



CONNECTIONS

fact sheet

OVERVIEW

The Connections program is designed for Butler County residents who have a diagnosed mental illness and have been prescribed psychotropic medication but are currently not connected with a mental health provider.

We provide temporary medication and referral support for individuals as they transition to a more permanent mental health provider.

WE CONNECT CLIENTS THROUGH

Hospitals Lack of follow up care is the greatest cause of readmission. Patients may be referred to Connections before discharge to ensure they receive the temporary assistance needed while they secure long-term mental health solutions.

Justice System we support individuals coming out of County or State detention centers who have been on medication while incarcerated.

Relocation we support individuals who have been treated outside of Butler County and now need to be connected after a move.

Contact 513-805-2939 to schedule a Diagnostic Assessment followed by an appointment with the Connections Nurse for medication. If needed, Connections staff will make in-patient visits before the client is discharged from the hospital to ensure continuity of care.

The Client will be provided with medication and will meet a psychiatrist in the following weeks to review the plan of care.

Clients will be connected to a mental health agency for the long-term services within 90 days.

CLIENTS MUST HAVE A DIAGNOSED MENTAL ILLNESS OR A DIAGNOSTIC ASSESSMENT BEFORE PARTICIPATING IN THE CONNECTIONS PROGRAM. CLIENTS MUST PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING:

Proof of Butler County Residency | Picture ID | Income Verification

For more information about CONNECTIONS or to make a referral, please contact us directly at **(513) 805-2939**.

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