

# Nebraska

## Disaster Behavioral Health Newsletter



## NEBRASKA STRONG RECOVERY PROJECT

### Nebraska Strong Recovery Project Awarded \$2.2 Million for Disaster Survivor and Community Recovery

In August 2019, the Regular Services Program funding from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (**FEMA**)—through an interagency partnership with the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (**SAMHSA**)—awarded **\$2,234,602** to the **State of Nebraska** to help recovery in those communities most impacted by flooding. The federal grant runs through May 17, 2020, through the one-year anniversary of the floods.



To date, crisis counselors have had **12,417** face-to-face meetings with Nebraskans, distributed **23,000** pieces of recovery materials, and are continually sending **40+** outreach workers to communities around **28** Nebraska counties.

For more information, visit the [NE Strong Facebook page](#), or you can find Nebraska Strong project resources on the [Nebraska Disaster Mental Health Website](#).

See news coverage of the Nebraska Strong Recovery Project on [The Kearney Hub](#), [The Fremont Tribune](#), [10/11 News](#), and [KETV7 News](#).

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## Federal Disaster Behavioral Health Resources

A number of disaster behavioral health resources are available online from the Technical Resources, Assistance Center, and Information Exchange (TRACIE) which is part of the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness in the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. They can be accessed on the [TRACIE Healthcare Emergency Preparedness Information Gateway](#).

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## Upcoming Events

### **School Threat Assessment Team – Threat Management Intervention Strategies**

**September 18, 2019 in La Vista, NE**

[Click here](#) to register or for more information

### **Substance Use, Mental Disorder & Threat Assessment: Evolving Community Standards - featuring Dr. Reid Meloy**

**October 8-9, 2019 - Lincoln NE**

[Click here](#) to register or for more information

### **School Threat Assessment Team Training – Level 1**

**September 24-25, 2019 - Hastings, NE**

[Click here](#) to register or for more information

**September 30-October 1, 2019 - Grand Island, NE**

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**October 15-16, 2019 - Sidney, NE**

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**October 29-30, 2019 - Grand Island, NE**

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### **School Threat Assessment Team Training – Communication and Threat**

**October 31, 2019 - Grand Island, NE**

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If you would like us to publicize your disaster behavioral health related event, please email [shoffman3@unl.edu](mailto:shoffman3@unl.edu) by **December 3, 2019**.

### **Have Questions?**

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