



COMPLEX CASE CONSULTATION

When do I ask for a consult?

A client or consumer continues to experience behavioral health symptoms despite multiple interventions

Usual and customary services and referrals have been attempted but have not been effective

A team member needs direction on how to proceed

Who qualifies for a consult?

Adult clients over 60 years old and/or anyone over 18 years old and physically disabled

A Resident of Jackson County

What happens when I refer?

Collection of basic information about the situation

Review of current status and previous interventions

Assistance in identifying and connecting with additional resources that may be available

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

The Older Adult Behavioral Health Specialist is available to provide **FREE** onsite training for your staff.

From a variety of older adult issues such as **dementia, the aging brain, and geriatric substance abuse** to behavioral health topics like **depression, anxiety and schizophrenia.**

The Specialist is available for quick 15 minute staff meetings or multi-hour in-service, simply call and describe the needs of your agency.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Throughout the year, The Specialist coordinates and plans many different events in the community. If you would like to hear about upcoming conferences, seminars and informational talks, please contact Sean Connolly at the number or email provided.

OLDER ADULT BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INITIATIVE

GOAL

The older adult behavioral health initiative strengthens services for older adults and people with disabilities in communities across Oregon. It does this by increasing collaboration and coordination among the agencies that serve this population, and by making sure that the people who care for them are well trained.

With the ever increasing population of seniors in Jackson County, it is more and more important to have people and agencies who are well versed in the goals and needs of that population.

CONNECT WITH THE SPECIALIST

Sean Connolly, MA, is one of 25 Older Adult Behavioral Health Specialists across the State of Oregon. To schedule a training at your agency or to consult on complex cases, call:

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