



News Release

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Public Participation Survey

ROCKFORD, IL – The Winnebago County Community Mental Health Board (WCCMHB) is seeking responses for the Public Participation Survey. This survey will collect community input about mental health service gaps and needs in Winnebago County, Illinois. The feedback received in the survey will be used to inform the WCCMHB Three-Year Strategic Plan.

The survey is available on the [WCCMHB website](#) or by using the following link: bit.ly/3GwzSHh; it will close on January 27, 2023 at 5 p.m. The QR code below can also be used to access the survey.



Questions can be emailed to info@mentalhealth.wincoil.us

ABOUT WCCMHB – The purpose of the [Winnebago County Community Mental Health Board](#) (WCCMHB) is to plan, implement, and monitor a system of mental health and addiction services for Winnebago County residents suffering from serious mental illness and addictions. WCCMHB distributes sales tax proceeds to provide services to individuals whose illnesses prevent their functioning in age-appropriate social roles. The use of clinical,

evidence-based practices allows individuals with serious mental illness and addictions to remain in the community while accessing their care needs.

ABOUT RPC – [Region 1 Planning Council](#) is a special-purpose, regional government agency providing cross-jurisdictional, government-to-government collaborative planning for Northern Illinois. The regional planning model provides an efficient means to promoting a well-informed, comprehensive dialogue that holistically addresses regional issues by fulfilling the needs of government entities for long-range planning, securing funding, and analyzing and providing data in support of regional projects and initiatives. *The Region 1 Planning Council provides staff support to the Winnebago County Community Mental Health Board.*

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