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A Conversation with the 2022 Recovery Innovation Challenge Winners



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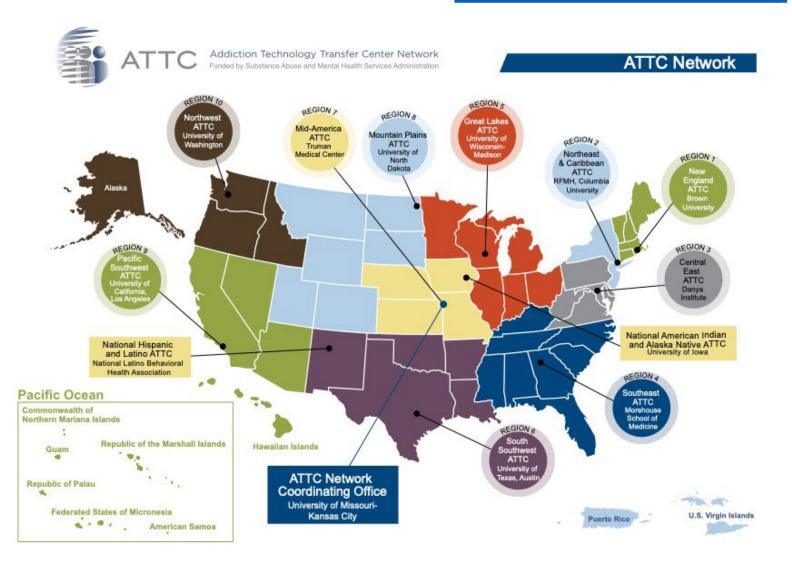
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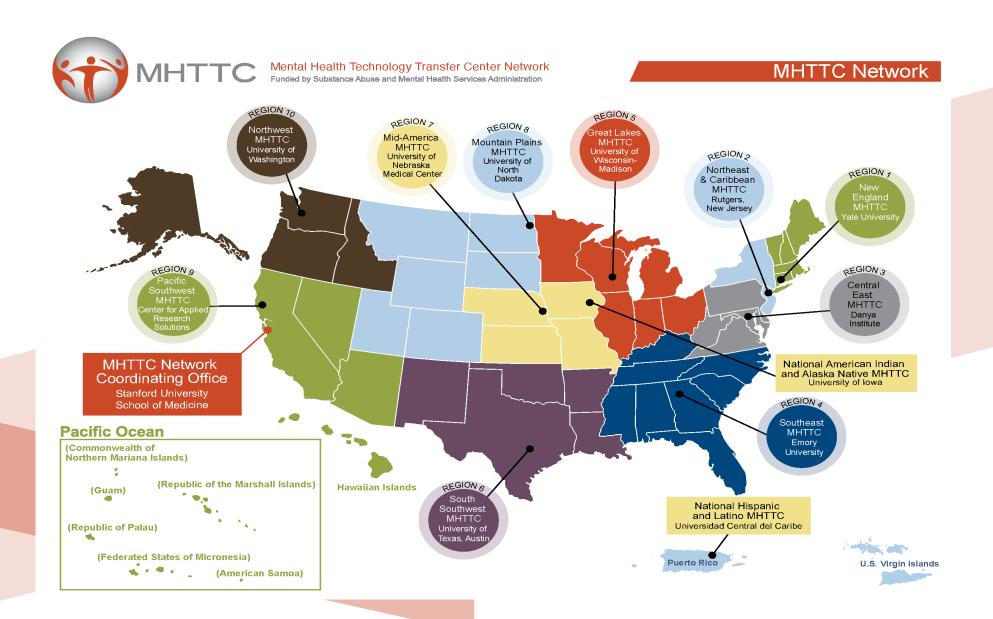
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Dr. Miriam E. Delphin-Rittmon

Assistant Secretary for Mental Health and
Substance Use, and Administrator of SAMHSA



Dr. Miriam E. Delphin-Rittmon is currently Assistant Secretary for Mental Health and Substance Use in the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and the Administrator of the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration. She previously served as Commissioner of the Connecticut Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services (DMHAS) and served in this role for six years.

