

Frequent Users Systems Engagement (FUSE) – Portland/Multnomah County

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Corporation for Supportive Housing (CSH), Health Share of Oregon,
Joint Office on Homeless Services (JOHS), Local Public Safety Coordinating Council (LPSCC),
Multnomah County Sheriff's Office (MCSO)



Agenda

Overview

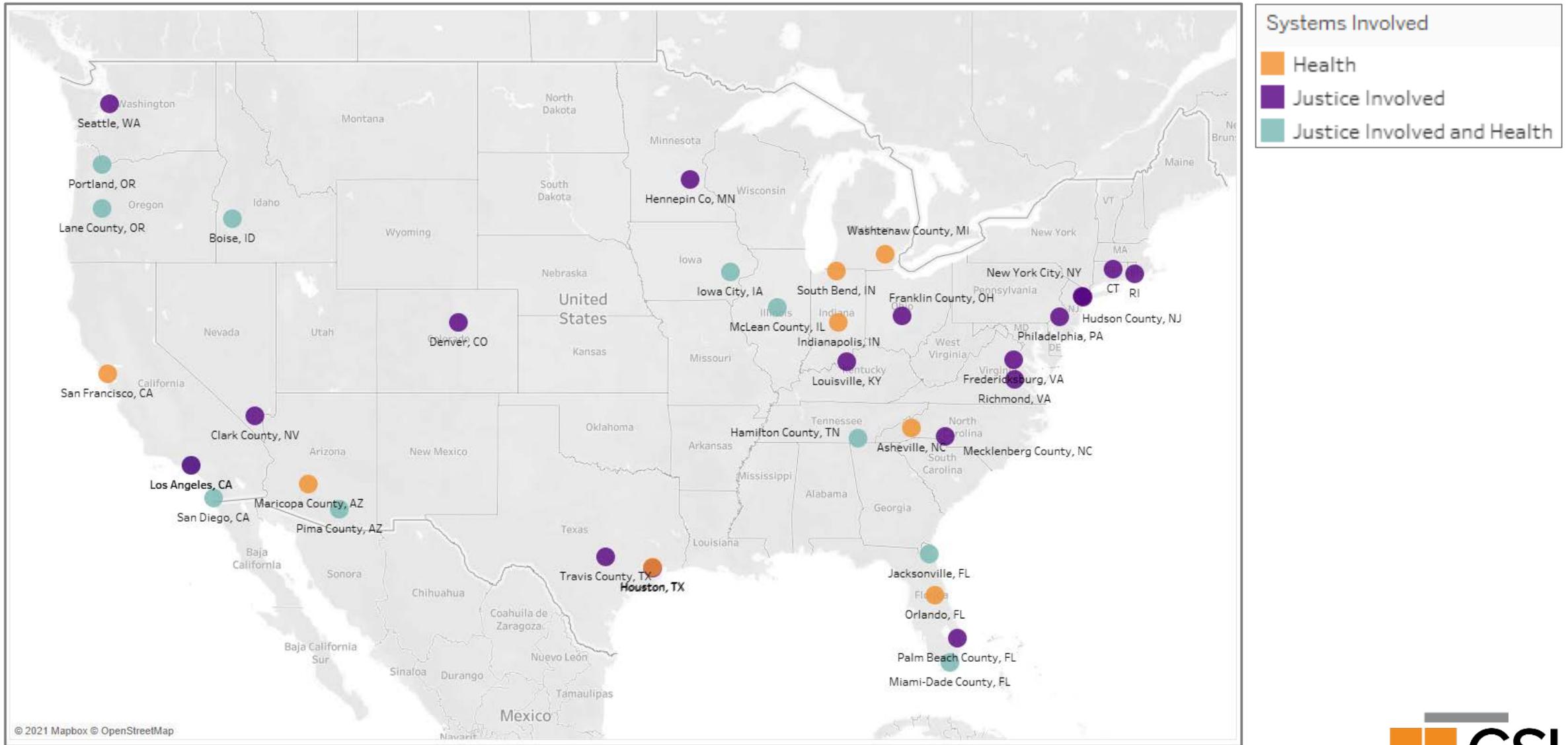
Between Sectors
Data Highlights

Among Sectors
Racial Disparities &
Equity
Community
Engagement

Linking Sectors
Moving Forward

Discussion and
Q&A

