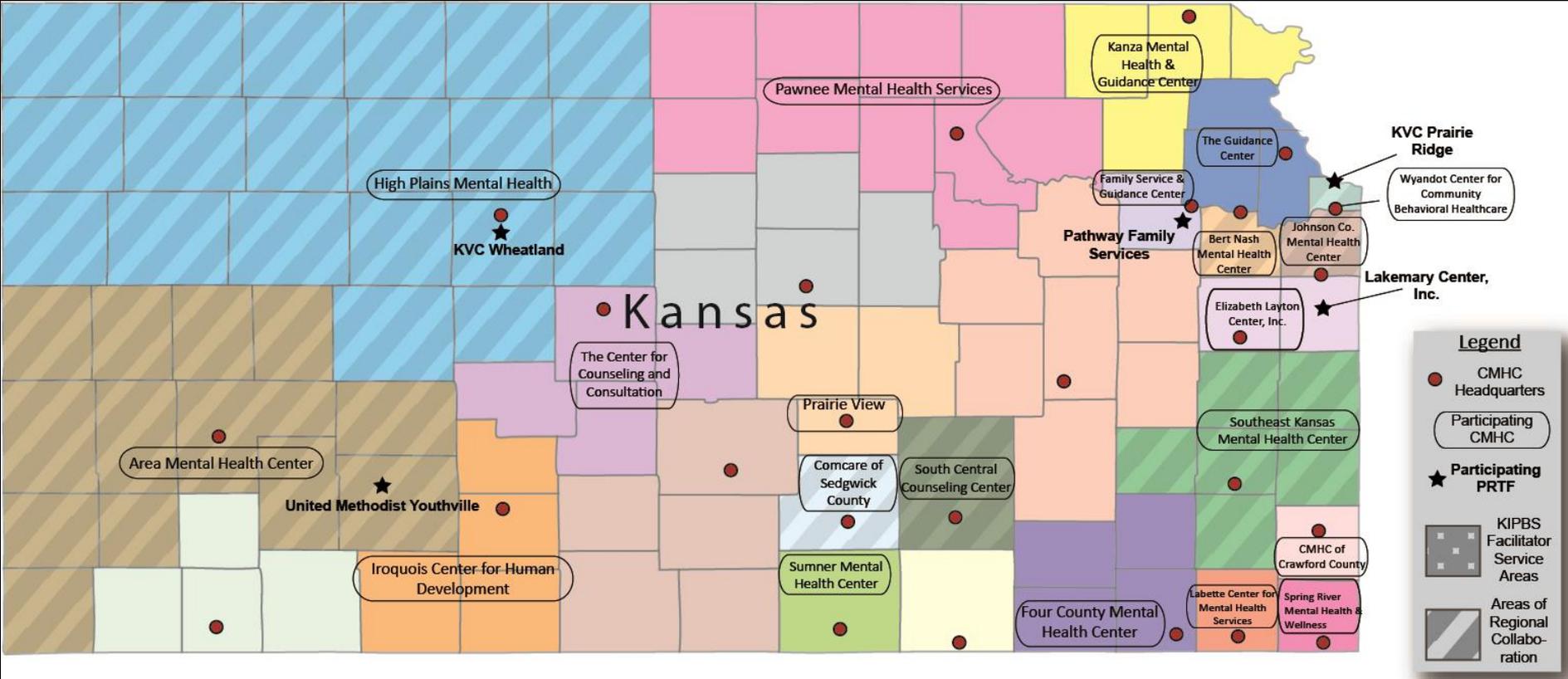
...in Their Communities



Building  
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# PBS ACTIVITIES IN KS



# Awareness Level

Webinars  
Workshops

## Intermediate Skill Building

Team-based Action Planning  
Targeted trainings for Key Staff

## Regional Interagency Meetings

PBS Case Demonstrations  
Regional SOC Meetings

## Intensive PBS Training



**WHAT IS PBS?**

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# WHO BENEFITS FROM PBS?

KANSAS PBS FACILITATION 2003-2013

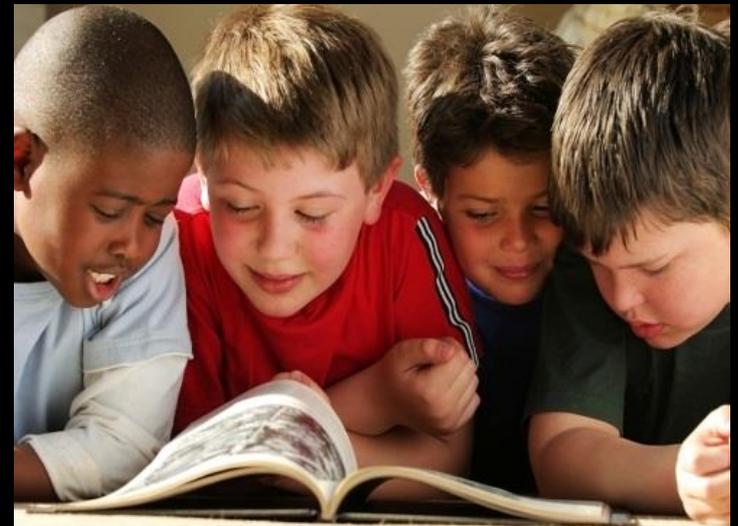
9 years old



33% PDD  
Spectrum

33% I/DD

17% No  
Diagnosis



17% MH or Other  
Diagnosis

# Impact of PBS: Families

**“Before PBS, I felt like a prisoner in my own home. After PBS, I was able to get a full-time job...and my family took a vacation together for the first time.”**

---Mother of a 7 Year Old Typically Developing Child with Serious Behavior Problems in Northeast Kansas

**“It (PBS) changed our whole lives as a family forever.”**

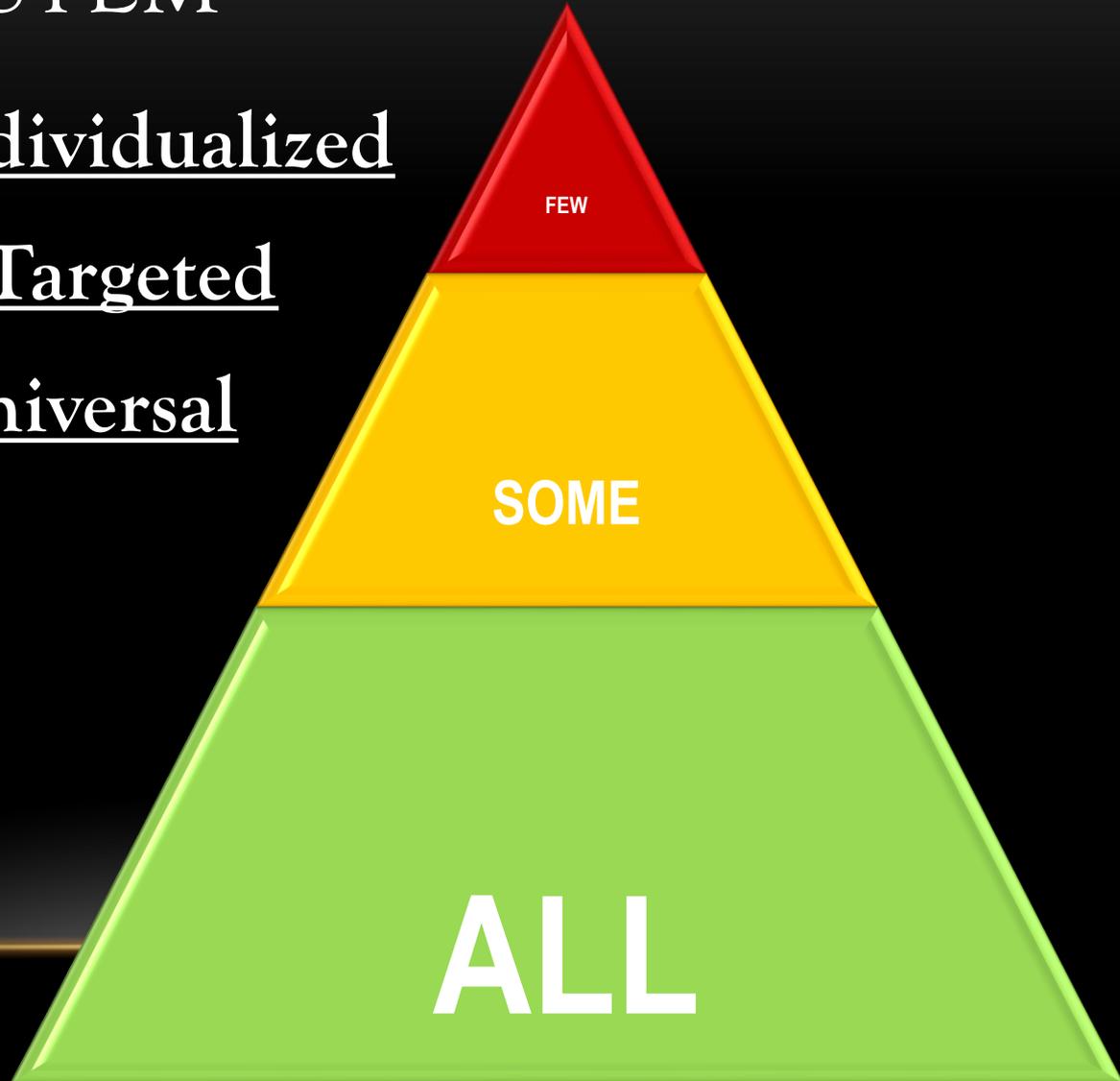
--Mother of a Child with Autism in Rural Kansas



**“But we, we neglect the families once the child goes into the PRTF. No wonder we have this revolving door. We don’t fix anything. We send them there for a few days, and like, okay, you’re doing better, go home to the same thing. There’s something wrong with that.” -Parent Support Worker at CMHC**

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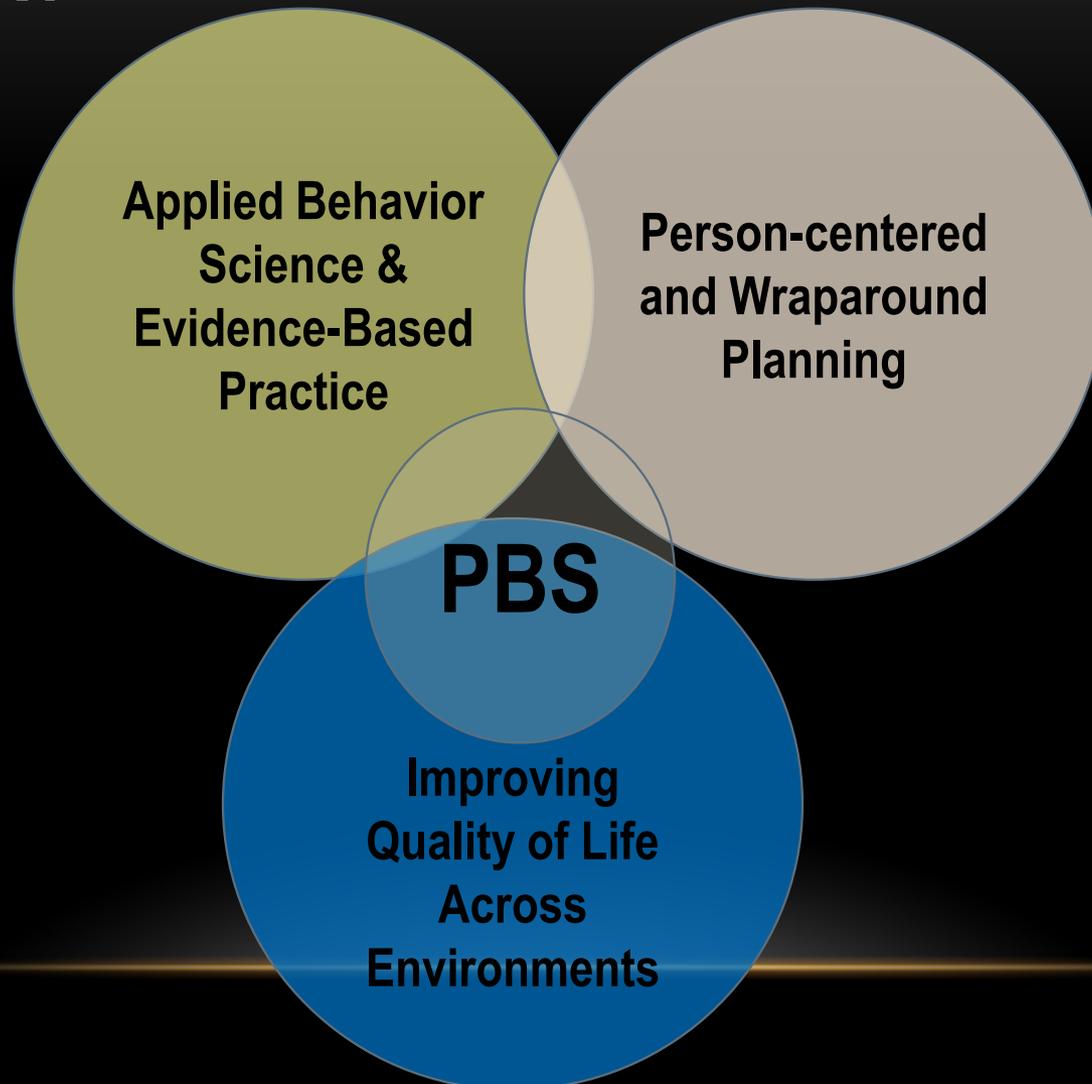
Tiered Supports Practices include:

