



Plan for Implementing Treatment for Tobacco Use

Agency/Program: _____

Date: _____

Workgroup members:				
Your strengths:		What you have already done:		Team's vision of an ideal tobacco dependence treatment program:
Goal	Strategy (Action Steps)	Person Responsible	Target Date	Update/Status
Assess Program using Tobacco Dependence Treatment Self-Evaluation Tool	Select your Evaluation Team			
	Identify staff and people you serve to interview			
	Communicate goals of the survey to staff and the people you serve			
	Observe milieu and physical settings, team meetings, group treatment meetings			

	Review documentation (e.g. medical records, policy and procedure manuals, brochures, posters)			
	Conduct rating and enter online through link provided by TCTTAC			
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Increase the number of tobacco screenings and assessments completed and documented in medical records	Tobacco Screening and assessment completed at every new intake and documented in medical record			
	Tobacco dependence diagnosis entered on treatment plan			
	Continued monitoring for tobacco use with each person completed every 90 days			
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Increase prescription of NRT's and other medications for treating tobacco dependency (TDT)	People who prescribe medications (MD and NP) view the FIT module on medications to treat tobacco dependence, and the Advanced Psychopharmacology for TDT Archived Webinar			

	Provide brochure and psychoeducation in waiting room and to people you serve on NRTs and other meds			
	Prescriptions written for all NRT's			
	Distribute commissioner's letter on changes in Medicaid rules			
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Engage and motivate people that are current smokers	Obtain and post smoking cessation posters and smoke free signs			
	Identify person's readiness to change using the readiness ruler/assess and document their stage of change			
	Distribute tobacco related health education material, culturally and linguistically appropriate brochures			
	Develop incentives for quitting such as recognition, prizes and gifts			
	Train all staff through TCTTAC face to face training			
	Provide psychoeducation on impact smoking has on health, finances etc.			
	Purchase a CO monitor			

	Use the decisional balance to identify the downsides of smoking			
	Have a peer specialist reach out to all who smoke			
	Invite a speaker to discuss personal recovery from smoking			
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Implement a Learning About Healthy Living (LAHL) group	Identify 1-2 group facilitators			
	Identify all people that could benefit from the group			
	Facilitators outreach people prior to joining the group			
	Involve peer specialist in facilitating group			
	Schedule time of group to maximize participation			
	Offer healthy snacks and drinks			
	Group facilitators and their supervisors watch the 2-part archived LAHL webinars			
	Have a healthy living fair highlighting the LAHL			
	Include healthy lifestyle goals including smoking in treatment plan			
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Track client outcomes	Explore whether existing data (e.g., in medical			

	records) can inform data outcomes.			
	Develop procedure for regularly tracking and reporting outcomes to TCTTAC			
	Review reports from TCTTAC to track progress through time and modify approach as needed			
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defined by program				