CSH & FUSE in the National Context



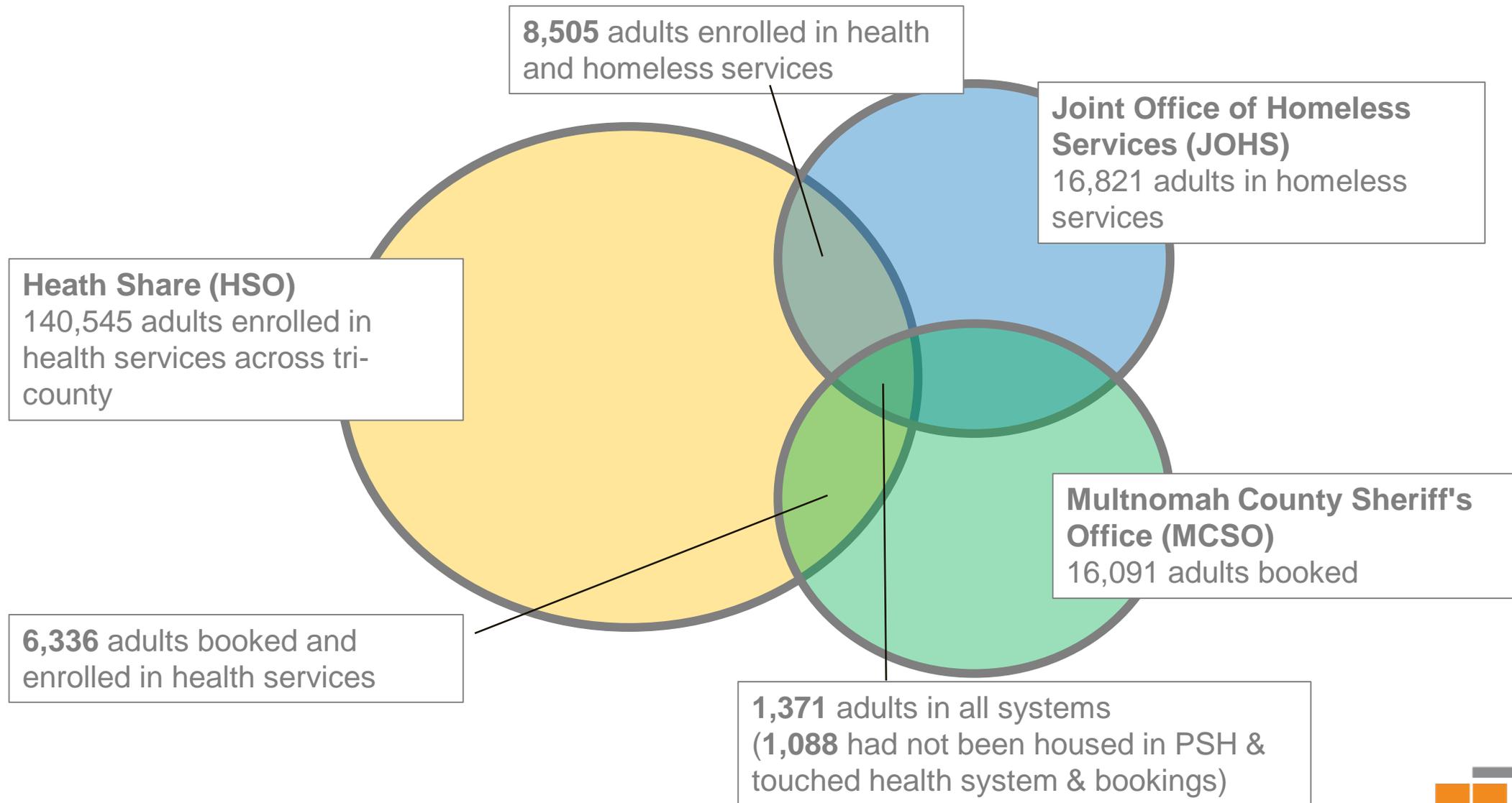
Accomplishments

- Data integration across sectors, shows evidence of crossover & disparities
- Of 65+ data reports reviewed by CSH, this is the best
- Relationship building & systems learning
- It's not a final report; it's a springboard for further learning and evaluation
- Moving forward:
 - LPSCC Transforming Justice Initiative
 - The Regional Supportive Housing Impact Fund
 - Health Share's Community Health Improvement Plan
 - Metro's Supportive Housing Services Program

