



# Byrne State Crisis Intervention

Data Collection and Evaluation

August 27, 2025

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## WHAT WE WILL DISCUSS

- ◆ Why Evaluations are Important
- ◆ Local Evaluation Plan (LEP)
- ◆ Local Evaluation Report (LER)
- ◆ LEP Webinar

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## WHY ARE EVALUATIONS IMPORTANT?

Why are evaluations important to you?

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## WHY ARE EVALUATIONS IMPORTANT?

- ◆ Demonstrate the effectiveness of the project
- ◆ Provide accountability for the use of grant funds
- ◆ Add to the body of knowledge about the issue

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## WHY ARE QUALITY LEPs AND LERs IMPORTANT?

- ◆ Communicate effectiveness of funded projects
- ◆ A good evaluation starts with a good plan
- ◆ Having an evaluation plan is a ‘best practice’

## ABOUT OUTSIDE EVALUATORS

- ◆ **Benefits:**
  - ◆ Provide evaluation expertise
  - ◆ Can guide local evaluation throughout project
  - ◆ May improve evaluation objectivity
  - ◆ Additional resource for planning and data analysis
- ◆ If hiring an evaluator is a viable option for you,  
we encourage you to do so at the earliest stage possible!

## LOCAL EVALUATION PLAN

- ◆ Purpose: Ensure projects funded by the BSCC can be evaluated.
- ◆ Due by **December 31, 2025**

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## LOCAL EVALUATION REPORT

- ◆ Purpose: document progress towards achievement of goals.
- ◆ Based on the original Local Evaluation Plan.
- ◆ Due by **September 30, 2027**

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## LEP WEBINAR

- ◆ **Date: October 29, 2025**
  - ◆ Watch for an email with more details soon!
- ◆ Will cover details of what is required in your LEPs and will go over more resources we have for you
- ◆ Will include a Q&A period



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## Local Evaluation Plan and Report

## Questions?

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