## Examples of Organization-Wide Implementation Universal Implementation

## **Person-Centered Practices**

- Revisions to Organizational Mission/Vision Statements
- Changing Documents and Reports
  - Edits of Language to Be More Person-Centered
  - Paperwork/Documents Reflect "Important To/For"
  - Shortening Length of Reports or Making Documents User-Friendly
  - Implementing and Actively Using PCT Tools in Meetings
    - Using "What Works/Doesn't Work" and "4 + 1" during Meetings to problem solve
    - Referring to PCT Tools Used in Problem Solving
- Creating Person-Centered Descriptions (e.g., What's Important To/For) for all People Receiving Supports
  - Action Plans for Each Person Receiving Supports
- Ensuring All Case Managers (or Other Staff) Attend 2-day PCT training
- Calendar of Events for Sharing of PCT Tools and Increasing Awareness
  - "Tool of the Month used in meetings
- Dedicating Time to Discuss Person-Centered Thinking in Meetings:
  - Case Manager/Social Worker Meetings
  - Organization-Wide Team
  - o All Staff
- The "Installment" and Website Related Communications
- PCT Training for Supervisors (led by Coaches)
- Placing PCT Tools on Server for easy access by Supervisors/Trainers/Coaches

## Positive Behavior Support

- Revisions to Organizational Mission/Vision Statements
- Posters and Visual Prompts Encouraging Social Interactions From Matrix
- People Identified to be PBS Facilitators:
  - Within Organization, or
  - Supporting the Region
- PBS Facilitators Bring Introductory PBS to Team to Share Ideas and Information
  - o Training and Supports for All Staff Members in Universal PBS
  - PBS Awareness Presentations for Families, Community
  - Reflect How Culture Influences How We Respond to Negative Interactions (Behaviors We Refer to as "Problematic")
- Calendar Reminding Everyone of the "Positive Social Interactions of the Month" (Linked to Matrix)
- Use of the Universal Quality of Life Checklist within Homes, Employment, and on an Individual Basis

- Dedicating Positive Behavior Support Time in Meetings (Group Consensus and Action Planning, Increasing Awareness of Positive Social Interactions):
  - Social Worker Meetings
  - Organization-Wide Team
  - o All Staff
  - Case Manager Meetings
- Implementing the PBS Matrix
  - With People We Support Directly Involved in Process
  - Within Meetings in Our Organizations
- Introducing Positive Social Interactions Using Skits and Activities During Meetings
  - Plan for Introducing New Staff to PBS in Orientation
    - o Tailored Information About Matrix in Areas Where Staff Members Will Work
- Direct Observation of Meetings to Increase Awareness of:
  - Person-Centered and Positive Behaviors
  - Mindfulness and Awareness of Our Language & Actions

## **Organizational Workforce/Design**

- Regular Review of Policies, Practices, and Resources (Including Staff Training and Recognition) for Alignment with
  - Person-Centered Practices and PBS
  - o Culturally Competent Language and Approaches
  - Other Positive Supports
- Use of Online Instruction and Competency-Based Training (College of Direct Support or Other Training Systems) That:
  - Introduce Key Concepts of PBS and Person-Centered Thinking
  - Include Tailored Information Related to the Organization's Efforts
- Integrating Person-Centered Approaches and Tools in Staff Orientation Training
- Revise Job Descriptions to Reflect Skills/Mastery of Person-Centered Practices and PBS
- Establish Matching Strategies for Staff and People Receiving Support (PCT Tool, Other Approaches)
- Incorporate Practices Into Staff Performance and Evaluation Reviews:
  - Use of PCT Tools (What's Working/Not Working)
  - Progress UsIng Prevention-Focused Skills Related to PBS (Based on Observations, Participation in Planning Matrix, Review of Incidents Staff Member Was Involved in Over the Year)
- Team Action Planning Based On:
  - Review of Staff Climate/Satisfaction
  - People Supported/Families
- Data-Based Decision Making Using:
  - Tenure/Retention/Vacancy
  - o Climate
  - Incidents/Injuries/etc.
  - Worker's Compensation
  - o Quality of Life

- Annual Review of Organizational Progress & Identification of Problems Related to:
  - Staff Competence (MH Practitioner, Case Manager, Direct Support Staff, Front Line Supervisor, Other)
  - Difficulty Recruiting (Vacancies)
  - Early Turnover
- Strategies for Sharing Information/Data and Celebrating Success
  - Person-Centered Practices
  - Positive Behavior Support
  - Organizational Development
- Establishing Systems for Ease of Data-Based Decision Making (Developing Electronic Database for Gathering Information About Retention/Tenure, etc.).
- Create Strategies for Celebrating and Learning About Diversity Within Organization
- Establish Plan for Recruitment of Diverse Populations
- Create Strategies for Evaluating Issues Related to Diversity:
  - Monitor Patterns Related to Hiring Staff
  - Use Data-Based Decision Making to Monitor Incident Report Patterns and Disproportionality
- Include Cultural Assessment as Part of Planning Processes with People Supported
- Identify Languages Commonly Used by People Supported, Staff, & Community
- Access to Linguistically Appropriate Resources (Interpreters, Alternative Formats, Video)