**3) Intensive individualized behavior supports -to be developed and implemented by licensed professionals.**

2) Specialized strategies for common problem situations; and

**1) Universal strategies-proactive, preventative, positive teaching based strategies for staff and families to use.**

# COMPONENTS OF POSITIVE BEHAVIOR SUPPORT

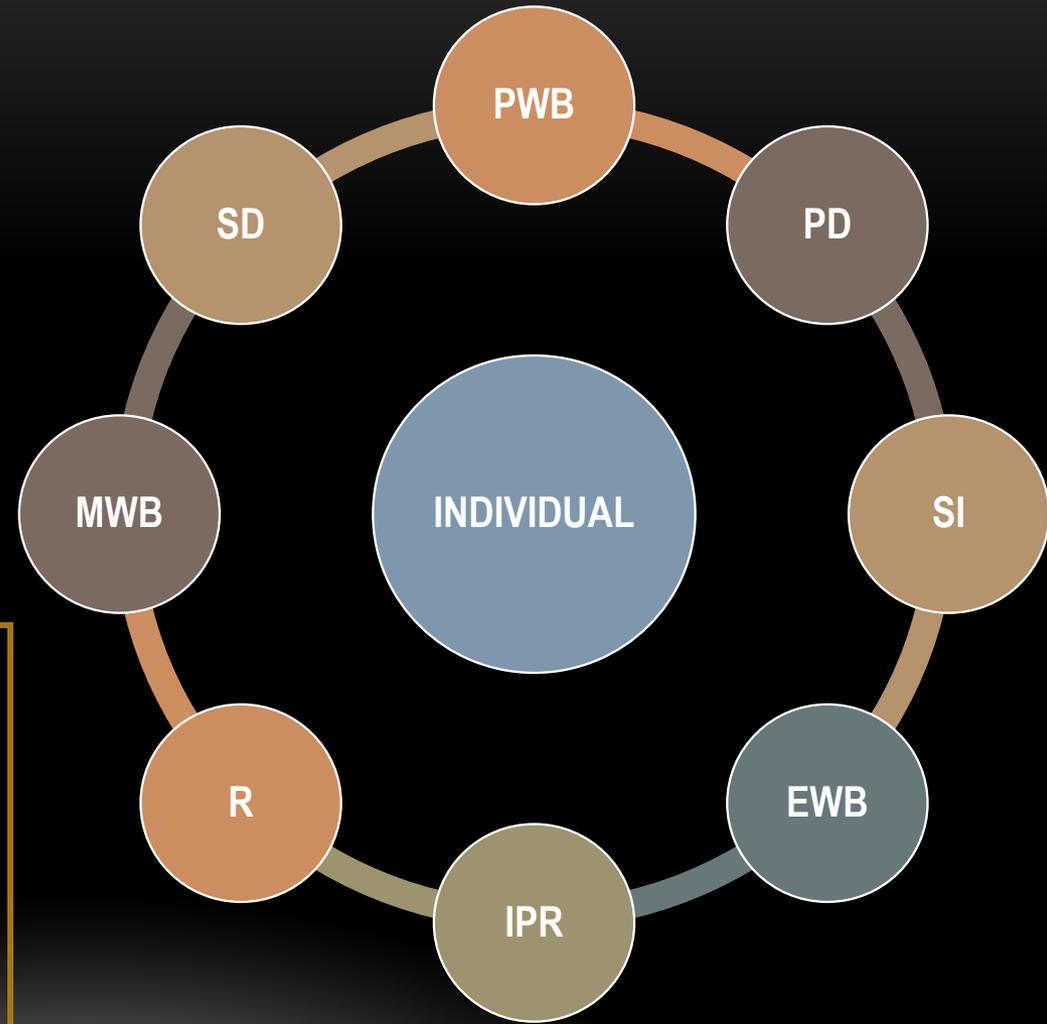


# POSITIVE BEHAVIOR SUPPORT

- Three-tiered **proactive** and **preventative** approach to discipline
- Enhances Quality of Life
- Decreases Problem behavior
- Builds Positive Relationships
- Encourages Positive Behavior



Robert Schalock (1996) described QOL as a multidimensional construct that is defined **when a person's needs are met** and when he or she has **the same opportunities as other individuals** without disabilities to pursue and achieve major life goals in home school, work, and community settings.



## Quality of Life Domains

- PWB:** Personal Well-Being
- PD:** Personal Development
- SI:** Social Inclusion
- EWB:** Emotional Well-Being
- IPR:** Inter-Personal Relationships
- R:** Rights
- MWB:** Material Well-Being
- SD:** Self-Determination

- “If a child doesn’t know how to read, we teach.”
- “If a child doesn’t know how to swim, we teach.”
- “If a child doesn’t know how to multiply, we teach.”
- “If a child doesn’t know how to drive, we teach.”
- “If a child doesn’t know how to behave, we . . . teach?  
. . . punish?”

*(1998, p.2)*

*John Herner, Counterpoint*

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**PBS REQUIRES OUR TEAMS AND  
THOSE SUPPORTING INDIVIDUALS  
TO CHANGE **THEIR** BEHAVIOR**

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# POSITIVE BEHAVIOR SUPPORT

## INTEGRATION OF:

- Valued outcomes
- Behavioral and biomedical science
- Validated procedures
- Systems change

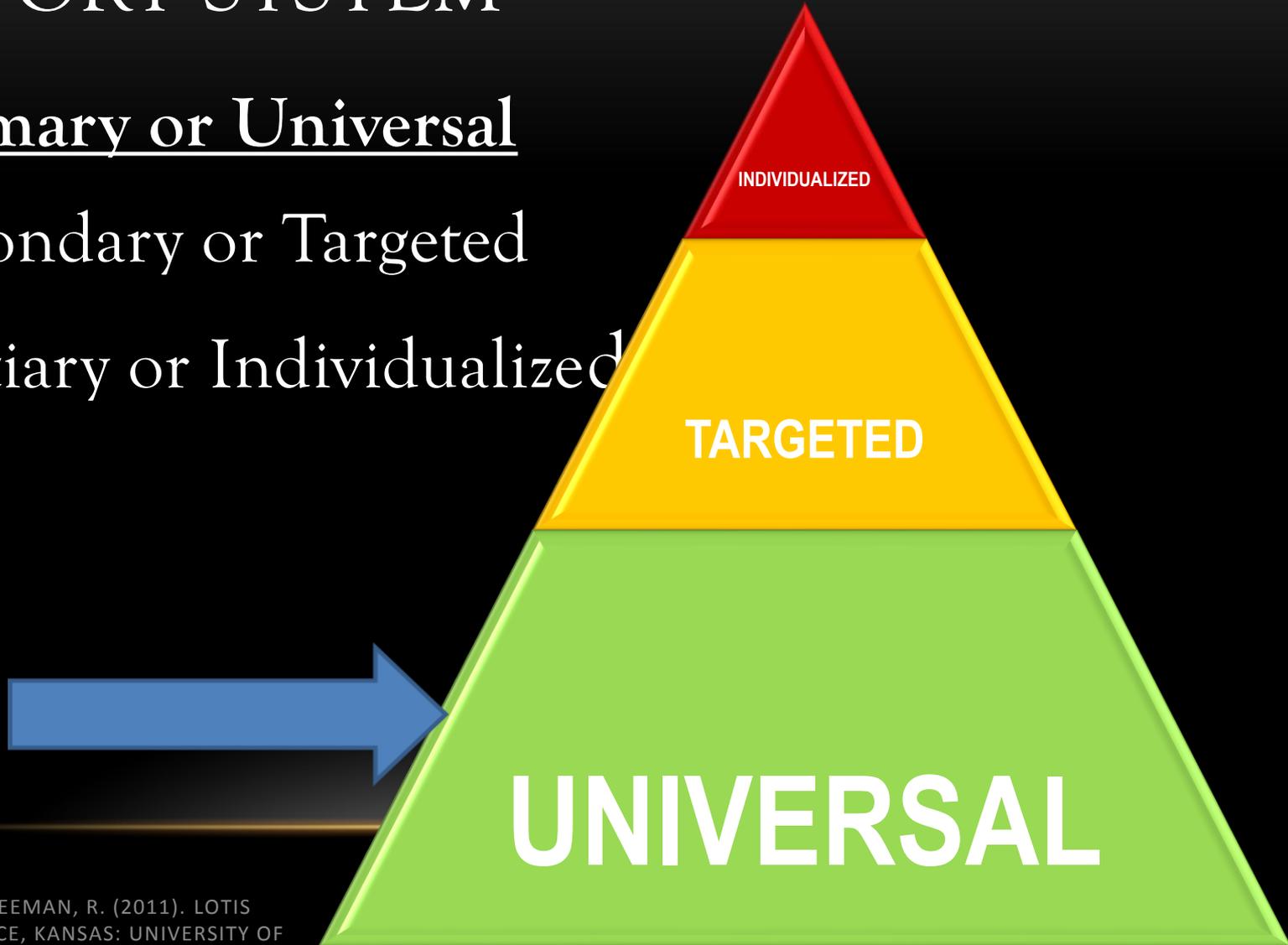
## WITH THE GOAL OF:

- Enhancing quality of life
- Preventing problem behavior

**PBS requires our teams and those supporting individuals to change **their** behavior**

# LAYERED POSITIVE BEHAVIOR SUPPORT SYSTEM

- Primary or Universal
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- Tertiary or Individualized



Building the  of a Dragon  
Chapel

**H**onesty ~ Tell the truth  
~ Say your true feelings

**E**ffort & Commitment To Goals ~ Stay with staff

**A**ccountability ~ Be on time  
~ Own your actions  
~ Accept feedback  
~ Keep worship area clean

**R**espect In Relationships ~ Respect each individual  
~ Appropriate voice tone

**T**ake Care of Self & Others ~ Represent your  
~ Follow directions  
~ Respect others

**S**afety ~

MATRIX	Classroom	Lunchroom	Bus	Hallway	Assembly
Respect Others	Use inside voice	Eat your own food	Stay in your seat	Stay to right	Arrive on time to speaker
Respect Environment & Property	Recycle paper	Return trays	Keep feet on floor	Put trash in cans	Take litter with you
Respect Yourself	Do your best	Wash your hands	Be at stop on time	Use your words	Listen to speaker
	Have materials ready	Eat balanced diet	Go directly from bus to class	Go directly to class	Discuss topic in class w/ others



