



Mental Health Workforce Shortage

There is a shortage of mental health workers in Minnesota, especially in rural areas. In rural MN, for every **one** mental health provider there are **1,960 patients**.

It is very difficult for a non-licensed professional to build a career in the mental health industry due to current restrictive educational & experience requirements, contributing to a shortage!

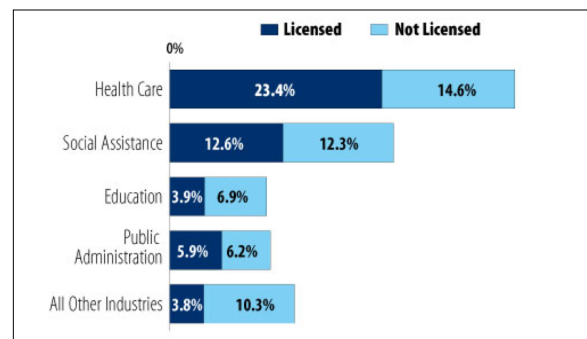
The Solution: Streamline & Expand Mental Health Program Staffing

Change the mental health workforce requirements without sacrificing quality of care!

Part 1: Streamline base definitions for certain non-licensing staffing positions

Part 2: Build service-specific qualifications within services (i.e. skills, training, supervision)

Part 3: Bridge the gap between staffing shortages and qualified personnel



Support the Mental Health Workforce Shortage Bill!

SF 3066, introduced by Senator Julie Rosen, and HF 3432, introduced by Representative Tony Albright, have both passed through all committees and await action on the floor.

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