

Stakeholder Update

September 17, 2020

Hope Rising for Suicide Prevention event scheduled

You're invited to a free virtual summit on Saturday, September 26, 2020 from 10 am to 10 pm MTN.

Hope Rising is a global suicide prevention virtual summit for people impacted by suicide and those who are passionate about preventing it. This inspirational event will provide information, resources and opportunities for collaboration, that will enhance suicide prevention and wellness around the world. The event will feature over 100 amazing speakers of hope!

[Register for the event.](#)

COVID-19 survey available

The COVID-19 pandemic has changed the way healthcare, including parent peer support, is delivered. FREDLA has developed a brief survey to better understand the ways in which parent peer support has adapted to continue supporting families throughout the pandemic and to illuminate the challenges and benefits of these adaptations and innovations. [Take the survey.](#)

FREDLA offers scholarship

Diversity is central to FREDLA's mission of promoting leadership and organizational capacity of family-run organizations. In 2014, FREDLA established the **Diverse Family Leaders Scholarship** to lower financial barriers to professional development and highlight the accomplishments of distinguished family leaders from diverse racial and ethnic backgrounds.

In 2020, FREDLA is pleased to accept applications for **two \$500 Diverse Family Leaders Scholarships** to be used for professional development including: courses at colleges or universities or attendance at national conferences. A committee comprised of a cross section of ethnic and cultural groups will review all applications and select the final scholarship recipients.

[Click here](#) for eligibility requirements and application instructions.

Deadline for applications is September 25, 2020.

Free webinar alert!

The [University of Wyoming ECHO project](#) is hosting a free webinar titled Back-to-School Routines and Expectations set for today at 3:25 p.m. to 5 p.m. The webinar will feature Staci Horsley, M.Ed., BCBA who is an Autism/Behavior Specialist and Consultant. [Register for the webinar](#).

Parent/Caregiver Support Group available

You're invited to join us and other parents at the next Parent/Caregiver Support Group, set for September 23, 2020. We hope you can join us.

This free group provide a safe place for families and caregivers to talk through their struggles, their successes and to learn from one another. You don't have to be a member of High Fidelity Wraparound to attend these groups. We meet every Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

- Join online at: <https://magellanhealth.zoom.us/j/707619166>
- Join by phone at: 1-646-558-8656 (toll free) (meeting ID 707 619 166) (password is 181500)

These support groups are available to any caregiver, guardian, parent, grandparent, family member, etc. who would like more support!

We're accepting youth referrals

Do you know a young person age 4 to 20 who would benefit from additional support? Would it make a difference if they could be more successful at home, school and in their community?

Wyoming's High Fidelity Wraparound program can help if:

- A free program makes sense for the youth and their family.
- Additional mental health or behavior support is needed.
- Youth who currently are, or could be, Medicaid eligible.
- Youth is at risk for being placed out of their home in hospital or detention.

Youth and their care givers would benefit from having a team of support. Learn more by completing our [Referral Form](#) or visiting our [website](#).

Our program is growing

If you have ever wanted to help youth with complex mental health or behavioral health concerns, you can become a provider by visiting our [Become a Provider](#) page. We are always looking for more experienced and caring people to join forces with us to meet the needs of youth across Wyoming. Do you know anyone who would be great at this? Refer them to work with us.

What is High Fidelity Wraparound?

The Wyoming Department of Health, Division of Healthcare Financing has contracted with Magellan Healthcare to be the Care Management Entity for Wyoming's High Fidelity Wraparound program.

Wyoming's High Fidelity Wraparound is an intensive voluntary care coordination process for youth aged 4 to 20 risking placement out of their home and community due to complex behavioral issues. High Fidelity Wraparound helps families and caregivers build support that meet their needs. The program allows young people to benefit from mental and physical healthcare along with other interventions in their own communities while remaining safely at home, in school and out of trouble. Learn more about the [High Fidelity Wraparound process](#).

What are the benefits of High Fidelity Wraparound?

Wyoming's High Fidelity Wraparound program has resulted in numerous successes over the past four years. We've prepared an infographic that highlights the benefits families involved in High Fidelity Wraparound have seen. Check out our [successes](#).