**Teaching and Reinforcing Staff Behavior at a Community Mental Health Center**

**Universal Expectations MATRIX**



**State Driving Expectations**

**UNIVERSAL PBS SUPPORTS**

# TEACHING EXPECTATIONS (SCHOOL)

	Classroom	Lunchroom	Bus	Hallway	Assembly
Respect Others	<i>Use inside voice</i>	<i>Eat your own food</i>	<i>Stay in your seat</i>	<i>Stay to right</i>	<i>Arrive on time to speaker</i>
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Respect Yourself	<i>Do your best</i>	<i>Wash your hands</i>	<i>Be at stop on time</i>	<i>Use your words</i>	<i>Listen to speaker</i>
Respect Learning	<i>Have materials ready</i>	<i>Eat balanced diet</i>	<i>Go directly from bus to class</i>	<i>Go directly to class</i>	<i>Discuss topic in class w/ others</i>

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# Teaching Expectations (School)

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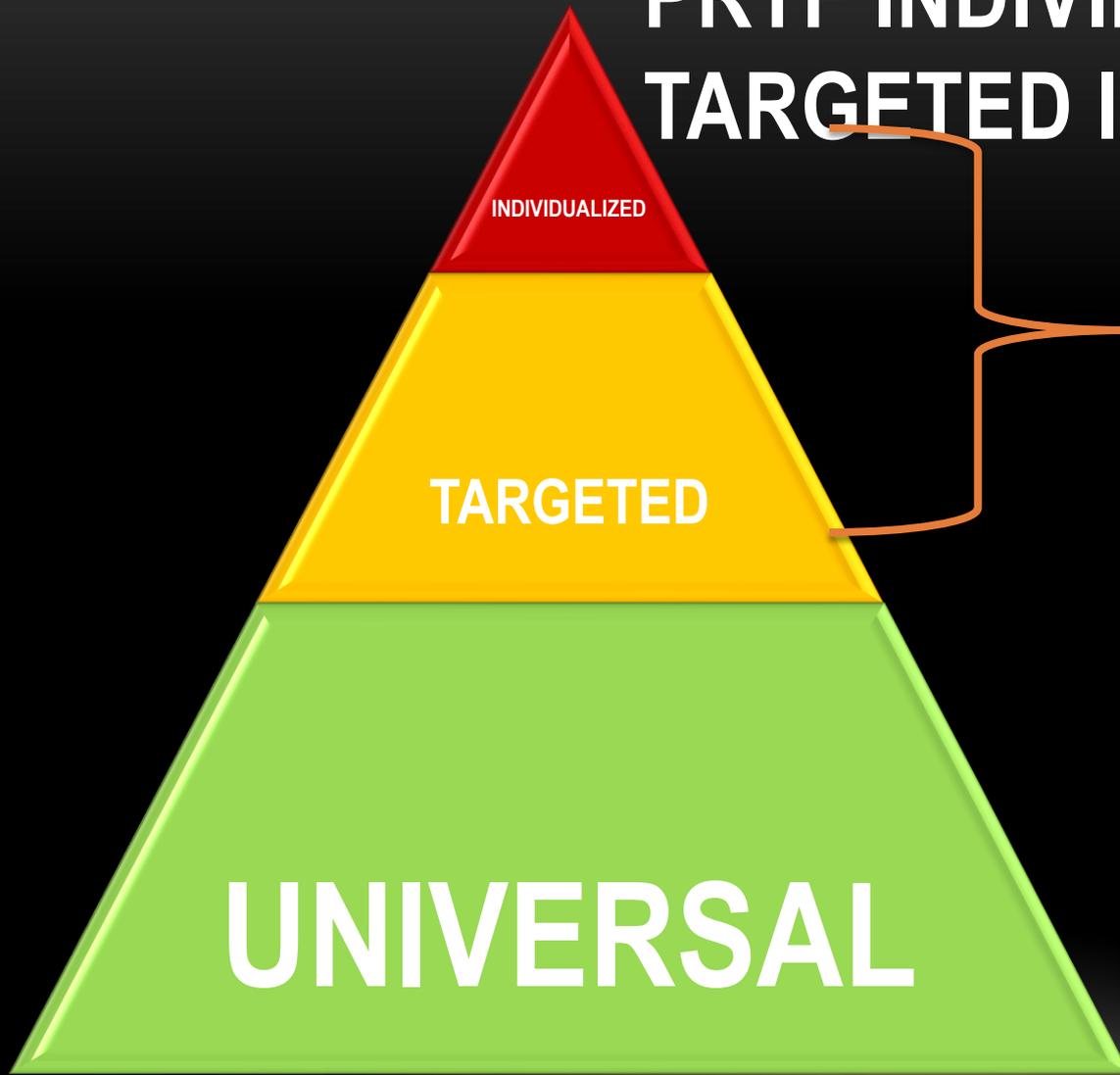
CMHC & PRTF



# EXAMPLE OF PRTF EXPECTATIONS

	Entering Center	Therapy Session	Group Therapy	Hallway	Bathroom
Respect Others	<i>Use inside voice</i>	<i>Take turns talking</i>	<i>Let others speak</i>	<i>Stay to right</i>	<i>Remember to flush</i>
Respect Environment & Property	<i>Throw items in trash can</i>	<i>Put chair back at the table</i>	<i>Put drinks and snacks in the trash can</i>	<i>Put trash in cans</i>	<i>Put trash in trash can</i>
Respect Yourself	<i>Hands and feet to self</i>	<i>Share your feelings</i>	<i>Use your words</i>	<i>Use your words</i>	<i>Washing your hands</i>
Respect Learning	<i>Be ready for session</i>	<i>Be open to new ideas</i>	<i>Participate in discussion</i>	<i>Go directly to and from therapy</i>	<i>Return to session promptly</i>

# PRTF INDIVIDUALIZED AND TARGETED INTERVENTIONS



INDIVIDUALIZED

TARGETED

UNIVERSAL

## Individualized Examples:

- Wraparound
- Functional Behavioral Assessment
- IEP
- Crisis Plan
- Treatment Plan

## Targeted Examples:

- Psychosocial groups
- Social Skills Interventions



**Group Support  
or Classes**

**Additional  
Supervision**

**PBS TARGETED  
SUPPORTS**

**Check In  
Systems**



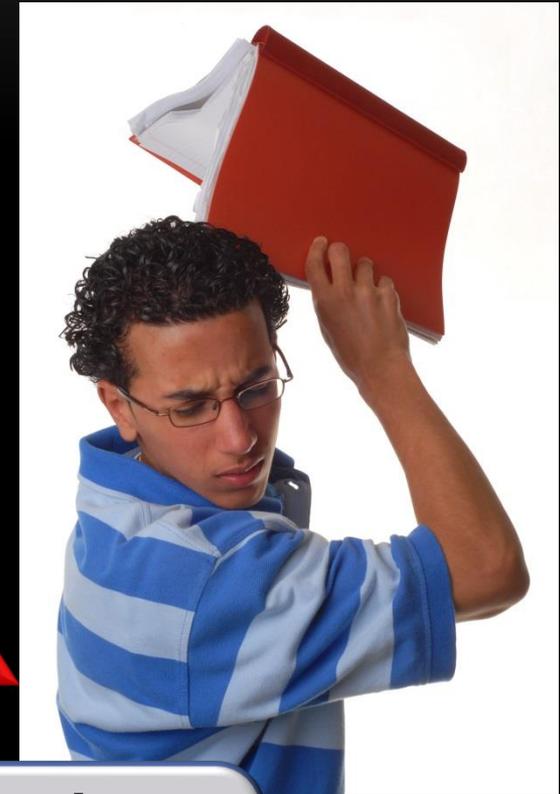
# UNIVERSAL SUPPORTS FOR KIDS USING MORE INTENSIVE INTERVENTIONS



## Mental Health Center Expectations

	Entering Center	Therapy Session	Group Therapy	Hallway	Bathroom
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**Individual  
Supports**



**INDIVIDUALIZED**



**Specialized  
Accommoda  
t  
ions**

**Intensive  
Behavior  
Supports**

# INDIVIDUALIZED SUPPORTS CONTINUED

- Wraparound
  - Functional Behavioral Assessment
  - IEP
  - Crisis Plan
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# INDIVIDUAL PBS AND IMPACT

