

Mental Health

*The Crisis and a Call to
Action for People of Faith*

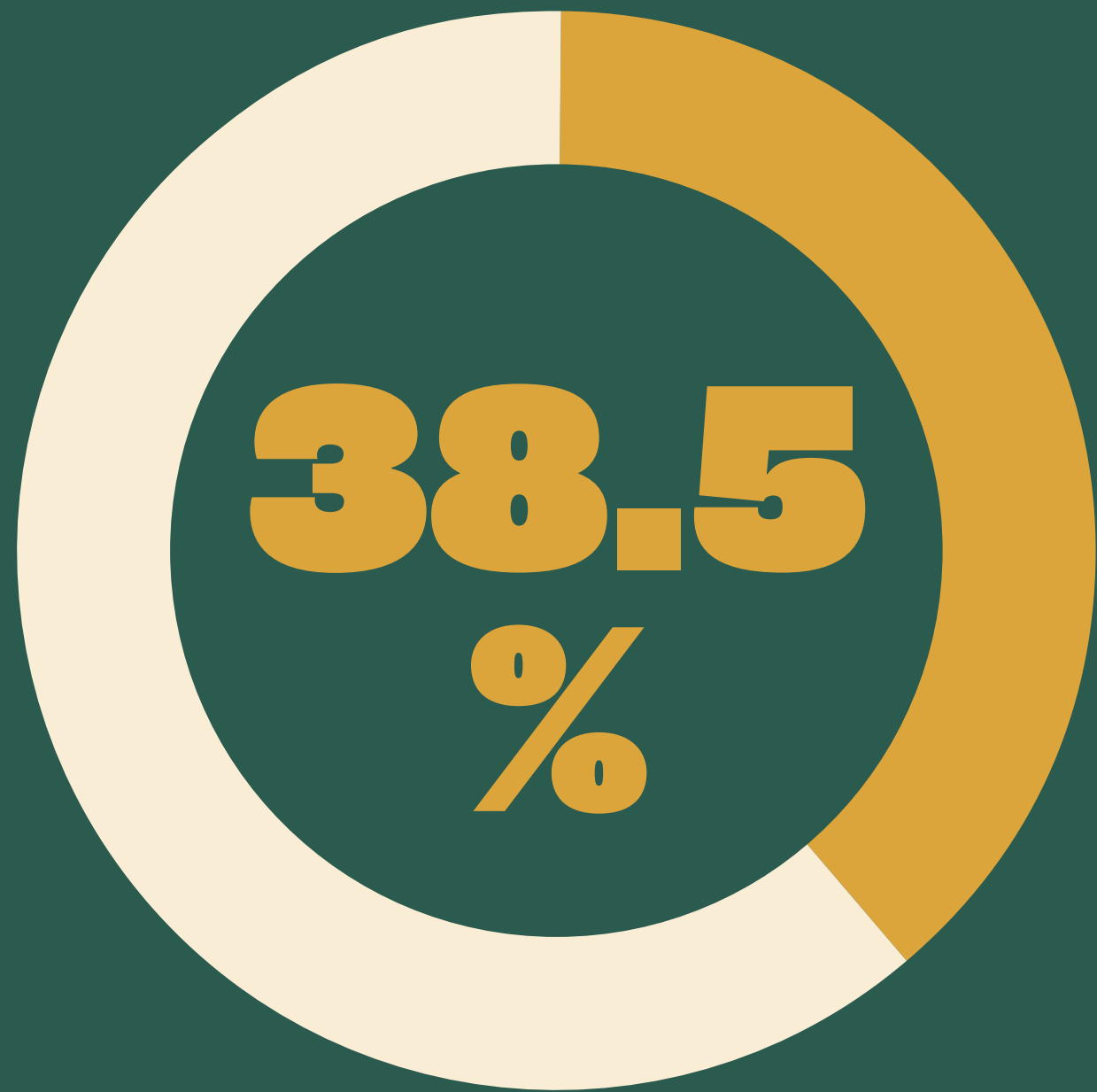
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The Cost of Untreated Mental Illness



