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Trillium receives Innovation Award in Technology *Awards presented by the i2i Center for Integrative Health*

GREENVILLE, NC- Trillium Health Resources was recognized in the Technology category for the 2019 Innovation Awards. Promoted by the <u>i2i</u> <u>Center for Integrative Health</u>, the awards recognize innovation in services and programming to increase integrated, whole person approaches to care. Trillium's <u>www.SafeSchoolsHealthyKidsNC.org</u> online platform was acknowledged for the award and offers free training to school staff and parents.

After receiving over 800 survey responses from school personnel on potentially useful topics, Trillium staff developed curriculum that is easy to understand with direct signs to be aware of. Specific programs and tip sheets available include:

- The Trevor Project (safe, confidential lifeline for LGBTQ young people)
- Red Flags for School Shootings
- Signs of Substance Abuse

We recently shared about an <u>incentive program</u> to help promote the platform to schools, parents, and the public. Please visit <u>https://youtu.be/Rpz_PbYxkfU</u> for a short video that describes the website.

Trillium also nominated <u>Ainsley's Angels of Eastern North Carolina</u> who received the award in the Individual and Family Initiatives category-- programs or services led by individuals and/or family members to improve the lives of those served in the public behavioral health and I/DD system.

ABOUT TRILLIUM HEALTH RESOURCES

Trillium Health Resources is a leading specialty care manager (LME/MCO) for individuals with substance use, mental illness and intellectual/ developmental disabilities in 26 counties in eastern North Carolina. Trillium's mission is transforming lives and building community well-being

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through partnership and proven solutions. We help every community and individual we serve to reach their fullest potential. By coordinating care across multiple systems, we achieve improved health outcomes, quality of care and efficient use of resources. Trillium remains focused on delivering the right services, in the right amount, at the right time. For more information, visit www.TrilliumHealthResources.org.

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