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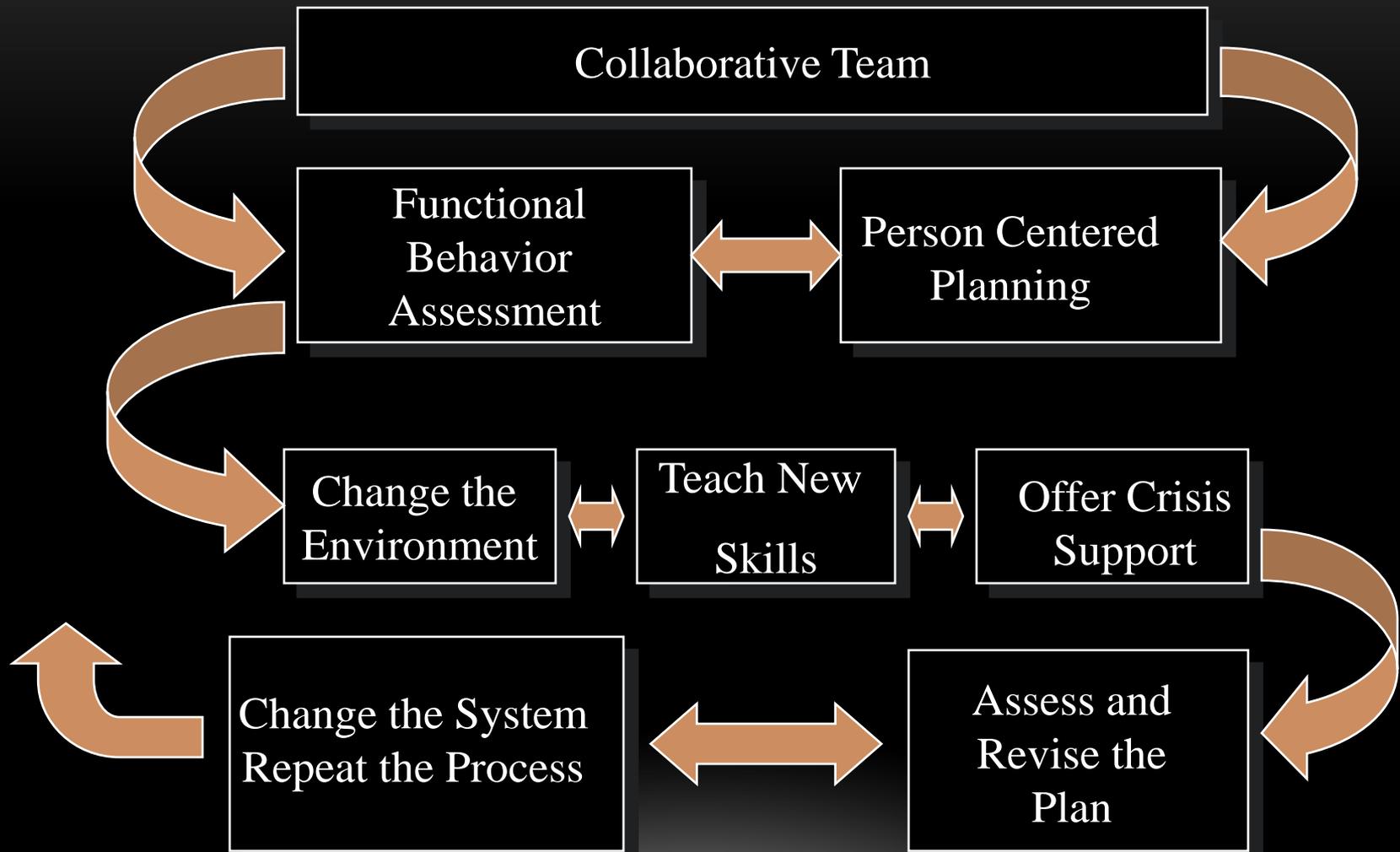
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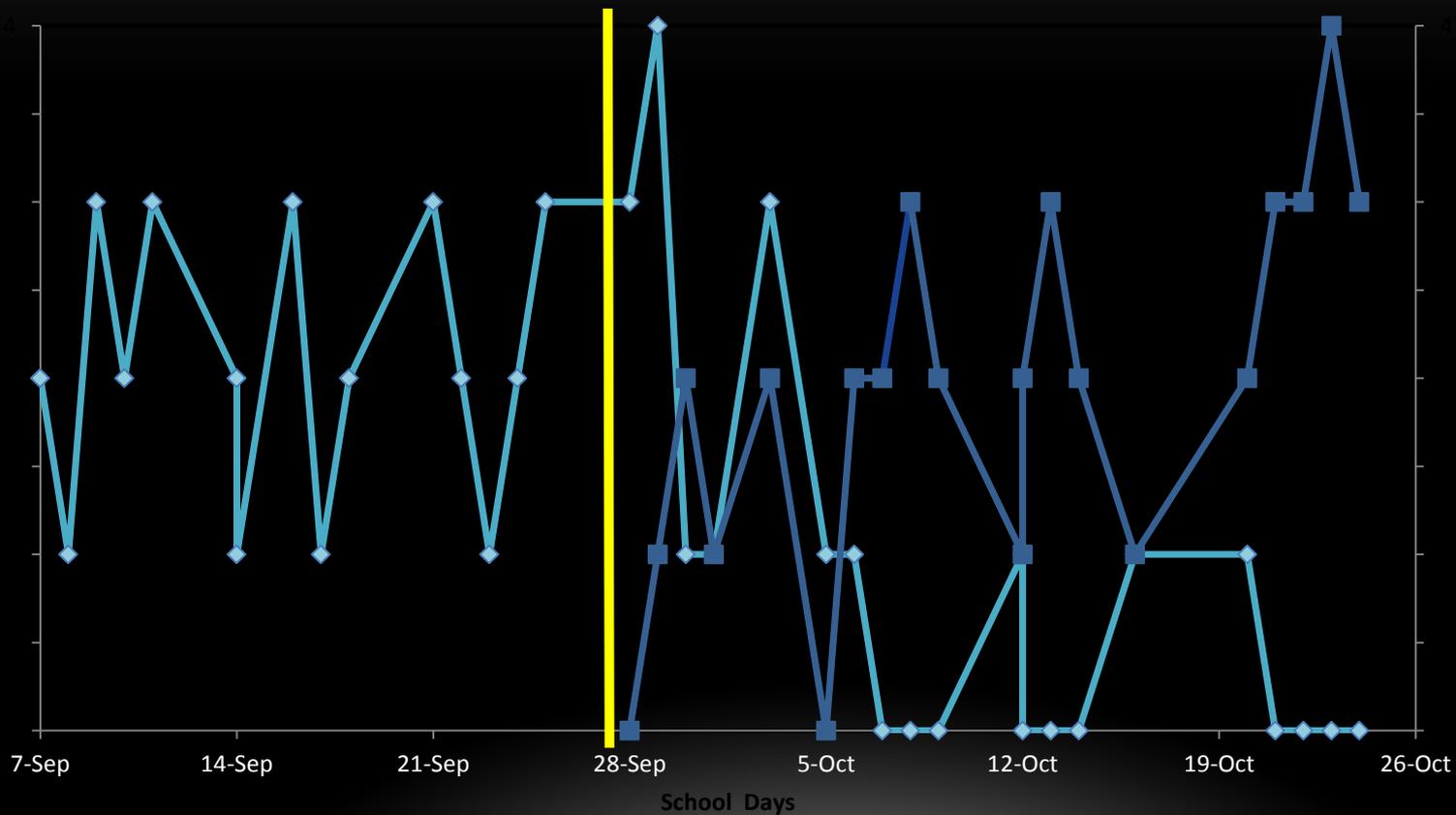
# POSITIVE BEHAVIORAL SUPPORT MODEL



# EXAMPLE OF DIRECT OBSERVATION DATA

N=155 PLANS

(SEVERE AGGRESSION, SELF-INJURY, PICA, PROPERTY DESTRUCTION, ETC.)



Baseline, Intervention, and Follow-up Data Over 3 months; Quality of Life Survey , Satisfaction, and Contextual Fit Data from Team Members; Global Risk Factor Data

# KIPBS FACILITATOR DATA-FIRST BILLED CASES: GLOBAL RISK ASSESSMENT SCORES

*Global Risk Assessment Scale:*

*1 = Strongly Disagree to 5 = Strongly Agree (five-point scale)*

<b>Risk Assessment Difference for 1st PA Cases (N = 12*)</b>	<b>Mean by Item - Pre</b>	<b>Mean by Item - Post</b>	<b>Pre/Post Difference</b>
1. The individual's behavior significantly and consistently interferes with integration and participation in the community	4.92	3.17	1.75
2. The individual's behavior is dangerous to others	3.92	2.08	1.83
3. The individual's behavior provides a health risk to self (i.e. head banging, self-biting, ingestion of objects, etc.)	3.70	2.58	1.12
4. The individual's behavior results in significant damage to property	3.73	2.08	1.64
5. The individual's behavior is likely to become serious in the near future if not addressed	4.92	3.00	1.92
6. The individual's behavior is occurring at such a frequency or intensity that a caregiver's ability to effectively provide support is being compromised	4.50	2.08	2.42
7. The individual's behavior results in the involvement of law enforcement	2.38	1.09	1.28
8. The individual's behavior puts them at risk of institutionalization or loss of a current least restrictive environment	4.67	2.25	2.42
<b>Across all</b>	<b>4.17</b>	<b>2.31</b>	<b>1.86</b>

\* Three cases did not have post assessments and were excluded from the analysis

\* 12/15 cases (80%) DID have pre/post assessments



# ORGANIZATION- WIDE PBS AND IMPACT

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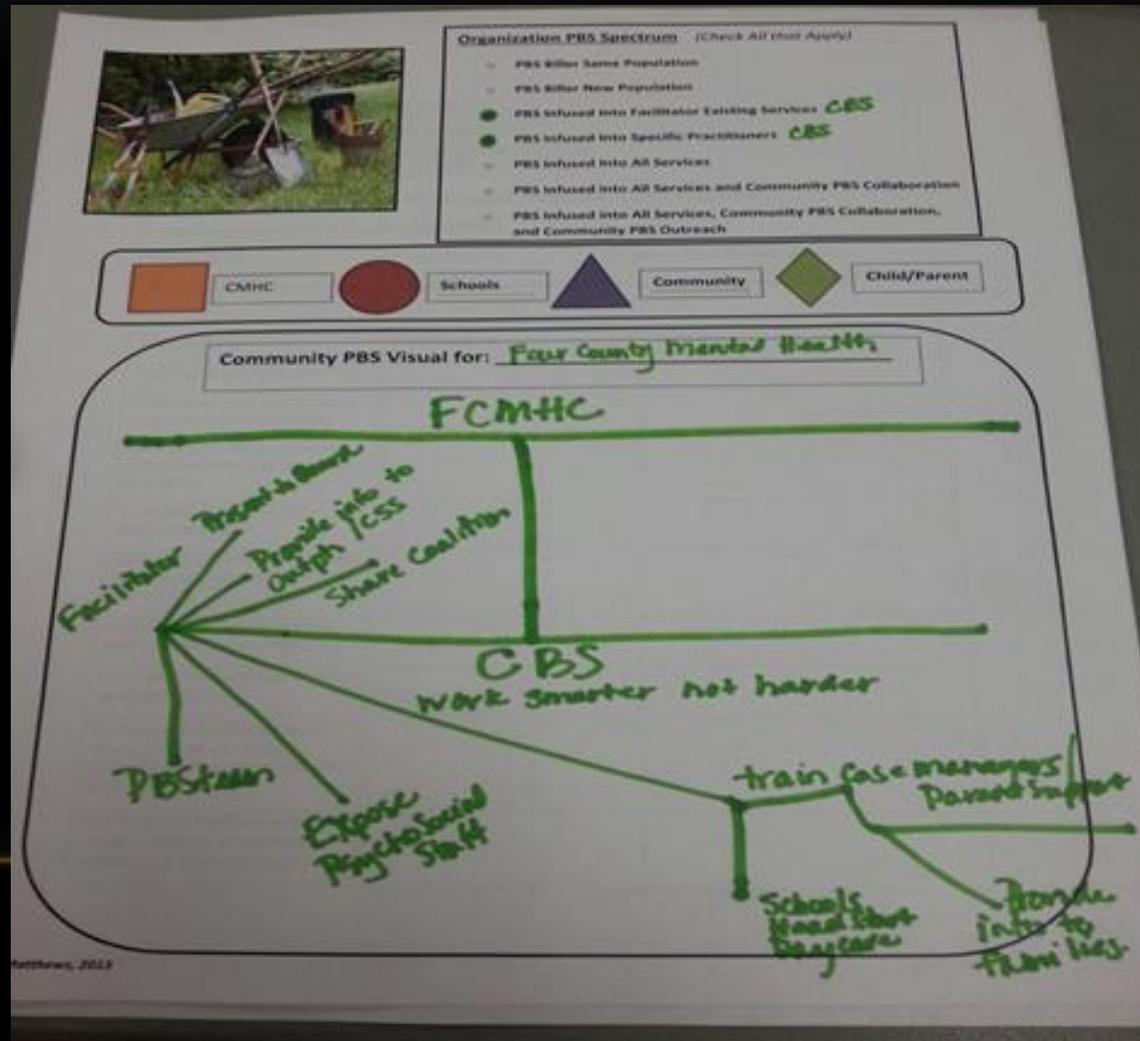
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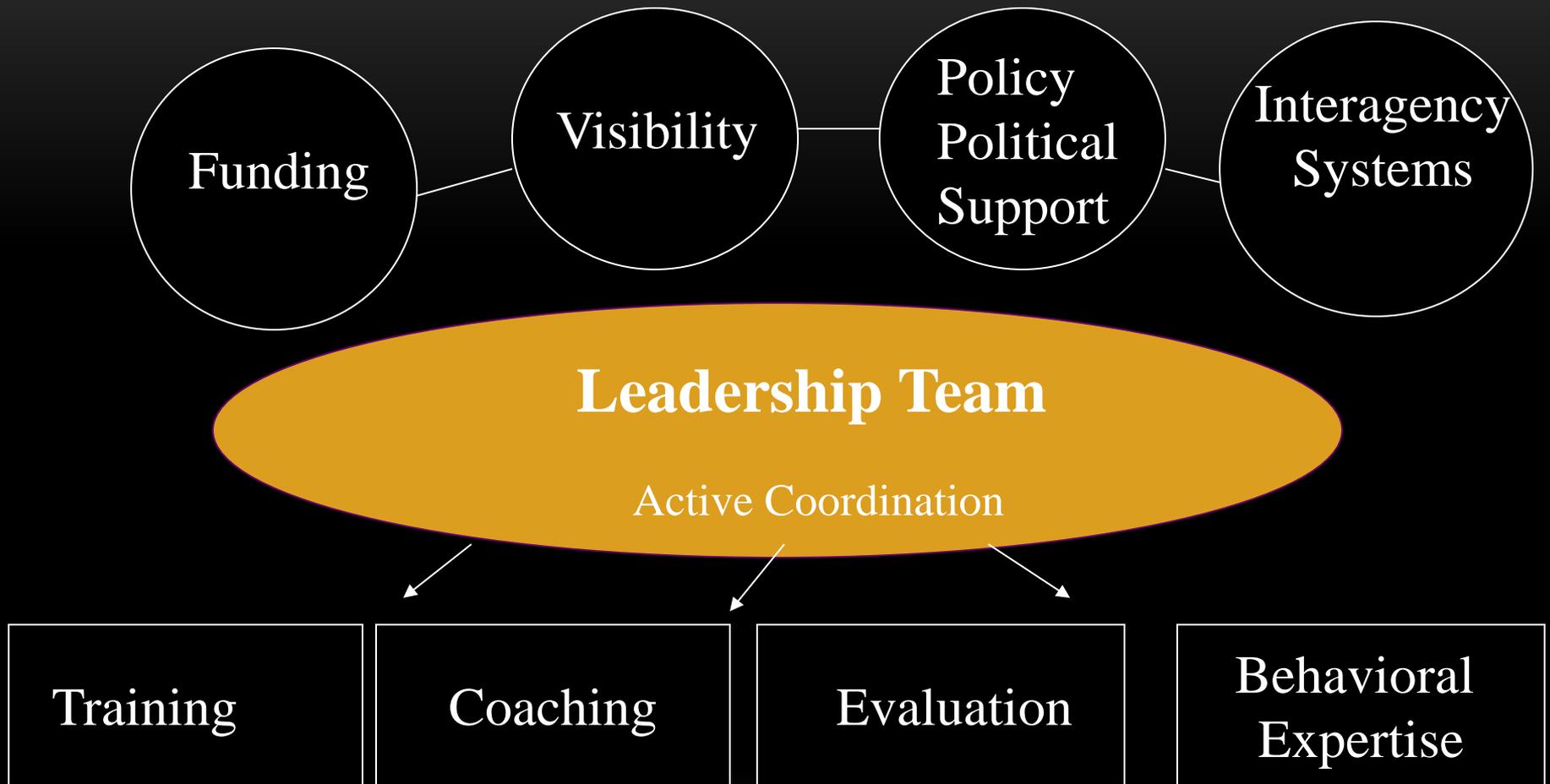
### Intensive PBS Training