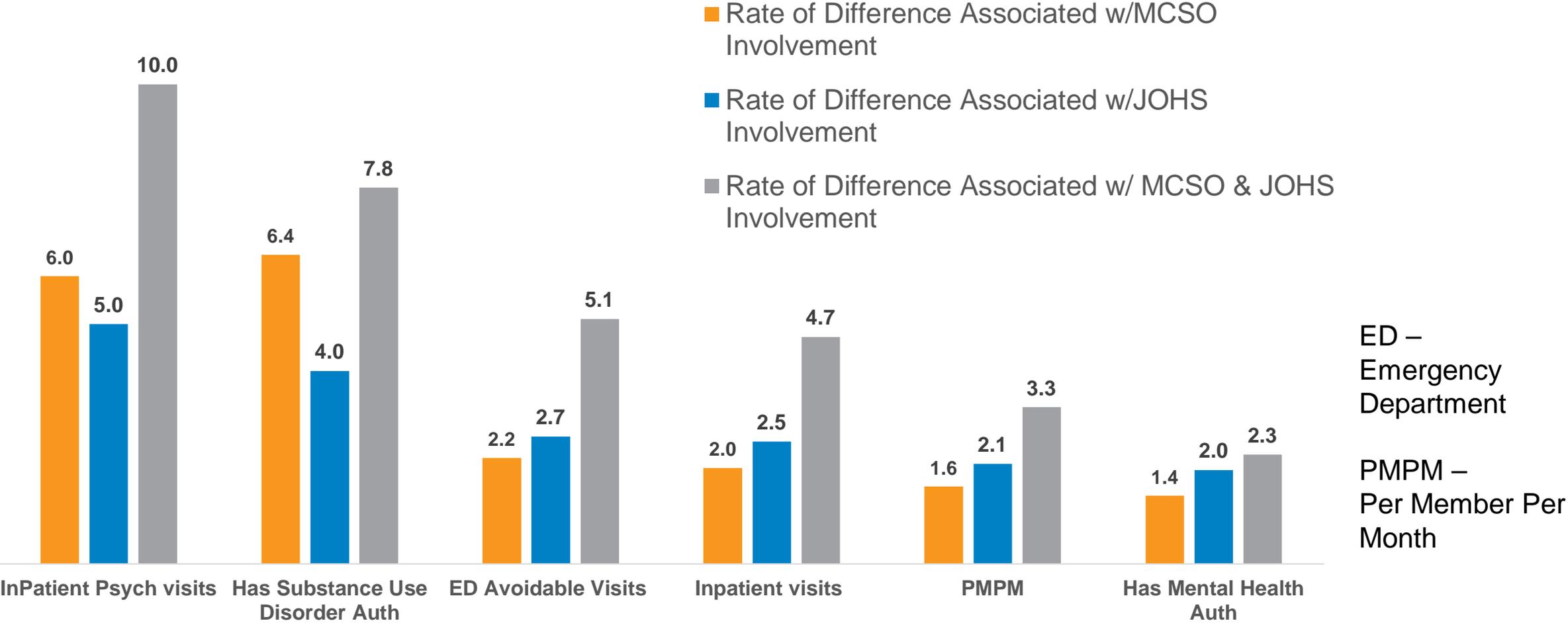
Between Sectors

Cross Systems Data and Analyses

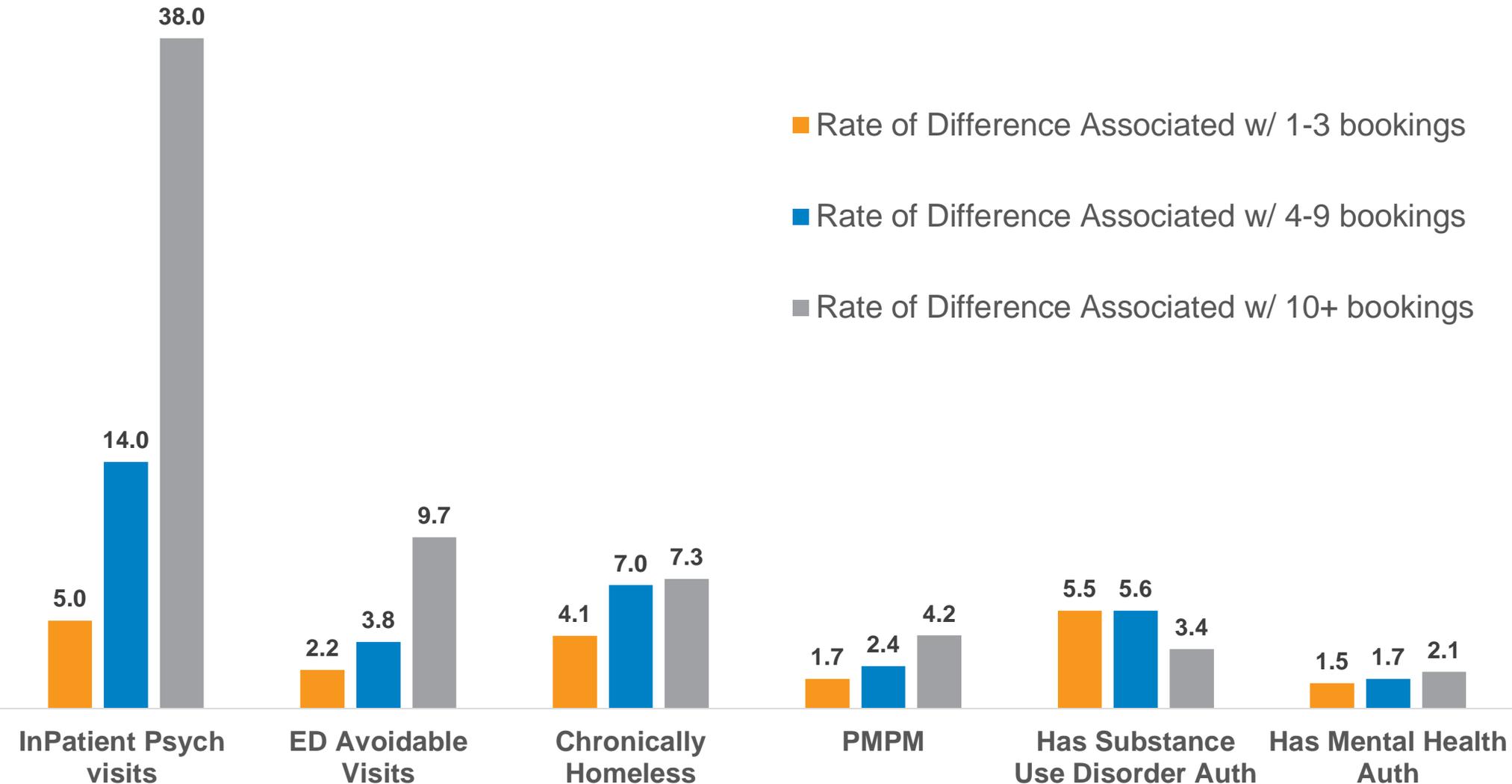
System Crossover – 2018 Data



Impact of Tri-System Involvement

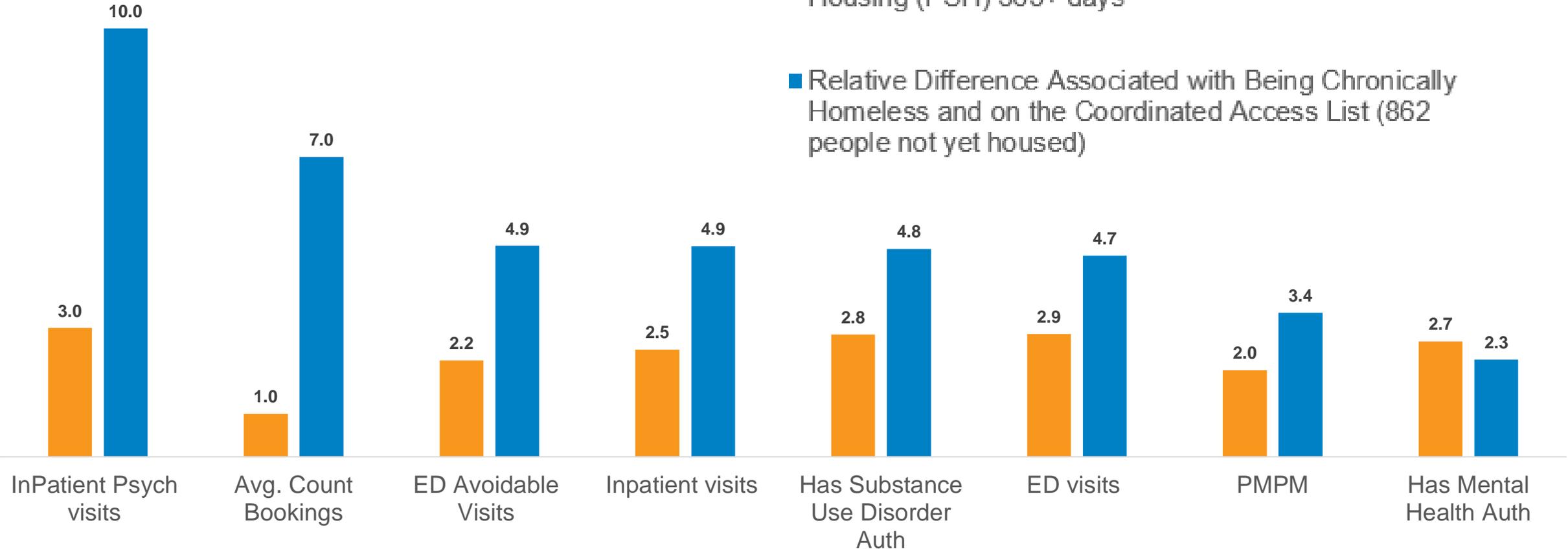


Impact of Health System + Bookings

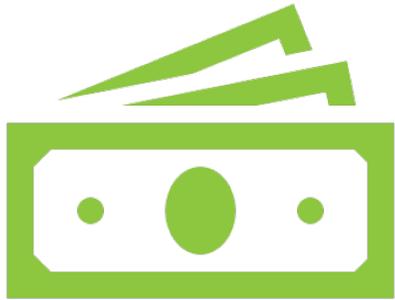


Impact of Health System + Supportive Housing

- Relative Difference Associated with Being Chronically Homeless at Entry and housed in Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) 365+ days
- Relative Difference Associated with Being Chronically Homeless and on the Coordinated Access List (862 people not yet housed)



Supportive Housing is the Pivot Point



\$3.6M in Medicaid Savings in 2018 if **862** people who were houseless **were housed**

People experiencing chronic homelessness (housed in PSH 365+ days)

\$10,188 Total Costs per Member in 2018

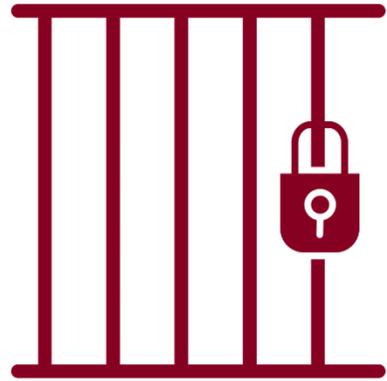


\$4,146 Total Savings per Member in 2018

People experiencing chronic homelessness (862 people not yet housed)

\$14,335 Total Costs per Member in 2018

With Supportive Housing...



Over **400**
fewer
jail bookings



Over **50**
fewer inpatient
psychiatric
stays

With Supportive Housing...



