

IMPACT 2020

NAMI-Greater Houston

# **NAMI**

# Envented of Constant 2020 – Impact Report

# **NAMI-GH PROGRAM IMPACT 2020**

## **EDUCATION**



Education

Program Graduates

Education **Programs** 

## **ADVOCACY**



**Presentations** 

Presentation **Attendees** 

\*Does not include social media reach

## **CRIMINAL JUSTICE**



Peer sessions

**Attendees** 

# **SUPPORT**



Support groups

Support group person-sessions

## HANDS ON THE DECK



**Program leaders** & volunteers

**SEA Center Volunteers** 

SEA **CENTER** 



Our SEA Center received

1872

Incoming calls & emails

And responded with

2491

Call backs and emails

And additionally, sent out

8204

Care Outreach calls and emails

Our research shows that



~70% of our participants have had one or more emergency psychiatric hospitalizations for themselves or their loved ones

#### **OUR 2020 JOURNEY: NEW INITIATIVES AND INNOVATIONS**

Health

Crisis

Civic

unrest

2020

COVID

#### The Year 2020

What began as just another year, brought many challenges and compelled us to innovate our offerings and design new pathways to offer support!

#### **Care Outreach**

Expanded SEA Center operations and rolled out care survey to reach out to 1000+ NAMI alumni, community outreach, our members and volunteers & extended NAMI community to reach 8200 people.

#### **Learning Communities**

A model for volunteer engagement and learning through reflection and sharing; Monthly meetings for NAMI program leaders & facilitators to connect and learn using innovative participatory approaches.

#### **Diaspora Mental Health Equity Project**

An awareness and capacity building project to increase access for mental health needs of Black & Latinx communities disproportionately affected by Covid & civic unrest.

Reached 20,000+ people.

## **Healing Circles**

A community mental health model to surface deep emotional trauma without explicit clinical terminology, to be implemented across deserving neighborhoods in Houston. Infrastructure, training and funding are in process.

# A community Mental Health Approach

**TOWARDS 2021** 

For true Mental Health equity, Mental Health needs to be demystified, normalized and made accessible within the realm of community living.

# Our research shows that





For every lifethreatening crisis

our participants report another 4 'medium' crises — crises that are not life threatening but leave them scarred and traumatized.