# Team Activities Included Creating a Visual Model Explaining How Positive Behavior Support is used within Mental Health Centers

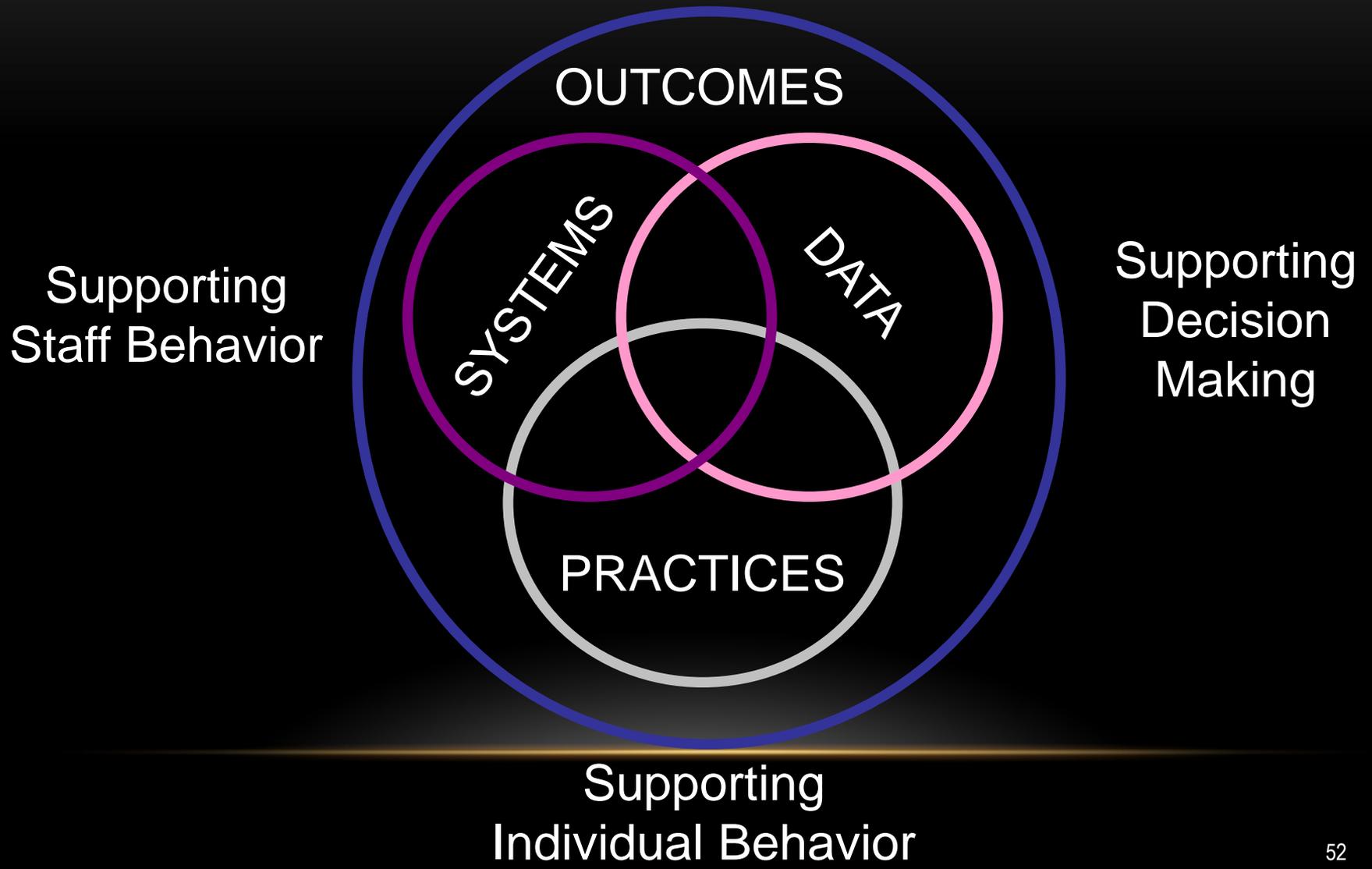


# Organization-wide PBS Teams



Adapted From:

# POSITIVE BEHAVIOR SUPPORT IMPLEMENTATION



# Integrating Mental Health Prevention Models and School-wide Positive Behavior Support

## Mental Health Prevention Model

### Intensive, Individual Interventions

- \* Children with intense symptoms of a disorder

### Indicated Preventions Strategies

- \* Children with significant symptoms but do not meet diagnostic criteria of a disorder

### Selective Prevention Strategies

- \* Target groups of youth sharing a risk factor
- \* Counter risk factors with interventions

### Universal Prevention

- \* All children receive interventions
- \* Preventive, proactive strategies
- \* Broad focus

### Health Promotion/Positive Development Strategies

- \* Entire population targeted
- \* Enhance strengths to reduce risk of later problems and to promote positive development

## School-wide PBS

### Tertiary Prevention/Tier 3

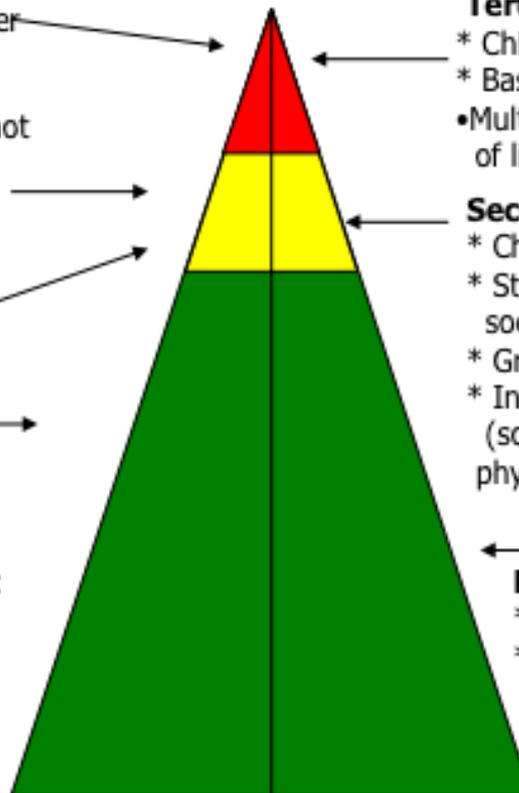
- \* Children needing intensive individualized supports
- \* Based on assessment and team-based planning
- \* Multi-component interventions to improve quality of life and decrease problem behaviors

### Secondary Prevention/Tier 2

- \* Children at risk for social or academic problems
- \* Students who do not respond to universal social skills training receive additional supports
- \* Group interventions and individualized support
- \* Interventions based on function of behavior (social and/or physiological)

### Primary Prevention/Universal/Tier 1

- \* All students receive training in social skills
- \* Staff create positive social climate and respond to problem behavior consistently



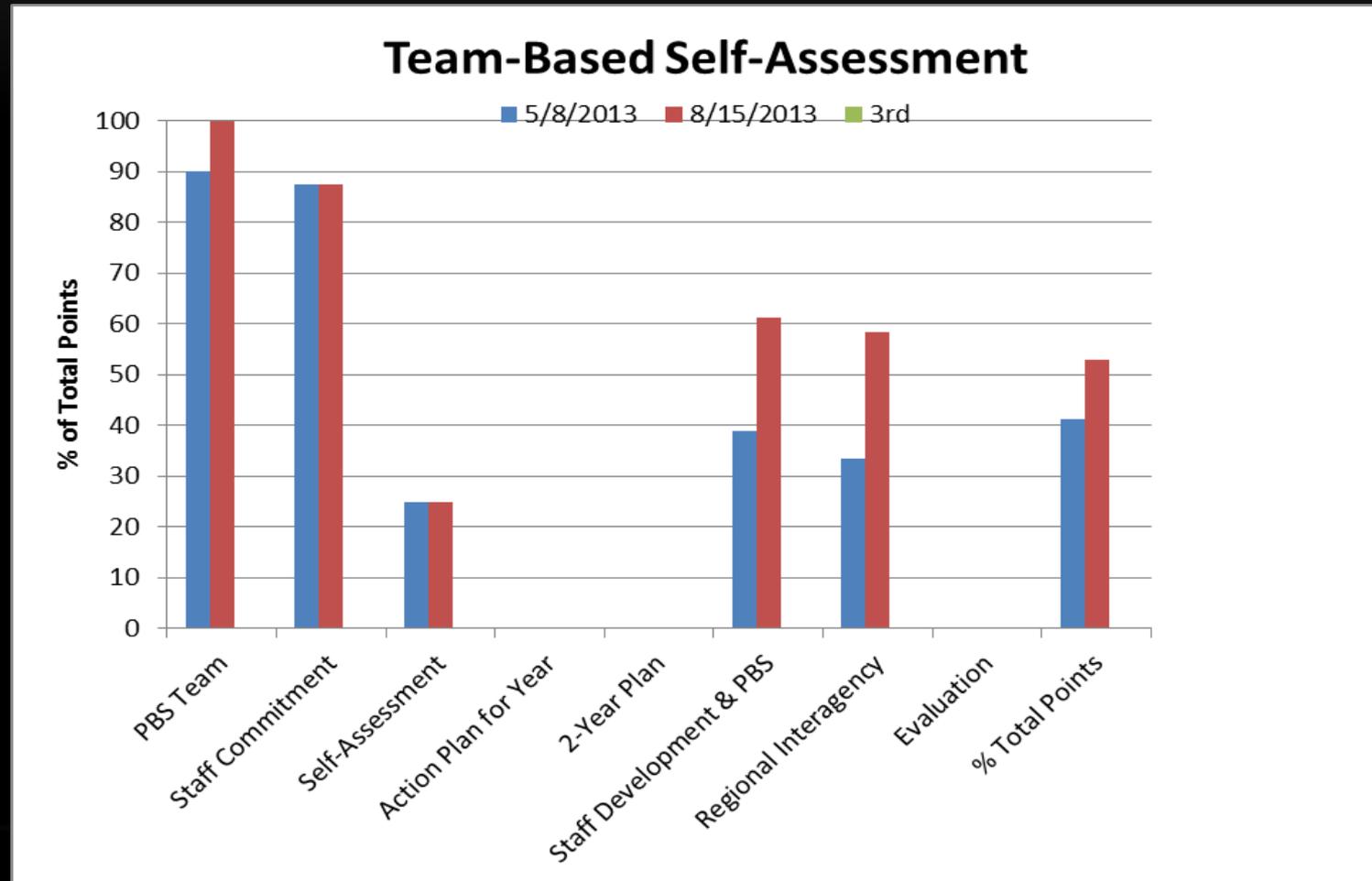
# ACTION PLANNING IN CMHCS

Staff Commitment	a. Creating a plan for consensus building during All Staff meetings.	Group	Start 5/13
	b. Create Power Point to break down PBS in small segments for meeting	Group, PBS	Start 5/13
	c. Create a scavenger hunt for basic PBS elements	J. Woodson	8/13
	d. Create acted out scenarios for examples of ABC in All Staff meeting.	J. Woodson, J. Wilson	9/13
	e.		
Self-Assessment & Action Plan	a. Complete action plan	Group	9/13
	b. Evaluate links for COMCRE internet site and add to Share Point Site	Group/PBS	9/13
	c.		
	d.		