Over **17,000**
fewer
Emergency
Department
(ED) visits



Over **5,000**
fewer
Avoidable
ED visits



Over **200 fewer**
Hospitalizations

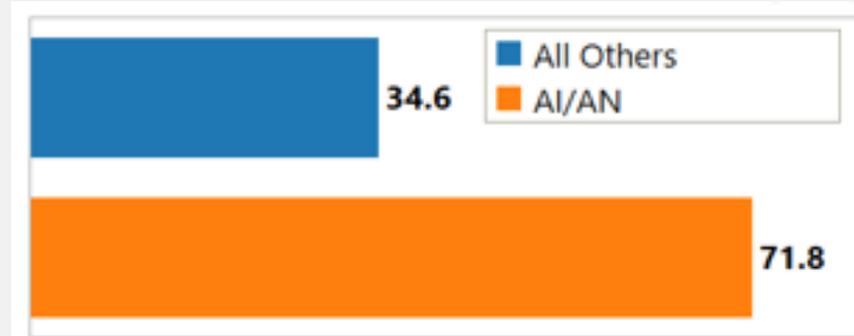
Among Sectors

Racial Disparities & Community Engagement

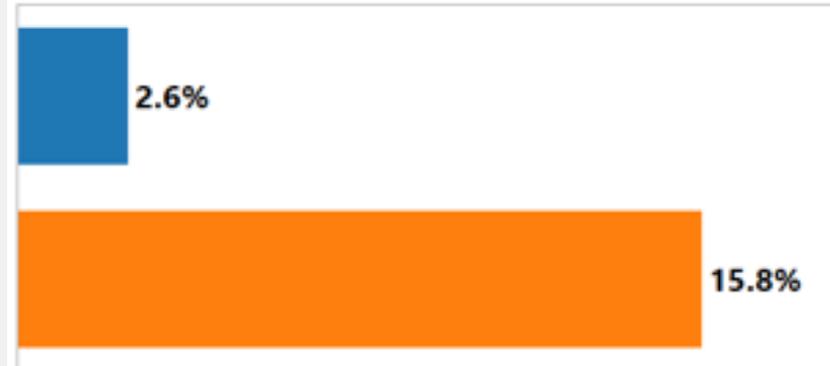
Racial Disparities Observed Across Communities

- Greatest disparities for people identifying as American Indian or Alaska Native
- Higher and lower rates can mean different things; community discussions lead to better understanding.

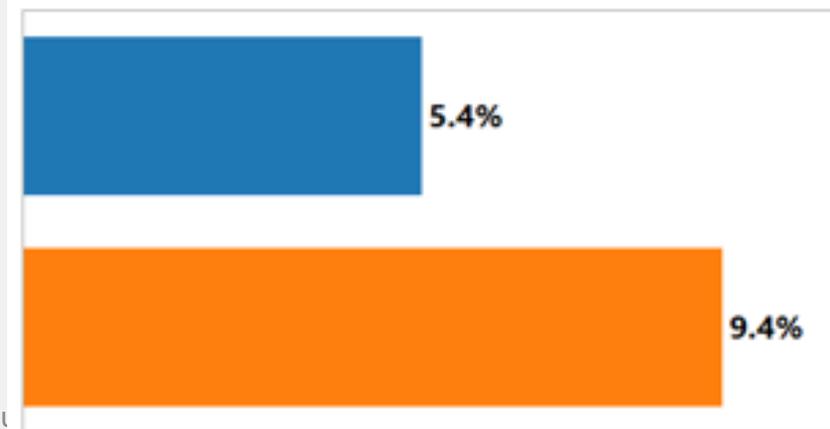
Avoidable ED
Visit Rate



Percent
Chronically
Homeless



Percent Booked
1+ Times



Community Engagement – Environmental Scan

- Community Engagement is also siloed
- Systems acknowledge that community voice needs to be elevated and supported at decision-making tables
- Housing with services were identified within each systems

Linking Sectors

Moving Forward

Next Steps

- Continued Work on Data Integration
- Other Systems Commitments
- Systems Change – within systems and cross sector
- Moving Forward with Long Term Solutions



QUESTIONS AND DISCUSSION