Prior to her current appointment, Dr. Delphin-Rittmon was an Adjunct Associate Professor at Yale University. While at Yale, Dr. Delphin-Rittmon served as the Director of Cultural Competence and Research Consultation with the Yale University Program for Recovery and Community Health. Through her 20-year career in the behavioral health field, Dr. Delphin-Rittmon has extensive experience in the design, evaluation, and administration of mental health, substance use and prevention services and systems and has received several awards for advancing policy in these areas.

She received her B.A. in Social Science from Hofstra University in 1989, her M.S. and Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology from Purdue University 1992 and 2001, respectively, and completed a postdoctoral fellowship in clinical community psychology at Yale University in 2002.



Session Moderator
Trina Dutta
Chief of Staff, SAMHSA



In her role as Chief of Staff, Trina provides policy and programmatic guidance to the Office of the Assistant Secretary (OAS) to advance the behavioral health of the nation and support SAMHSA's mission.

Prior to her current position, Trina served as Senior Advisor to the OAS for over two years, where she focused on behavioral health equity, financing, and systems improvements within SAMHSA.

Before that, she spent six years working for the District of Columbia. As policy director for the Department of Behavioral Health (DBH), she led DC's system redesign efforts which included development and implementation of a Section 1115 waiver of the IMD payment exclusion for mental health and substance use treatment as well as integration of the fee-for-service behavioral health benefit into the Medicaid managed care program.













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NAMI Western Nevada



Anna brings over 20 years of non-profit experience, and a passion for empowering families to The Women's Home, where she has served as the CEO for 6 years. She holds an undergraduate degree in Social Work from Marquette University and earned her law degree at the University of Houston, specializing in Public Health Law. This professional training has enabled Anna to pursue her passion for building healthy, strong communities.

Active in the local and international health communities, Anna has held board positions on multiple non-profits most recently as the Chair of the Network for Behavioral Health Providers and the Treasurer for the Center for the Healing of Racism. Anna is an alumna of the Texas Lyceum and a senior fellow of the American Leadership Forum. She is also the excessively proud parent of two outstanding young men.





Laura Yanez is the Executive Director for NAMI Western Nevada. She has worked in community-based non-profits for over 25 years and with NAMI for the last 15 years.

As both a peer and a family member, she brings a unique perspective to peer support for mental health. Laura created the Nevada Warmline in 2018 and codeveloped the Nevada Teen Text Line in 2022.

She led the design and implementation of the Nevada Caring Contacts program and has played an essential role in the success of the program.





Shelley Elswick Co-Founder, President, CEO



Shelley is the mother of a person in long-term recovery and is passionate about making recovery available to everyone via every pathway.

She is co-founder, President/CEO of Voices of Hope-Lexington, Inc. and has been working in the community for people who use drugs and alcohol since 2015.



Hushabye Nursery

Tara Sundem, MS APRN NNP-BC

Executive Director



Tara is a board-certified Neonatal Nurse Practitioner with more than 28 years of experience in neonatal intensive care. She was a frontline worker in the growing opiate epidemic, caring for the most innocent of its victims: Newborns suffering through opiate withdrawal – Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome (NAS). Her passion to transform the healthcare experience for them and their families led her to found Hushabye Nursery, an Arizona non-profit dedicated to caring for opiate-exposed newborns in their first weeks of life. The 12-bed inpatient nursery opened its doors and its arms to these babies and their mothers in November 2020. As of September 5, 2023, it has served 600 babies and their families.

Under Tara's leadership as Executive Director, Hushabye Nursery has grown from an idea to 'save the babies' in 2016, to a unique model of care for this underserved population that focuses on the family unit, both prenatal and postnatal.

Recognized as an industry leader on NAS, Tara has presented several community events on the topic. She received the 2023 Mercy Care RISA Award for Innovation, 2023 Arizona Drug Summit Keeping Hope Alive award, 2021 *Phoenix Business Journal Health Care Hero Award for Nursing* and a *12 News Miracle Makers Award* in 2021. She holds a Master of Science from Arizona State University and is a member of the National Association of Neonatal Nurses, the Academy of Neonatal Nurses, and the Neonatal Nurse Practitioners of AZ. Tara lives in Gilbert with her husband, two sons and their dog.

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