# SELF-ASSESSMENT AND ACTION PLANNING IN CMHCS AND PRTFS

Complete & submit Quarterly		May 2013 (pilot)	Aug 2013	Nov 2013	Feb 2014	May 2014
Date: 2=Fully Implemented; 1=Partially Implemented; 0= Not Implemented						
<b>PBS Team</b>						
1. Team established (representative)	Status:	2	2			
2. Team has regular meeting schedule, effective operating procedures	Status:	2	2			
3. Team has clear purpose and vision for PBS	Status:	1	2			
4. Team has administrative support	Status:	2	2			
5. Administrator's support & active involvement	Status:	2	2			
PBS Team Subtotal		9/10	10/10			
<b>Staff Commitment</b>						
6. Staff are directly involved in establishing and reviewing goals	Status:	1	1			
7. Staff are invested and support PBS efforts	Status:	2	2			
8. Feedback is provided to staff throughout the year (5 times or more)	Status:	2	2			
9. Funding and time allocation is established for PBS related training and team problem solving	Status:	2	2			
Staff Commitment Subtotal		7/8	7/8			

# SELF-ASSESSMENT AND ACTION PLANNING IN CMHCS AND PRTFS



# PRTF CAMPUS EVALUATION TOOL (CET)

The Campus-wide Evaluation Tool (CET) is designed to assess and evaluate the critical features of Campus-wide effective behavior support for a PRTF. The CET results are used to:

- assess features that are in place,
- determine annual goals for Campus-wide effective behavior support,
- evaluate on-going efforts toward Campus-wide behavior support,
- design and revise procedures as needed, and
- compare efforts toward Campus-wide effective behavior support from year to year.

# Organization Impact



*KIPBS Training in 2010 and Organization-wide PBS in 2012*

*Year One:  
Reduction in Restraints  
Drop in Worker Compensation  
New PBS Position*

*Year Two:  
Measurable Outcomes*

*Current Year:  
Restraints were significantly reduced during in 2013 summer program.*



Building  
Positive Healthy  
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# REGIONAL INTERAGENCY PBS AND IMPACT

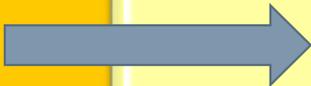
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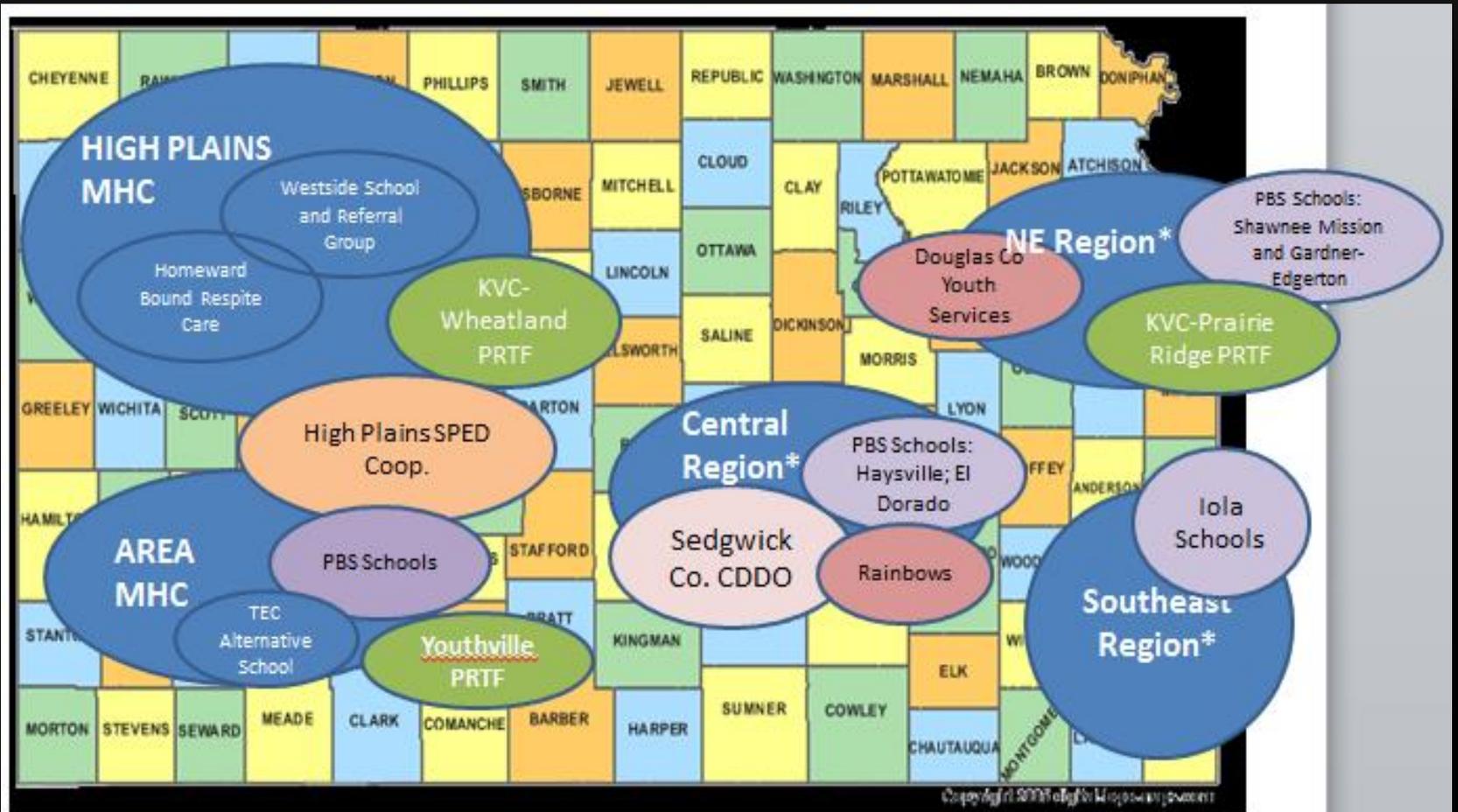


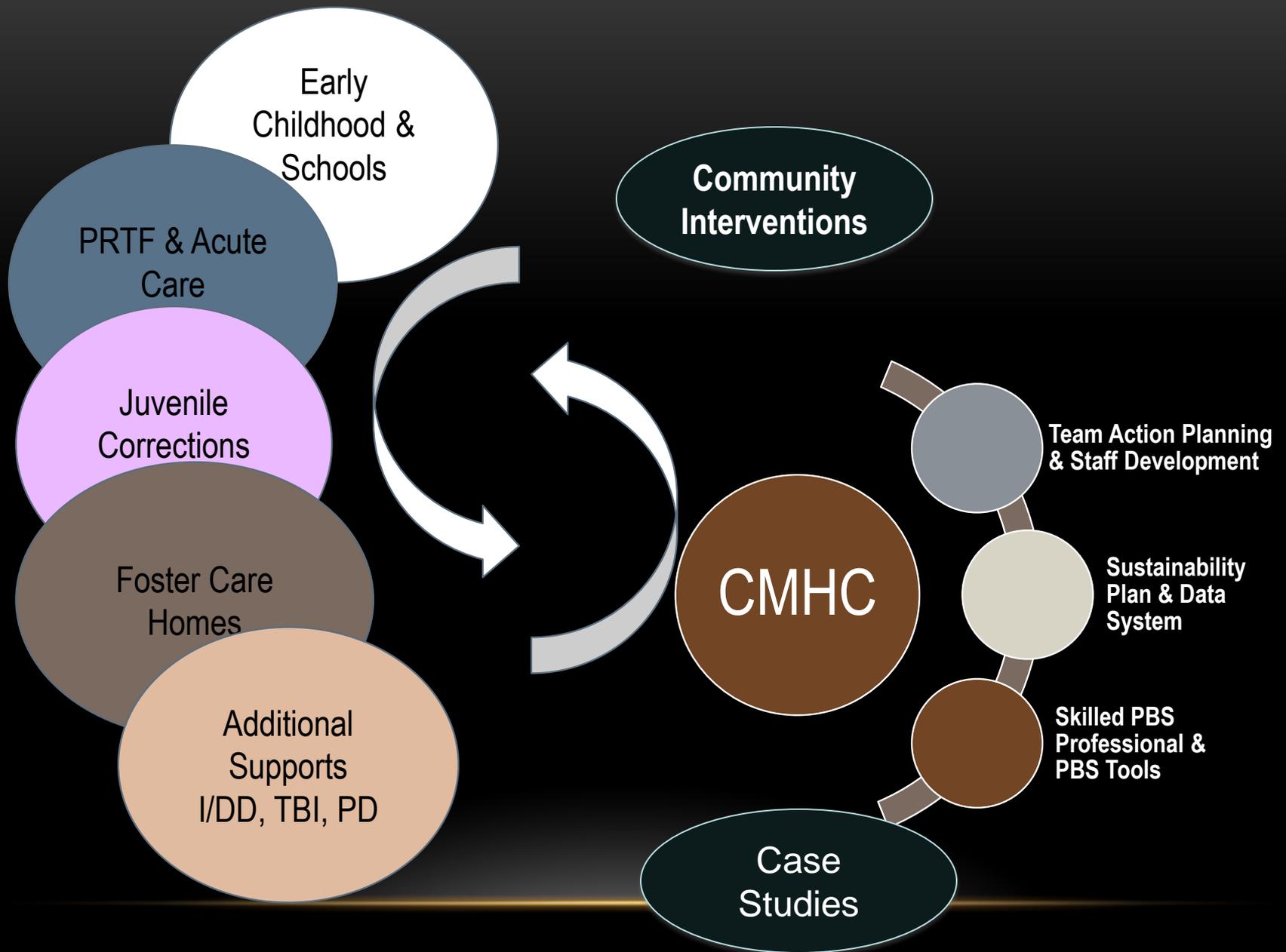
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# PBS REGIONS

