

FCCLA Planning Process Worksheet



IDENTIFY CONCERNS



SET A GOAL



FORM A PLAN

- who
- what
- where
- when
- why
- how



ACT



FOLLOW UP

What could
 have gone
 better/what
 did you
 learn?

Project summary

Purpose of project: Mental Health Awareness in Minority Families

Our video is designed to promote mental health awareness within minority families, shedding light on the challenges they face and the importance of breaking generational cycles. Through an intimate look at a minority family navigating mental health struggles together, we aim to inspire understanding, more awareness, and positive change.

The Connection to Family and Consumer Sciences

Family and Consumer Sciences (FCS) focuses on improving the well-being of individuals and families through education on topics like mental health, relationships, and personal development. Our project aligns with Family and consumer sciences by emphasizing the need for mental health awareness within families, particularly in communities where mental health is often stigmatized or overlooked. Our video showed a family's journey toward understanding and addressing mental health, we highlighted the role of education, communication, and support systems to create healthier family dynamics.

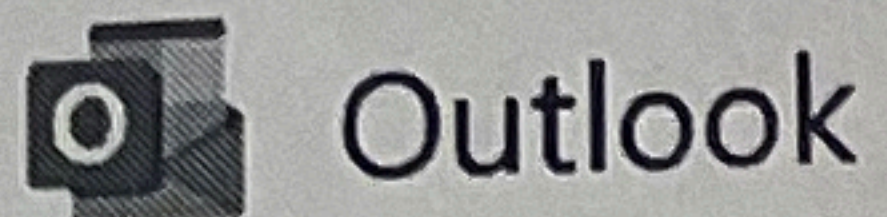
Background and Perspective

This project is rooted in personal cultural experiences that shape our perspective on mental health. Many minority families face unique barriers—cultural expectations, generational trauma, and lack of access to mental health resources—that make addressing mental health more difficult. Our goal is to challenge misconceptions, encourage honest conversations, and provide a sense of hope for those struggling in silence. Through this video, we hope to spark a meaningful message and empower families to take steps toward mental wellness, ensuring that future generations grow up in environments that support emotional and psychological well-being.

Goal of Project

Our goal is to create a new look on mental health within minority communities and bring a more openness to the topic rather than continuing the stigma that surrounds

mental health. We want families to learn about mental health and the solutions that help their kids and build positive family dynamics.



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State: Florida

Members: Demetrius Hall, Katherine Lobo

Event Name: Digital Stories for Change

Level: Level 3 (grades 11 and 12)

Project Title: Silent Echoes

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Date

1-30-25

Bibliograph/Citations

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KFF Survey of Racism, Discrimination and Health." *KFF*, 23 May 2024, www.kff.org/racial-equity-and-health-policy/issue-brief/racial-and-ethnic-disparities-in-mental-health-care-findings-from-the-kff-survey-of-racism-discrimination-and-health/.

KFF conducted a survey to find out how race plays out in the healthcare system. In their "Discrimination and Health Survey highlight barriers to mental health care, including costs and difficulties finding providers, with people of color citing additional challenges such as difficulty finding providers with shared background and experiences, lack of information, and stigma and embarrassment." A quote we chose to use in our video was, "Reported awareness of the 9-8-8 mental health hotline remains low overall, particularly among Black, Hispanic, and Asian adults". We liked this one specifically because it highlights the lack of knowledge on ways to tackle mental health and that minorities aren't aware of the options available. In our personal experience we have seen this firsthand as minorities ourselves, Demetrius Hall, a young black man, can confidently say there isn't much conversation about mental health within his family and he had to learn about it himself. As the newer generations come in, we both realized things need to change. Minority children need a safety net, parents to confide with them when speaking about their mental health and having a parent who knows solutions. With the research KFF did we better understand what holds back minority families and how we can create solutions to bring awareness.

Photo used in video

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