Experts Responding to a Crisis...

In response to the campus mental health crisis, our team of experts in public health, clinical psychology, student health insurance and higher education policy, came together to develop CONNECT@College®.

CONNECT@College is the market’s only single-vendor, comprehensive solution that expands counseling center capacity and helps colleges reach and support students in need.

We take a population approach to student behavioral health, focusing on the entire student body with solutions that reduce stigma, educate and empower students and meet their varying levels of need.

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Dr. Meenan was Dean of the Boston University School of Public Health from 1992 to 2014. He retired as Professor of Health Policy and Management in the School of Public Health and Professor of Medicine in the School of Medicine. He is on the boards of the Mary Christie Foundation, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts and the New England College of Optometry.

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Dr. Gallo is a licensed psychologist who holds an A.B. with highest honors in psychology from Harvard College and a Ph.D. from Boston University. She spent seven academic years in residential life at Harvard. She has received clinical and research awards from multiple national organizations and has held faculty appointments at Harvard Medical School and NYU.

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Dr. Barreira was Director of Harvard University Health Services until fall 2019, before which he was Director of Behavioral Health and Academic Counseling. He formerly served as the Deputy Commissioner/Medical Director of the MA Dept. of Mental Health, UMass Medical School's Residency Training Director, and Director of Community Clinical Services at McLean Hospital.

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Dr. Pinder-Amaker has over 25 years of experience in college student mental health treatment, administration, and policy. She is the founding director of McLean Hospital's College Mental Health Program, a unique initiative serving students from over 200 institutions of higher education, providing student-focused treatment; consultation to students, parents, college professionals and non-profits; and related research. She is also a member of the WHO World Mental Health International College Student Initiative.

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Dr. Arria is currently the Director of the Center on Young Adult Health and Development at the University of Maryland School of Public Health and a Professor in the Department of Behavioral and Community Health. She has authored more than 160 scientific peer-reviewed publications, numerous white papers and book chapters, and is the recipient of several major grant awards from foundations, and state and federal agencies. Her research is primarily focused on mental health and substance use among adolescents, young adults and in particular college students.

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Gerri Taylor is the former Associate Dean of Health, Counseling and Wellness and Director of the Health Center at Bentley University in Waltham, Massachusetts. She created and oversaw a collaborative care model with the Health Center, the Counseling Center and the Wellness and Health Promotion program. She led her college health center team to achieve national accreditation with the Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care. She is currently the Co-chair of the American College Health Association COVID-19 Task Force. She co-leads the task force of national leaders in writing guidance documents, surveys and position papers, developing and moderating webinars, and giving national exposure and advocacy for college health centers during the pandemic.

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Amaura is a licensed independent clinical social worker and spent the past fifteen years at Northeastern University. She established the Office of Prevention and Education at Northeastern (OPEN), an evidence-based approach to alcohol and other drug prevention education. The program grew to include sexual violence prevention and response as well as sexual health initiatives. Most recently, Amaura served as the Associate Dean for Wellness overseeing health and mental health services as well as wellness and prevention education. Amaura is a national speaker and trainer, providing consultation to colleges and universities on research-based strategies to reduce college student substance abuse.