

Futuro Health will expand statewide capacity to train healthcare workers for mental/behavioral occupations, incorporating stackable credentials and degree pathways that meet employer needs to support a diverse workforce. They will: 1) Develop a statewide consortium including unionized County Offices of Education to meet the growing mental/behavioral health needs of students; 2) Develop a cadre of national education providers to create mental/behavioral health pathways at multiple education and skill levels; and 3) Develop a statewide training plan that is ready for implementation.

TARGET POPULATION

Although this project will not directly serve learners and workers, it is a development initiative that will be the foundation of a proposal that will offer training to diverse adult learners based upon the pathway and workforce solutions produced by this grant.

PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS

- Develop a statewide training plan that is ready for implementation.
- Develop a cadre of national education providers to create behavioral and mental health pathways to meet workforce training needs at multiple education and skill levels.
- Develop a statewide consortium of unionized County Offices of Education who have expressed a need for a trained workforce to utilize within the school system to meet the growing behavioral and mental health needs of students.

KEY PARTNERS

- Humboldt County Office of Education
 - Orange County Office of Education
 - Fresno-Madera K-16 Collaborative
 - Cal Poly Humboldt
 - California State University, Long Beach
 - Kern Community College District
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