



Crisis Care Continuum


PEER LEARNING SITE VISIT DEBRIEF

JANUARY 26, 2023


COLLEEN CLARK-BERNHARDT, CJC COORDINATOR

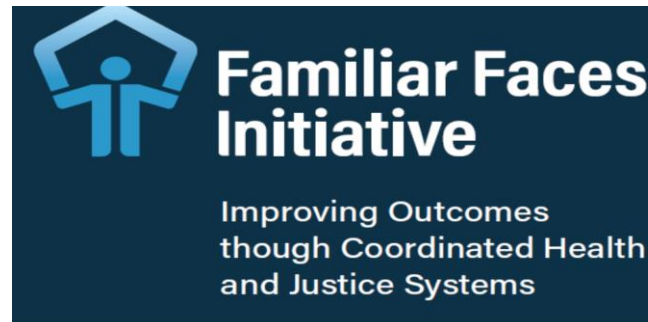
Gaining understanding through peer visits

Familiar Faces Initiative (NACO)

- ▶ PIMA County, AZ
- ▶ Lucas County, OH 
- ▶ Bexar County, TX
- ▶ Nationally funded for CJC Chair and CJC Coordinator
- ▶ Next stop: Johnson County, KS

CJC-Behavioral Health

- ▶ Douglas County, KS 
- ▶ County funded peer site visit



Douglas County, KS

Lawrence is the county seat of Douglas County, Kansas, United States, and the sixth-largest city in the state. It is in the northeastern sector of the state, astride Interstate 70, between the Kansas and Wakarusa Rivers. As of the 2020 census, the population of the city was 94,934

Colleen Clark Bernhardt, CJC
Coordinator

Todd Campbell, DHS Behavioral
Health Division Administrator

Carrie Simon, DHS Behavioral
Health Community Services
Manager

Liz Duffie, DHS Behavioral Health
Specialist

Casey Becker, DHS Housing
Access and Affordability Division
Administrator



Creating a crisis care continuum of services

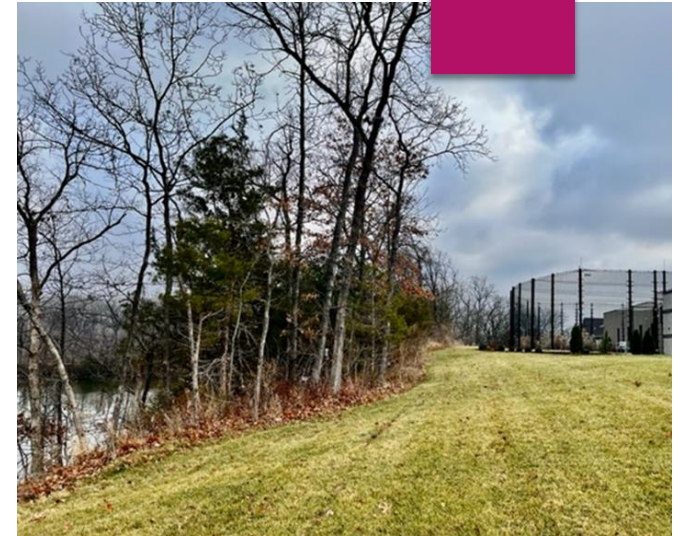
Behavioral Health Campus

- Crisis Center
- Transitional Housing
- Cottages

- ▶ The Treatment & Recovery Center will serve adults and children with serious mental illness, substance use disorders and addiction issues 24 hours a day, seven days a week. The approximately 10,000-square-foot center will provide medical care and behavioral health treatment services through an access center, 23-hour observation unit, and stabilization unit.
- ▶ **Access center.** This is where anyone can walk through the front door and receive assistance. They will get an initial assessment and then be triaged for treatment and further evaluation. The access center will be open 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. weekdays and then eight hours on weekends.
- ▶ **23-hour observation unit.** This is where behavioral health professionals will attempt to calm and stabilize patients while also working on a treatment and recovery plan.
- ▶ **Stabilization unit.** This is where patients will be able to recover for a couple of days while receiving a treatment and recovery plan.
- ▶ Staff will include: mental health professionals, peer support specialists, behavioral health technicians, licensed addiction staff, case managers and psychiatric professionals.

