

SOAR Looks Back on the Past 5 Years

In September 2019, PRA was awarded a new 5-year SOAR contract. As we plan the next 5 years, we're celebrating the accomplishments of the previous contract! Our achievements include launching the SOAR Online Course: Child Curriculum; providing feedback on 13,020 SOAR Online Course practice case packets; conducting 22 SOAR Leadership Academies; training 585 new SOAR Local Leads; hosting 414 virtual technical assistance (TA) events; and more! In 2020, the SOAR TA Center will be planning innovative virtual TA opportunities for stakeholders. View the [full accomplishments on SOARWorks!](#)

PRA Hosts Diversion Services Summit in Washington State

In September 2019, PRA hosted a *Trueblood* Diversion Services Summit as part of its work with the *Trueblood* Court Monitor's Office in Washington State. The purpose of the Summit was to assist with the implementation of Washington's diversion-services plan to expand jail diversion programs statewide. The Summit provided a national perspective on the diversion of individuals with mental illness away from the criminal justice system and the competency to stand trial/restoration process, shared information about diversion programs underway throughout the state, and provided ample opportunity for cross-community networking.

PRA Releases Suicide Prevention Icons to Promote Safe Messaging

In September 2019, PRA released a suite of nine icons that illustrate key suicide prevention concepts in a strength-based and recovery-oriented manner. These icons were developed in collaboration with experts in the field and address key concepts in suicide prevention work. These icons are available to the public for free use to promote positive, proactive, and safe conversations around suicide prevention. The icon suite along with recommendations for use are available on the [PRA website](#).

Learn More

www.prainc.com • communications@prainc.com