HOOSIER ADULTS WHO REPORT SYMPTOMS OF DEPRESSION OR ANXIETY

1,129,000

ADULTS IN INDIANA WHO HAVE A MENTAL HEALTH CONDITION

345,000

ADULTS IN INDIANA WHO NEED MENTAL HEALTH CARE AND DO NOT RECEIVE IT

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4.2 BILLION

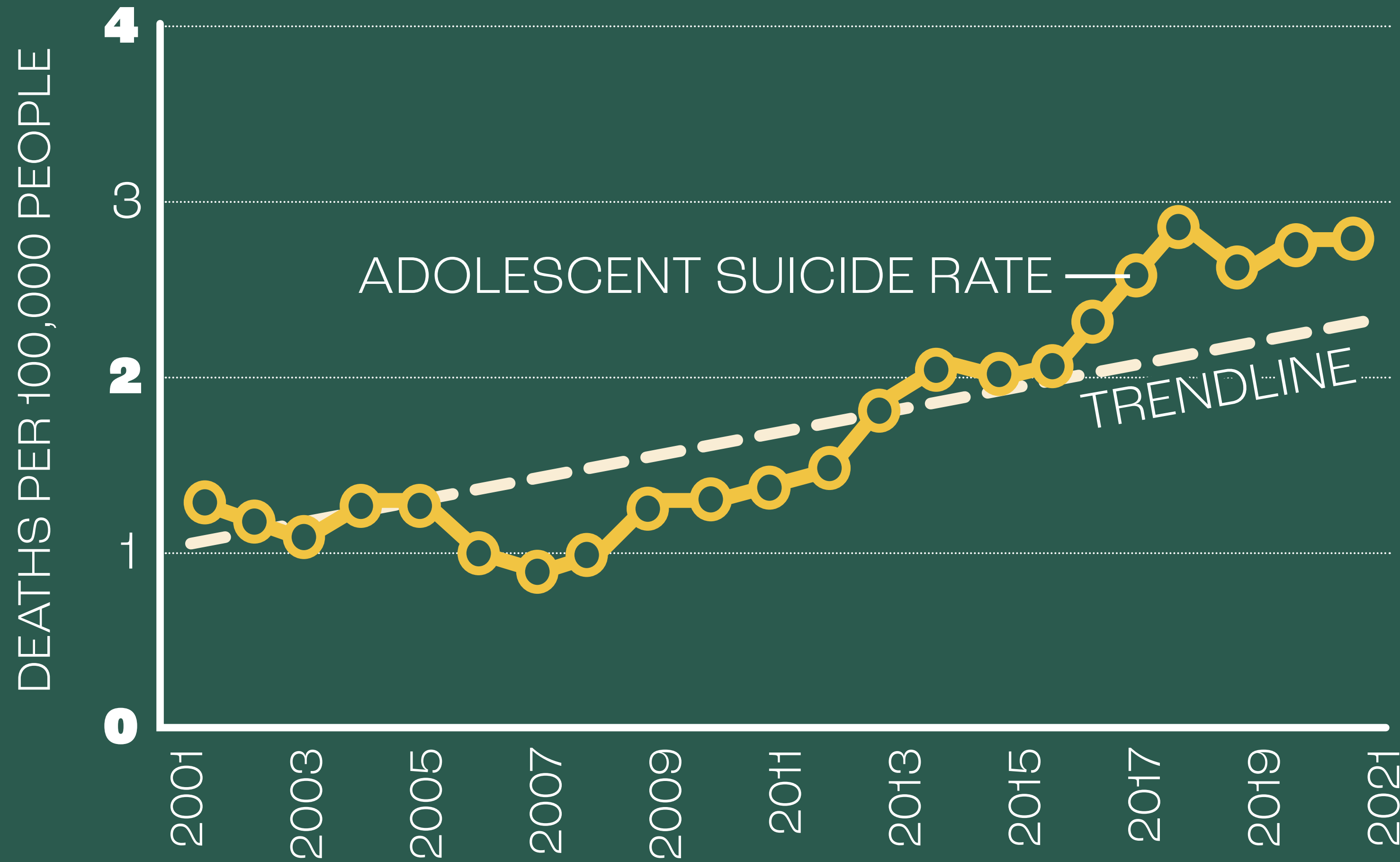
ANNUAL SOCIETAL COST OF UNTREATED MENTAL ILLNESS IN INDIANA



