



Althing is Collaborating with the University of Iowa on Statewide Mental Health and Addiction Health Screeners for All K-12 Students in Iowa

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Recognizing the significant increase in need for mental health services among the youth of Iowa, the Iowa Department of Education has made available significant funding for program to address this. The Program Lead and funds have been awarded to the University of Iowa, who is putting into service its extensive resources from their health and education departments. The task of reaching the entire state's youth through school districts is one that includes unique challenges. Reaching rural areas, working with network limitations, addressing language and culture variants, logistical deployment of resources, responding to high volume need with qualified services and more have been identified as complex tasks.

The University of Iowa and Iowa's Department of Health have enlisted the services of Althing, the only solution to have proven scalable on innovative solutions that address the big challenges, they've identified, while providing immediate access for students to receive medical interventions. Althing is providing the methods to reach all 357 districts of the state, with effective, scalable, affordable and meaningful service so greatly needed by the youth. The program is also extending its reach to help with the district's staff and community using the new Althing Model. This marks the solidification of the largest, legitimate youth mental health program in the country. (www.althingmodel.com).

About Althing LLC.

Althing is a Minnesota based community services provider with special focus on community health access, education and economic development through modernized service platforms. Althing employs the Phrazer/Kitsune® platform to provide community engagement in any language, literacy, gender and culture. Althing provides proactive mobile health, Community Clinics, education and workforce services that are inclusive, community centric and locally managed. In a recent groundbreaking achievement Althing solutions provided the first ever complete, affordable and effective health services, with realtime provider access, to students between 12 and 18 years of age in a key Minnesota school district. This milestone achievement sets the standard for identifying and mitigating the rising health concerns of today's students.