# 1199SEIU Training and Employment Funds

## Defining the Skills of the Emerging Workforce

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## Partnership with SI PPS and CSI

- The 1199SEIU Training and Employment Funds (TEF) conducted a nationwide research on available Community Health Worker programs with the interest of creating a credit bearing certificate program.
- The Minnesota Standardized Curriculum for Community Health Worker is a comprehensive program that aligns well with the CHW role in NY state.
- The program was presented to CSI to be developed collaboratively as a credit bearing course.
- TEF and SI PPS requested customization for DSRIP purposes.
- CUNY-CSI developed the curriculum for an integrated Basic Education and Skills Training (BEST) Model program to train CHWs.
- SI PPS sought and obtained PPS partner comment and input in the development of the final CHW curriculum in discussions with CSI.
- Together-- SI PPS, TEF and CSI have planned and managed the recruitment process and tuition benefits for PPS facility employees.

# **Building Skills for the Emerging Workforce**

- The TEF in collaboration with the Alfred University is offering a new course this fall, Master's Degree in Mental Health Counseling with Certificate of Advanced Study.
- Care Manager, Care Navigator, Outreach Specialist and Interdisciplinary Care Team trainings were developed and continues to be offered by the Population Health Department.
- Based on request, Care Plan Development is a new course underway.

## Population Health Department

- The Training and Employment Fund's Population Health Department is staffed fulltime by experts in training, education and change management, and supported by capable field and administrative staff.
- It is a new team with a deep bench made possible because of TEF program leadership (Directors and Assistant Directors) taking part in the extended DSRIP team.
- Services to PPSs include:
  - Evaluating workforce gaps and training needs
  - Vetting programs and vendors
  - Developing and delivering effective online and live courses
  - Managing redeployment through the Employment Center and the web-based HWApps platform
  - Using HWApps to assist in quarterly and impact reporting tracking training, spending, jobs and data
  - Providing advice and consultation to PPSs.





### DSRIP Skills Development Highlights

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#### 3.g.ii Integration of Palliative Care into Nursing Homes

- Palliative Care training with 8 modules
- For a start, over 2,300 employees have been trained

#### 2.b.vii Implementing transfer avoidance for SNFs

- At first, staff were trained in INTERACT
- Then 25 INTERACT Champions were trained

#### 3.a.i Integration of Primary Care & Behavioral Health

- Motivational Interviewing was offered to Ambulatory Care and Behavioral Health partners, classes quickly filled up
  - 50 Enrolled, new classes will be opened
- TEF has customized a Basic and Advanced Care Coordination Course for SI PPS, taking modules from the Care Coordination Fundamentals





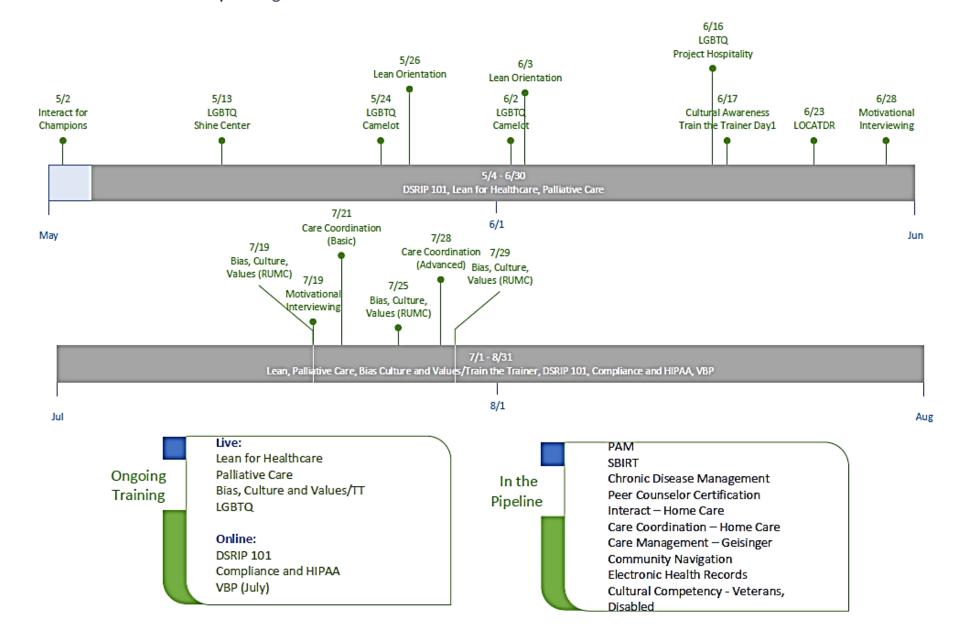
#### 2.a.iii Health Home At-Risk Intervention Program

- An SI CARES Health Coach Orientation day was designed and delivered collaboratively between TEF and Coordinated Behavioral Care
- Staff from CBC's network of Care Management agencies attended a Cultural Awareness Train-the-Trainer

# 4.b.ii Increase Access to High Quality Chronic Disease Preventative Care & Management

- Physician practices- doctors and staff completed DSRIP 101 online, SI PPS responding to partner demands, asked to create and partnered with TEF to deliver the final product
- Value-Based Payment online course, with Physicians as primary target audience
- Engaged in Lean for Healthcare

#### Staten Island PPS Scheduled Training Calendar May to August 2016







#### What Works?

- Strategic partnership with project directors, workgroups and partners at the facility level.
- Agility in using Plan-Do-Study-Act, Adopt or Adjust on short cycles.
- Willingness to be early experimenters and share their products.

#### What's Next?

- Providing additional support for partners on workforce hiring, redeployment and training through HWApps.
- Developing training formats that are scalable and sustainable.
- Implementing strategies to improve staff retention and create opportunities through career pathways, internships and education within the PPS.



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