Youth in Crisis

SUICIDE #2 CAUSE OF DEATH

YOUTH AGES 10-14



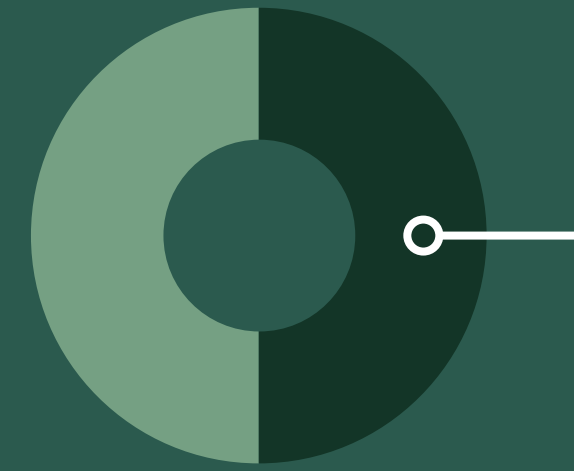
90,000

HOOSIERS AGED 12-17
HAVE DEPRESSION



54%

OF HOOSIERS AGE 12-17
WHO HAVE DEPRESSION
DID NOT RECEIVE ANY
CARE IN THE PAST YEAR



50%

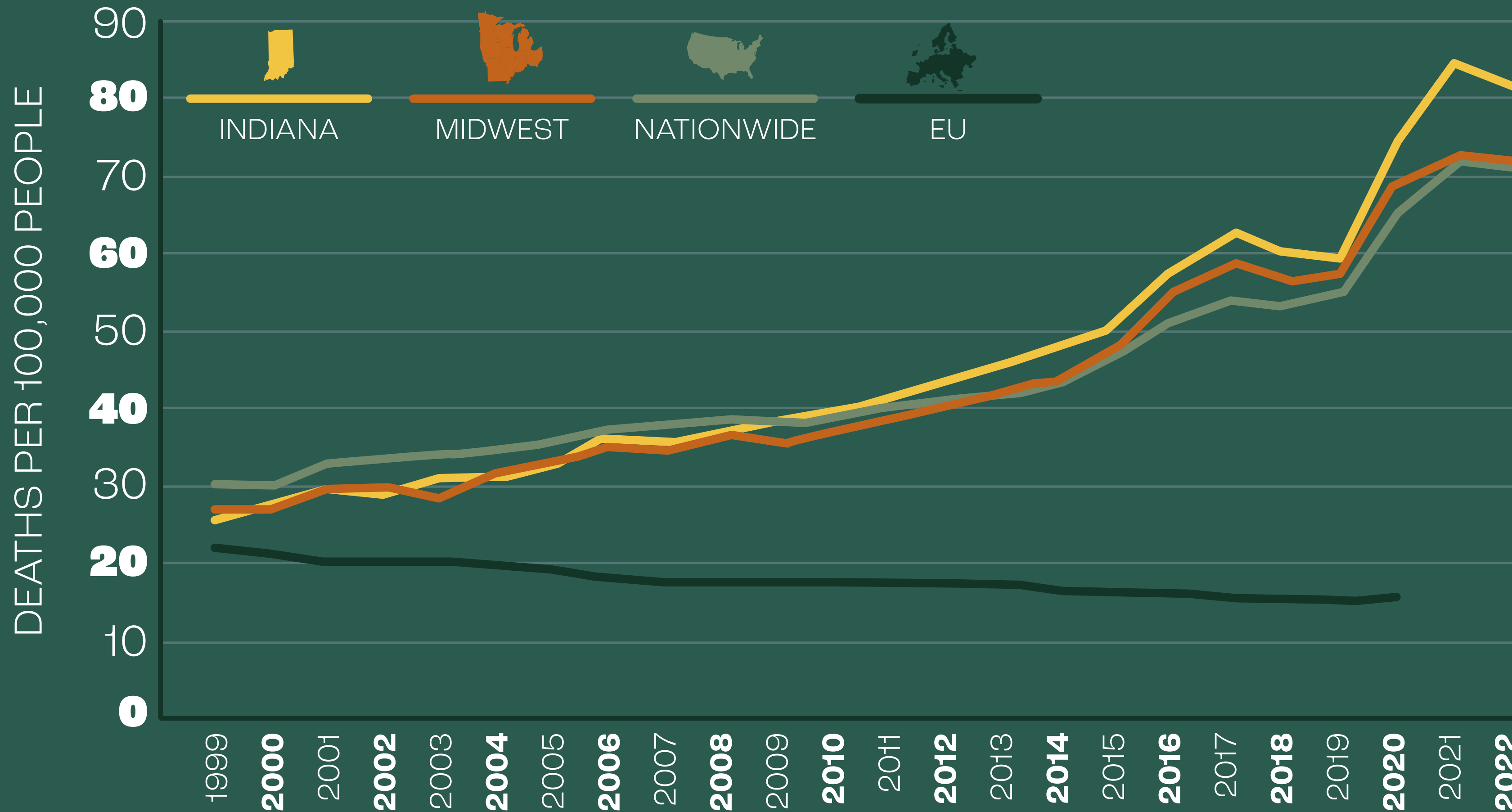
OF STUDENTS WITH AN
UNTREATED MENTAL
ILLNESS WILL DEVELOP
A SUBSTANCE USE
DISORDER



