

A Blueprint for a National Prevention Infrastructure for Mental, Emotional, and Behavioral Disorders: A Report Dissemination Workshop

AGENDA

June 27, 2025 | 10:00am – 5:00pm ET

Objectives:

- Share and reflect on report's key messages
- Explore opportunities for forward momentum in prevention of mental, emotional, and behavioral disorders and for the promotion of MEB well-being along the lifespan

10:00am Welcome

Marthe Gold, New York Academy of Medicine, former committee co-chair (virtual)
Margaret Kuklinski, University of Washington, former committee member

10:15am From the Report's Sponsors

Nora Volkow, National Institute on Drug Abuse, National Institutes of Health (virtual)
Greta Massetti, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (virtual)

Q&A/Discussion

11:15am Break

11:30am The state of the knowledge and data

(Description: WHAT do we know, need to know: briefly highlight key data points from the report, any recent updates, and the evidence outlined in the report and any emerging new knowledge)

Moderators: **Rinad Beidas**, Northwestern University **and Lisa Saldana**, Lighthouse Institute, Chestnut Health Systems (both former committee members; virtual)

Speakers:

Philip Graham, RTI

Brian K. Bumbarger, ADAPT – Washington/Baltimore HIDTA

Q&A/Discussion

12:45pm	Lunch (3rd floor atrium cafeteria)
1:45pm	Importance of implementing the Blueprint (reaching people and economic value) <i>(Description: WHY? We need to reach the American people with effective programs and policies to prevent trajectories toward MEB disorders and improve people's lives and the lives of communities; also, there are economic arguments for the value of this work)</i>
	Moderator: Sebastian Tong , University of Washington (National Academy of Medicine Puffer/American Board of Family Medicine fellow with the committee)
	Speakers: Nathaniel Counts , Kennedy Forum (virtual) Mary Giliberti , Mental Health America
	Discussant: Tamar Mendelson , Johns Hopkins University (virtual)
	Q&A/Discussion
3:00pm	Break
3:15pm	Opportunities for MEB Prevention <i>(Description: HOW - Opportunities and exemplars; Some states and localities are making progress; How does their work get supported, spread, and scaled?)</i>
	Moderator: Camille Cioffi , University of Oregon, Oregon Research Institute (former committee member; virtual)
	Speakers: Jessica Pollard , National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors (virtual) Sarah Mariani , Washington State Health Care Authority (virtual) Janet Welsh , Pennsylvania State University
	Q&A/Discussion
4:45pm	Closing Discussion and Remarks Former committee members
5:00pm	Adjourn