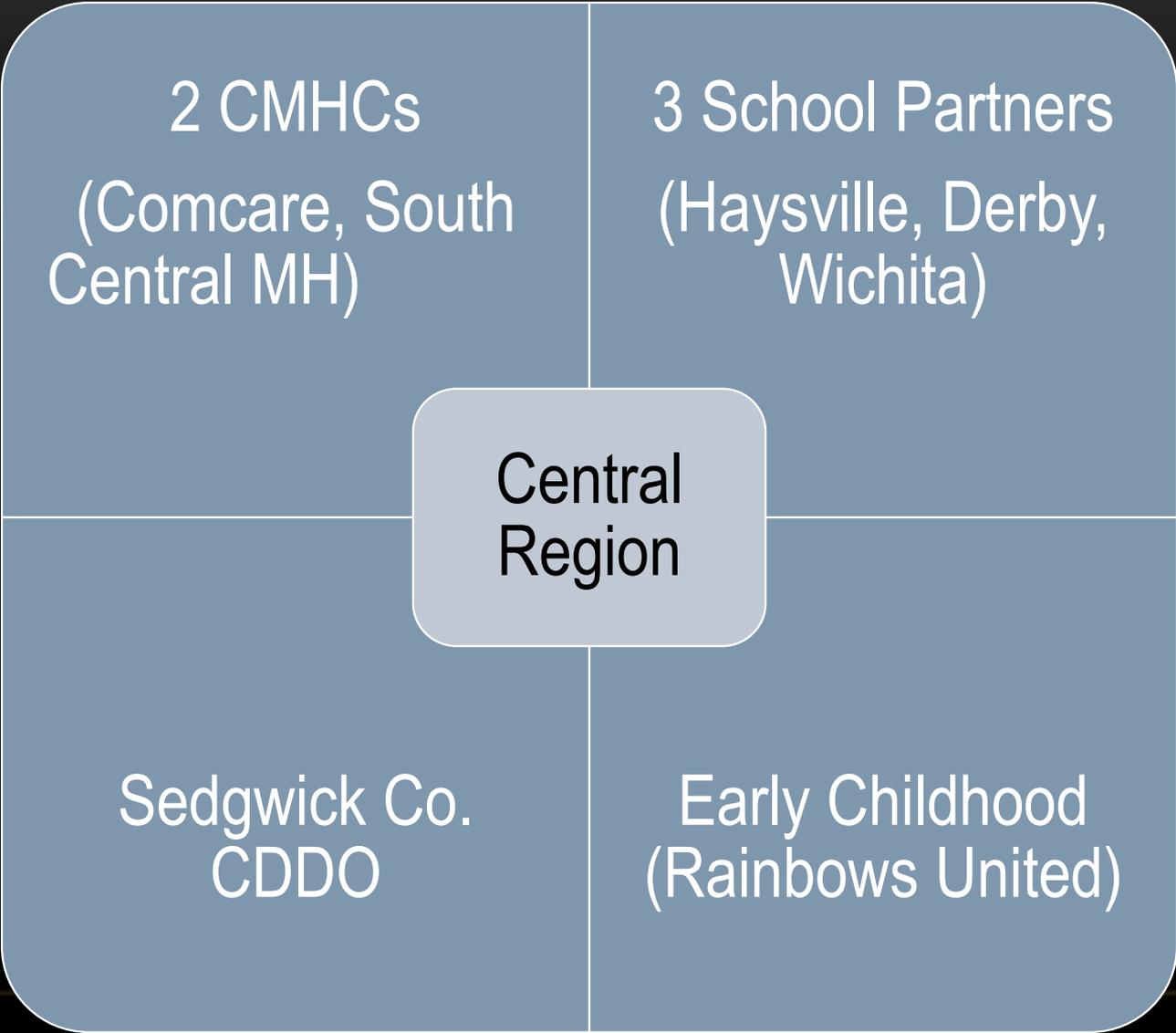




# BUDDING REGIONAL COLLABORATION EXAMPLES

## Central KS Positive Behavior Support Regional Interagency Collaboration Group PATH

Next Steps	6 Months	12 Months	2 Years	3 Years	Vision for Future/Goals
<p>Identify potential stakeholders.</p> <p>Identify which PBS resources will be used/shared.</p>	<p>Resources in the community around PBS are identified.</p> <p>All potential stakeholders are identified.</p>	<p>All identified stakeholders will have access to the PBS Resources on the shared website.</p>	<p>All relevant stakeholder are knowledgeable using the resources on the website.</p>	<p>Awareness system around PBS knowledge is maintained.</p>	<p>All relevant stakeholders are knowledgeable of PBS.</p>
<p>Determining core team to be involved</p> <p>Determining method of interagency meetings.</p>	<p>Identifying systems barriers (see data)</p>	<p>Consistently meeting and developing strategies to overcome barriers</p>	<p>Continue meeting regularly, re-evaluating past barriers and identify new barriers. Identify potential stakeholders.</p>	<p>Continue meeting regularly, re-evaluating past barriers and identify new barriers. Identify potential stakeholders.</p>	<p>All relevant stakeholders are actively collaborating using a shared language.</p>



2 CMHCs  
(Comcare, South  
Central MH)

3 School Partners  
(Haysville, Derby,  
Wichita)

Central  
Region

Sedgwick Co.  
CDDO

Early Childhood  
(Rainbows United)

We believe that by building relationships among agencies we will help our clients find success in our community and improve their quality of life. To do so, we are committed to the use of Positive Behavior Supports.

What are Positive Behavioral Supports (PBS)?  
PBS uses a person-centered, team-based, proactive and preventative approach to provide strategies for achieving important social and learning outcomes.



#### PBS Guiding Principles

- All individuals are valuable and deserve respect.
- Appropriate behavior can be taught.
- Regular positive reinforcement of appropriate behaviors will help them to occur more frequently.
- Communities must be willing to examine their own behavior as individuals are taught to change theirs.
- Cultural differences exist and need to be understood.
- Positive relationships between systems of care and the individuals they support are key to the success of every person.
- Punishment is not an effective way to sustain behavior change.

For free online training and resources, visit these websites:

[www.kmhbs.org](http://www.kmhbs.org)  
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## Community Alliance for Positive Systems of Care



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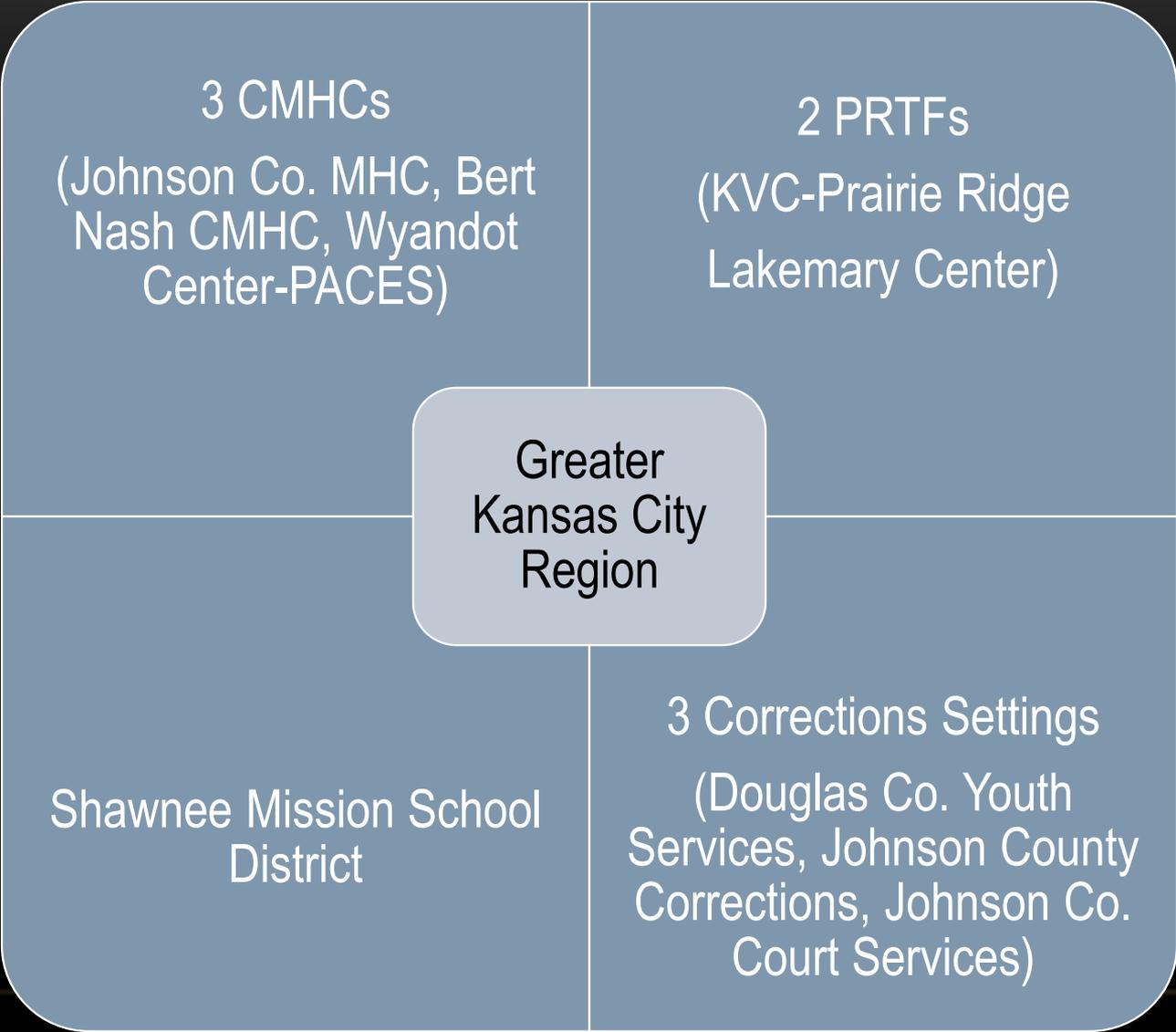
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2 PRTFs

(KVC-Prairie Ridge Lakemary Center)

Greater Kansas City Region

Shawnee Mission School District

3 Corrections Settings

(Douglas Co. Youth Services, Johnson County Corrections, Johnson Co. Court Services)



# SOUTH WEST REGION



# SOUTH CENTRAL REGION

We believe that by building relationships among agencies we will help our clients find success in our community and improve their quality of life. To do so, we are committed to the use of Positive Behavior Supports.

What are Positive Behavioral Supports (PBS)?

PBS uses a person-centered, team-based, proactive and preventative approach to provide strategies for achieving important social and learning outcomes.



#### PBS Guiding Principles

- All individuals are valuable and deserve respect.
- Appropriate behavior can be taught.
- Regular positive reinforcement of appropriate behaviors will help them to occur more frequently.
- Communities must be willing to examine their own behavior as individuals are taught to change theirs.
- Cultural differences exist and need to be understood.
- Positive relationships between systems of care and the individuals they support are key to the success of every person.
- Punishment is not an effective way to sustain behavior change.