Deaths of Despair

COMBINED MORTALITY RATE

SUICIDE, HOMICIDE, AND DRUG- AND ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS



..... SUICIDE IS THE NUMBER TWO CAUSE OF DEATH FOR AGES 10-34

#1 ACCIDENTS

#2 **SUICIDE**

#3 HOMICIDE



ONE IN FIVE HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS HAS THOUGHTS OF SUICIDE



INDIANA'S SUICIDE RATE HAS BEEN HIGHER THAN THE NATIONAL RATE SINCE 2000



Contributing Factors



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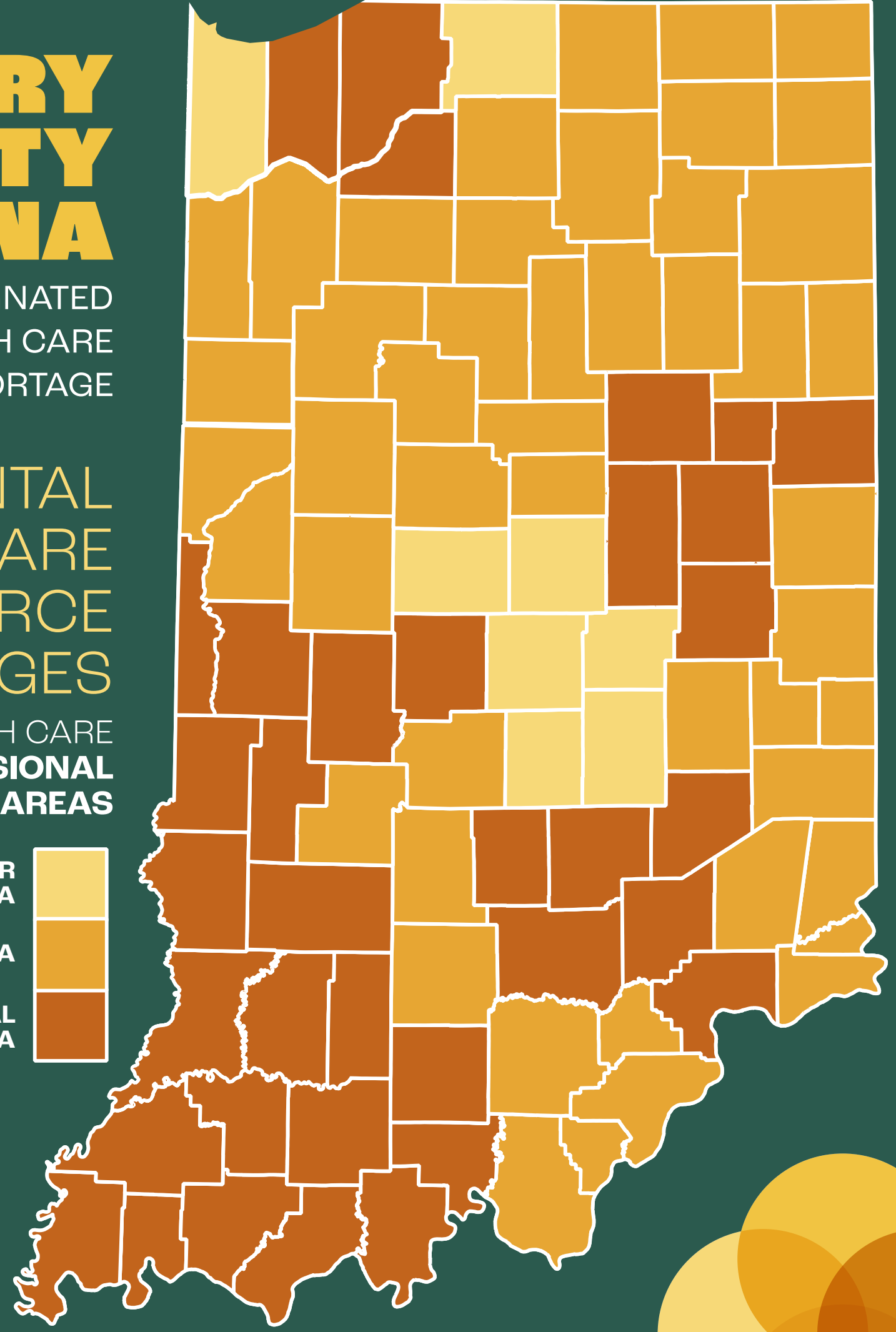
AROUND MENTAL HEALTH