Behavioral Health Campus

Lawrence, KS



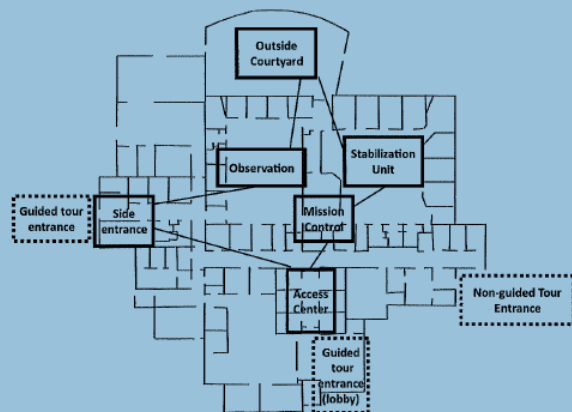


To sign up for another public tour date, scan this QR code:



signupgenius.com/go/5080B44AAAF2EAAF49-treatment

Today's tours will highlight the following key areas:



Have a question about the TRC? Contact Sarah Robertson sarah.robertson@trcdgks.org

1000 W. SECOND STREET
LAWRENCE, KS 66044
www.trcdgks.org

Floor Plan— Treatment and Recovery Center, Douglas County, KS

Wins/Challenges



Wins:

Human centered design with security features built into architecture

In at cost during COVID 19—10.4 M blended funding

Community authorized tax for project/operating expenses

Challenges:

State was unprepared for county initiative

Contract negotiations delay opening of center

Hopefully for Spring 2023 opening



Bexar County, TX

CJC CHAIR ESQUEDA

CJC COORDINATOR
CLARK BERNHARDT

JANUARY 9-11, 2023

Bexar County, TX

► Bexar County is a county in the U.S. state of Texas. It is in South Texas and its county seat is San Antonio. As of the 2020 census, the population was 2,009,324. Bexar County is included in the San Antonio–New Braunfels, TX metropolitan statistical area.