For free online training and resources, visit these websites:

- [www.kmhbs.org](http://www.kmhbs.org)
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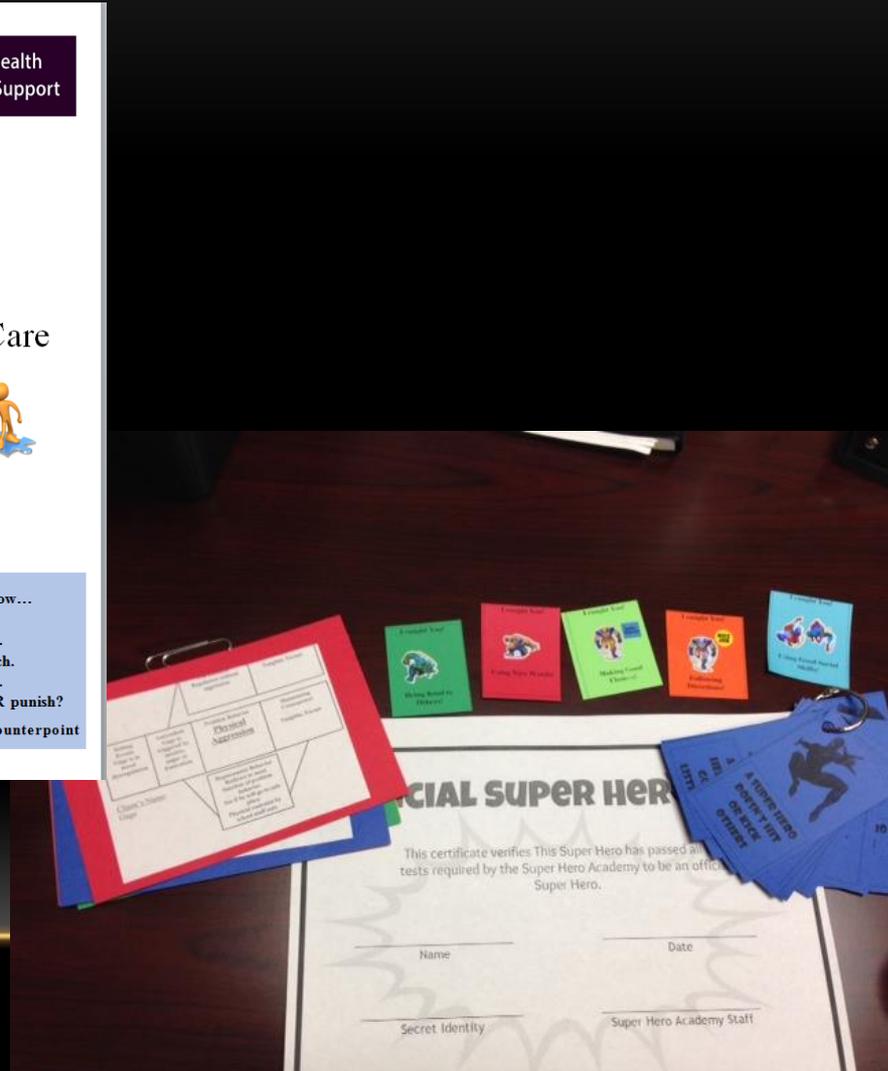
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### OFFICIAL SUPER HERO

This certificate verifies This Super Hero has passed all tests required by the Super Hero Academy to be an official Super Hero.

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Date \_\_\_\_\_

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# NORTH WEST REGION





# REGIONAL CASE STUDIES TO DEMONSTRATE IMPACT

Youth identified as at-risk for PRTF Placement by CMHC staff

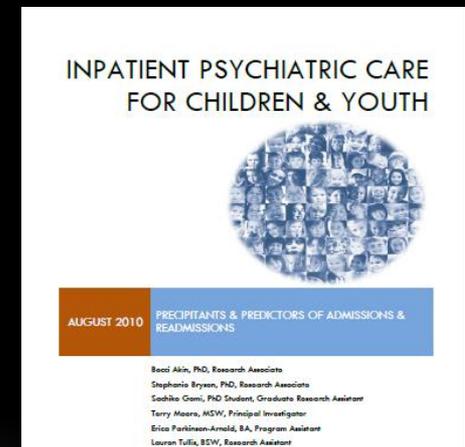


PBS Trained Facilitator leads case with CMHC assistance



Outcomes shared with state

Case Study Selection Tool to assess Risk Status and Fit (Akin, Bryson, Gomi, Moore, Parkinson-Arnold, & Tullis, 2010)



# COMMUNITY MAPPING

## *Community Self -Assessment and Action-Planning Tool*

This manual is intended for organizational teams who have been implementing organization-wide positive behavior support over a year. The purpose of this tool is to allow your team to gather self-assessment and action-planning notes in one place. Allocate a significant period of time with 2 or more hours initially to begin the self-assessment process with your team. You may decide to schedule a series of meetings over time or spend a concentrated period of time completing the tasks in this workbook. The organization coordinator should facilitate the meeting by reading sections out loud to the planning team and recording the results.

### Why Conduct a Community Self-Assessment?

There are a number of reasons why your organization should consider conducting a community self-assessment. Some of these reasons include:

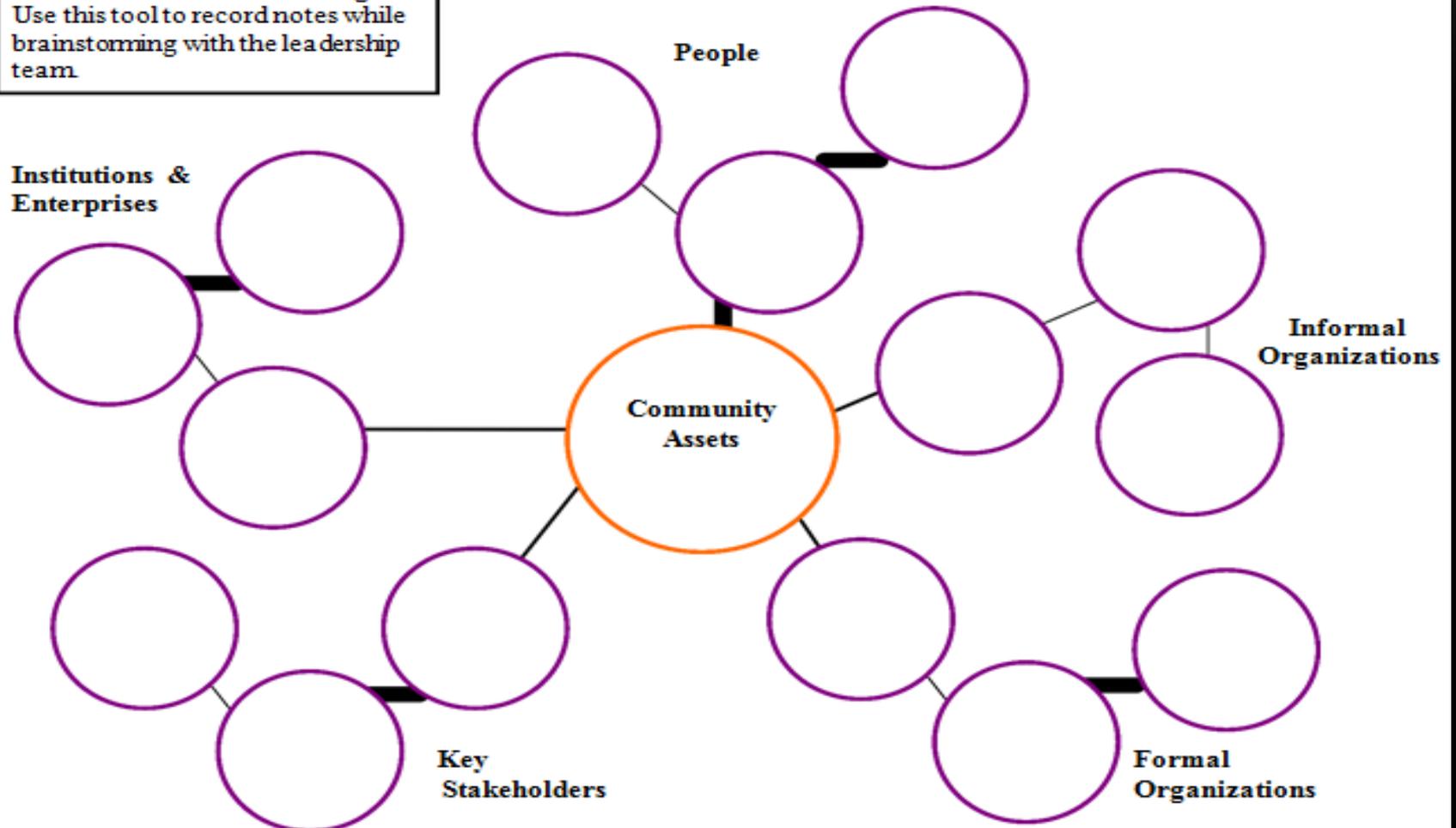
- Many problems in an organization reflect larger community issues; the solutions to many problems in an organization are better addressed by both the organization and the larger community;
- Many teams with strong community participation in organization-wide PBS are able to obtain reinforcers for youth, improve service coordination, and leverage regional and state interagency resources;
- Youth who need individualized supports benefit from closer communication across human service and community agencies;
- Building an organizational community means creating a larger network of collaborators.



*"The solution to many societal problems require that we learn how to mobilize groups and organizations to take action." Tony Biglan*

# COMMUNITY MAPPING

**Community Brainstorming Tool:  
Urban and Suburban Settings**  
Use this tool to record notes while  
brainstorming with the leadership  
team.



# COMMUNITY MAPPING EXAMPLE

Use The Map On The Left To Document

- Where Churches Are Located
- Locations Of Social Groups
- Bus Route Drop Off Areas (Are Students Getting Off Near Social Opportunities After School?)
- Organizations Interested In Volunteering



# Community Outreach

## How do CMHCs support parents and children in their homes and communities?

*2 YEAR ACTION PLAN  
ALIGNED WITH GOV MH  
INITIATIVE AND HUBS.  
SPECIFIC OUTCOMES  
IDENTIFIED.*

Create Paper and Electronic PBS and other Evidence Based Practice Parent and Professional Resource Libraries

Provide Technology to Effectively Provide PBS Resources, Tools, Training, and Supports in Homes and Communities

Develop Strategies to Provide Interactive PBS Supports Using Technology for Families

Use Governor's MH Initiative Hubs and CMHC/Regional Action Plans to Sustain. Create Awareness Via Media.





# **AWARENESS TRAININGS AND TOOLS**

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## Awareness Level

Webinars  
Workshops

## Intermediate Skill Building

Team-based Action Planning  
Targeted trainings for Key Staff

## Regional Interagency Meetings

PBS Case Demonstrations  
Regional SOC Meetings

## Intensive PBS Training

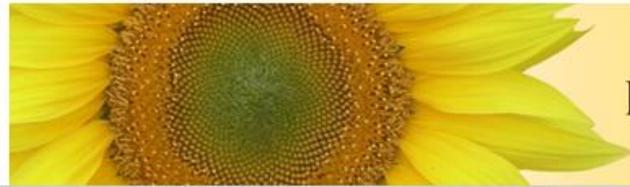
# HOW TO USE THE AWARENESS MODULES

- Inservice Training Systems
  - Staff Meetings
  - New Staff Orientation
  - Community Awareness of PBS
  - Collaboration with Schools
  - Collaboration with Key Populations
    - Police and Fire Fighters
    - Family Members
    - Etc.
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# LOOKING TO THE FUTURE

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## WELCOME TO PBS - KANSAS

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**Kansas Inservice  
Training System**



**Kansas Institute  
for Positive Behavior  
Support**

### Welcome to Positive Behavior Support Kansas (PBS Kansas)

PBS Kansas is dedicated to promoting research-based strategies that combine applied behavior analysis and biomedical science with person-centered values and systems change to increase quality of life and decrease problem behaviors. PBS is implemented in many different situations and settings including schools, home and community settings to prevent problem behavior of children and adults with disabilities.

#### Positive Behavior Support: A Brief



To access the brief and related resources, please click on the button!

#### Share Your Story!

PBS Kansas is seeking testimonials about how positive behavior support has impacted quality of life for you or someone you know. We are interested in collecting both written stories and video testimonials to be posted on our website. If you have a story to share, please email [Pat Kimbrough](#).

#### Evaluate Our Website!

PBS Kansas has added new content and reorganized some of the pages. We would like your feedback about these changes as well as suggestions of content to add or ways to continually improve the site. If you choose to participate, you have the option to register for our quarterly PBS Kansas prize pack give-away. The winner will be drawn from those who completed the survey and registered during a three-month period. The website survey data will not be linked to the registration form, so you can maintain anonymity. To participate in the survey, please visit:  
<http://www.surveymogizmo.com/s3/596796/PBS-Kansas-Website-Evaluation-2011-12>

#### Helpful Links for Meeting Participants

[PBS Kansas Introduction to PBS Packet](#)

#### Information of Interest

[What's New in Kansas](#)

[Pacific NW PBS Network  
Presentation 1-27-2012](#)

[PBS-Kansas  
Monograph](#)

#### Resources for:

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Building  
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