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The broadcast will begin shortly, Please stand by.

**Tonight's Topic: Crisis Stabilization, a partnership between  
Child Welfare and Emergency Services & Behavioral Health and Treatment**



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# COMMUNITY NEED

16.5%

of U.S. youth aged  
6-17 experienced a  
**mental health  
disorder** in **2016**  
(7.7 million people)

The average delay between  
onset of mental illness symptoms  
and treatment is 11 years

50.6%

of U.S. youth aged  
6-17 with a **mental  
health disorder**  
received treatment  
in **2016**

High school students with significant symptoms  
of depression are more than twice as likely to  
drop out compared to their peers

70.4%

of youth in the  
juvenile justice  
system have a  
**diagnosed mental  
illness**



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# REFERRAL PARTNERS

- + **Parents calling in crisis; referred to the program**
- + **Other YSS Francis Lauer programs**
  - ie: Outpatient Behavioral Health Clinic
- + **Area medical providers and clinics**
  - ie: Mercy North Iowa Medical Center and Clinics, West Fork Family Medicine
- + **Area counseling services**
  - ie: Turning Leaf Counseling, Anastasi Counseling
- + **Area school counselors**
  - ie: Mason City Community School District, Clear Lake Community School District



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# PROGRAM RESULTS

SINCE JULY 1ST, 2019

AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY: 2-3 WEEKS

**12**

clients served

**7**

clients continued with services at YSS Francis Lauer upon discharge

- 1 client had no follow-up
- 1 client returned to counseling services with their regular provider
- 1 client was referred to a higher level of care
- 1 (current) client has switched to DHS funding
- 1 client was from out of the region; unknown follow-up at home



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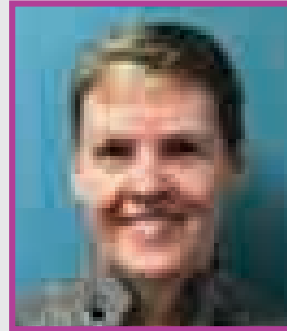
**NEXT WEEK'S BROADCAST WILL BE THURSDAY JUNE 18**

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