

Nebraska Mental Health **POLICY COALITION**



National Alliance on Mental Illness



**Nebraska
Cures**

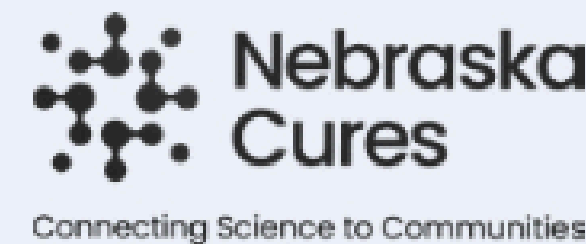
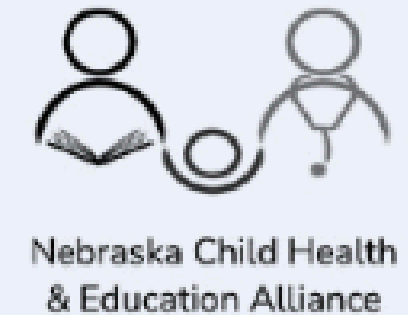
Origins

- Nonprofit advocacy updates began in 2023 session
- 2024 assessment of policy needs

Actions

- Mental Health Statewide Research Study
- Nebraska Mental Health Policy Convening Oct. 29

- Dignity Health Collective
- Lin and Mike Simmonds Endowment for Innovations in Mental Health
- Lozier Foundation
- NAMI Nebraska
- Nebraska Association of Behavioral Health Organizations
- Nebraska Child Health & Education Alliance
- Nebraska Cures
- Omaha Community Foundation
- The Sherwood Foundation
- Weitz Family Foundation



Mental Health Policy Convening

- Over 110 attendees
- Rural Policy Partners - Legislative Mental Health Care Capacity Strategic Planning Committee
- Brainstormed policy ideas
- Uses AI to synthesize top 20 ideas
- Voted on top three
- 5 priorities emerged



Mental Health Policy Convening

- **Implement Mental Health Courts Statewide**
- **Increase Reimbursement Rates**
- **Expand Integrative Care Models**
- **Reduce Licensing Barriers**
- **Increase Access to Youth Mental Health Providers in Schools**

Mental Health Statewide Research Study

- Will start in full force after the new year
- How you can help

Activity

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