

RADAR Navigator Program

Serving the cities of Shoreline, Kenmore, Lake Forest Park, Bothell and Kirkland



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Goals

- Share information to promote officer and community safety and reduce use of force incidents involving people with behavioral health conditions
- Improve outcomes by providing crisis de-escalation and referral to the community of care
- Reduce reliance on the 911 and crisis systems

Response Awareness De-escalation and Referral

Subject Name: _____

Address: _____

(Add communications/dispatch summary here) (Add associated vehicles)

SAFETY WARNINGS / HAZARDS: (aggressive toward police, guns in house, e.g.)

Photo

DE-ESCALATION Suggestions

TRIGGERS TO AVOID: (father, sibling, e.g.) (Could be called does and don'ts)

HOUSING: (lives with mom, lives alone, e.g.)

USEFUL CONTACTS: (Counselor, parents, e.g.)

Name: _____ Contact Info: _____

MOST RECENT CONTACTS / FOLLOW-UP: (This will auto populate for New World on Mobile and could be removed)

NAVIGATOR RECOMMENDATIONS:

Evolution of the Program

Information exchange within KCSO



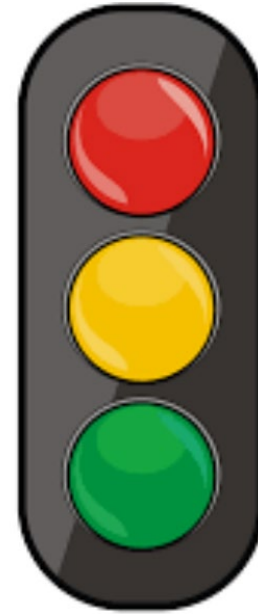
Contracted Navigator



Expansion to neighboring jurisdictions



Current status: 4+ contracted MHP Navigators doing crisis de-escalation and follow-up across North King County



Funding

- Initial grant from King County Sheriff's Office and Department of Justice
- MIDD funding to expand to all five cities
- Trueblood grant through Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs
- Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Assistance Grant

The vision of full implementation

- Hybrid of co-response and community response
- MHP Navigators available 7 days/ week at peak hours to respond across all five cities (with evolution to 24/7)
- Fleet vehicles allow independent and proactive response when appropriate
- Navigators on radio
- Response Plans accessible across jurisdictions

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