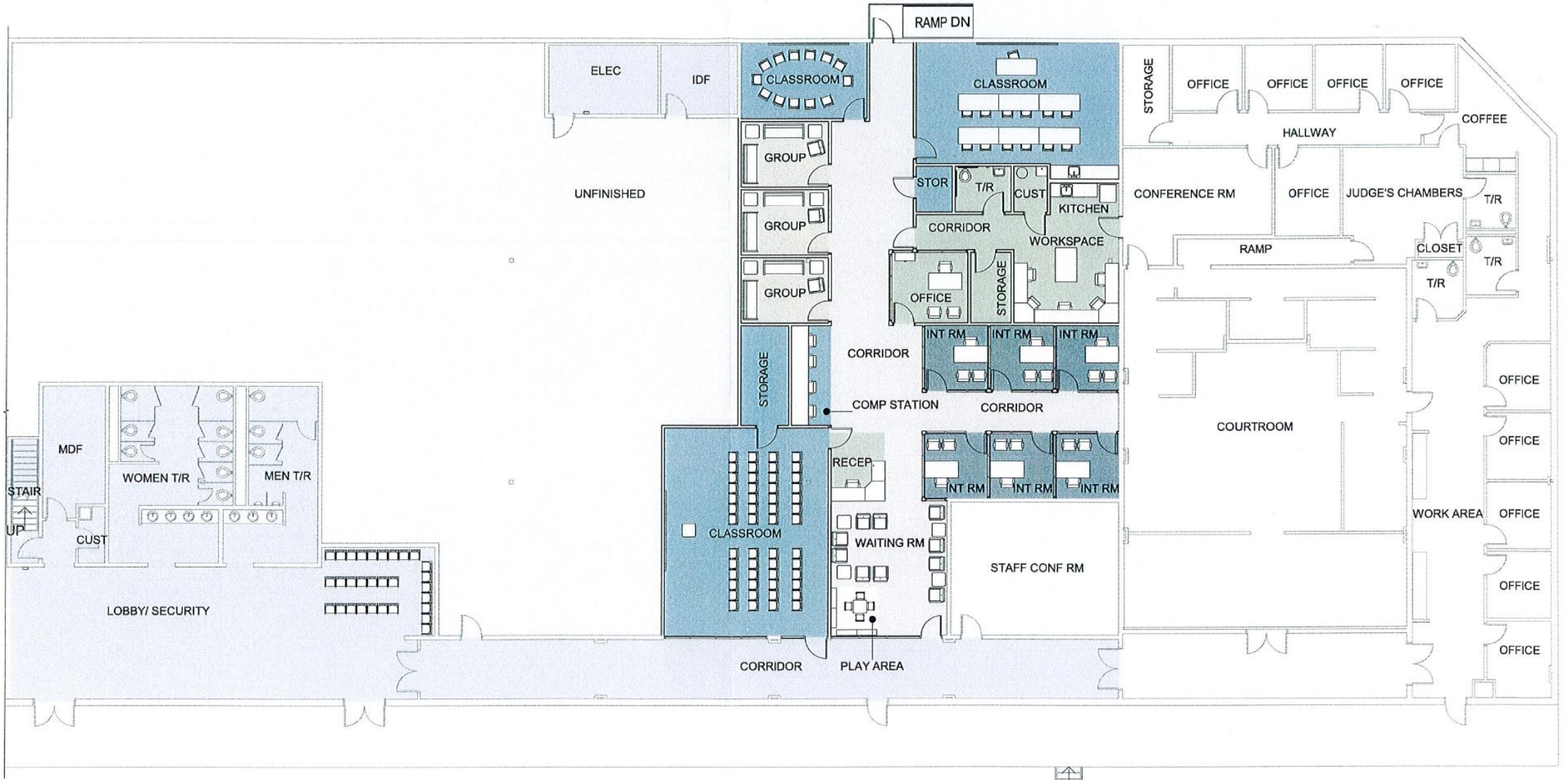


Site visits: Haven for Hope, JIAA and booking area, Re-entry/pretrial space


- ▶ **Haven for Hope**
<https://www.havenforhope.org/>
- ▶ The blueprint for Haven for Hope, which would help individuals and families identify the root causes of their homelessness and then provide them with all of the resources they need on a “one-stop” campus to get back to independent, productive and happy lives.
- ▶ Private funder, city and county funds (60 percent foundation, 40 percent government)
- ▶ **Justice Intake and Assessment;**
<https://www.bexar.org/3075/Justice-Intake-Assessment-Annex>
- ▶ 24/7 within Jail
- ▶ **Pretrial Services:**
<https://www.bexar.org/3086/Pretrial-Services>
- ▶ Multiple office sites including within jail holding area. Census down due to State Constitution change--


Pretrial, Re-entry, and Specialty Court


- ▶ Re-entry services for those leaving jail or prison, or past residents of incarceration that need assistance.
- ▶ Job readiness, NA, AA, Spiritual meetings, connections to necessary documents (ID, social security, insurance, etc).
- ▶ Specialty court down the hall from pretrial and re-entry. Judge designed courtroom for lighter space, more collective work, and light wood throughout.
- ▶ ***“The Reentry Center helps you connect to a variety of services, including educational resources, job assistance, and mental and physical health resources.”***
- ▶ Re-entry Center of Bexar County
<https://www.bexar.org/3513/Available-Services>



Southwest Texas Regional Advisory Council (STRAC)

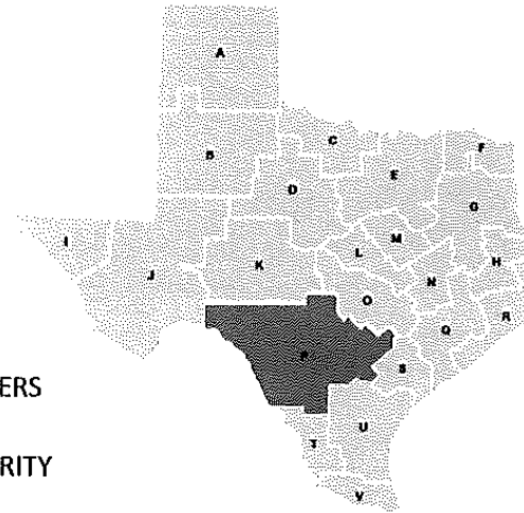
 22 COUNTIES
26,000 SQUARE MILES


 2.4M PEOPLE

 71 EMS AGENCIES

 4 AIR MEDICAL PROVIDERS

 PUBLIC HEALTH AUTHORITY




 63 HOSPITALS

 2 LVL I TRAUMA CENTERS

 16 CARDIAC CENTERS

 17 STROKE CENTERS

 BEHAVIORAL HEALTH



Questions?