



Ohio Program for Campus Safety and Mental Health

Campus-Community Collaborative Grant

Grantee One Page Summary

CENTRAL STATE UNIVERSITY

The purpose of these grants is to promote collaboration between college/university and community stakeholders to develop programming to prevent suicide, promote mental health and reduce stigma about mental illness or its treatment on campus.

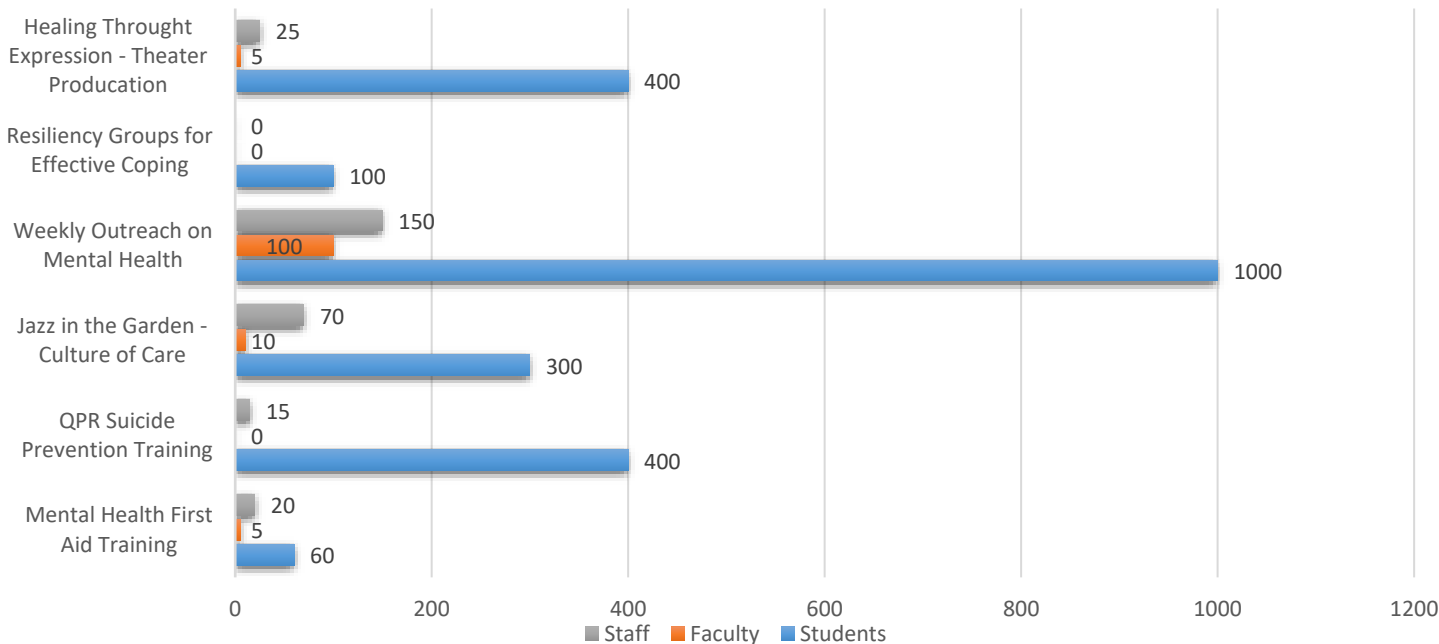
PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The key collaborators are Central State University, Wilberforce University, and NAMI on Campus. Central State University Counseling Services has partnered with Wilberforce University to sponsor 3 intern students who are working towards a master’s degree in counseling, to become Mental Health Advocates (MHAs). The interns will receive QPR, TIC, and MHFA trainings. The students will be expected to organize a collaborative mental health awareness event for CSU students and Wilberforce University students. We will also work with them to establish a NAMI Chapter on their campus. In addition to the three Wilberforce students, CSU has one CSU Social Work Field Practice intern. All four students will work collaboratively to promote mental health awareness programs and activities. Counseling Services is also working with a Google specialist to develop a mental health awareness portal. An advocate will be assigned to monitor and add to the portal. The portal will be accessible and will have resource information to be accessed

OUTCOMES

The MHA provided monthly mental health awareness related activities and weekly outreach. Due to these efforts, the service delivery for Counseling Services increased 20%.

Attendance for below activities



Challenge

Counseling Services did experience a reduction in staffing and the impact of students accessing services resulted in difficulty with requisition of the funds.