EVERY COUNTY IN INDIANA

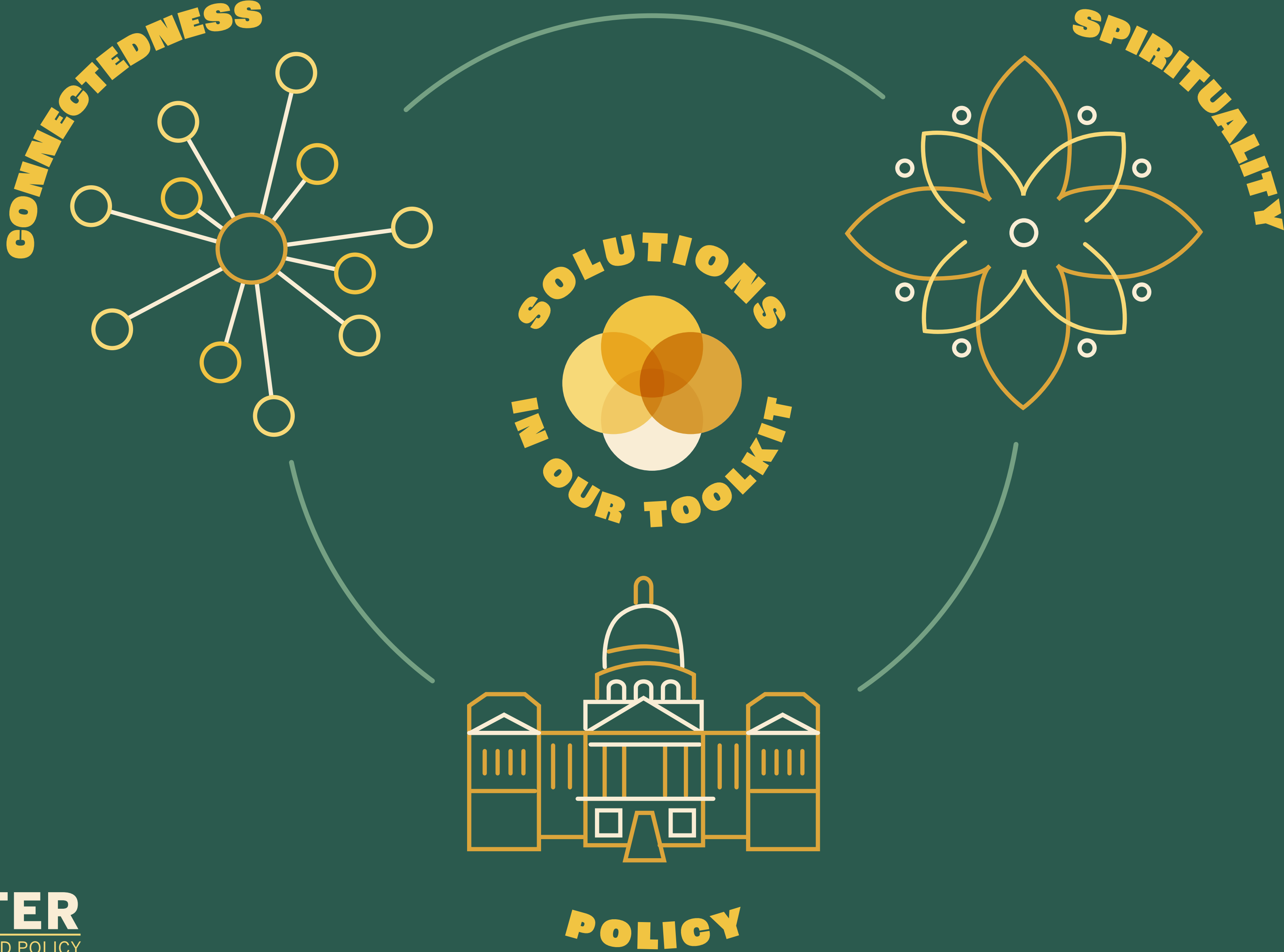
HAS A FEDERALLY DESIGNATED MENTAL HEALTH CARE WORKFORCE SHORTAGE

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Call to Action





Thank you!

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