

## **WHO QualityRights**



Transforming services and promoting rights in mental health









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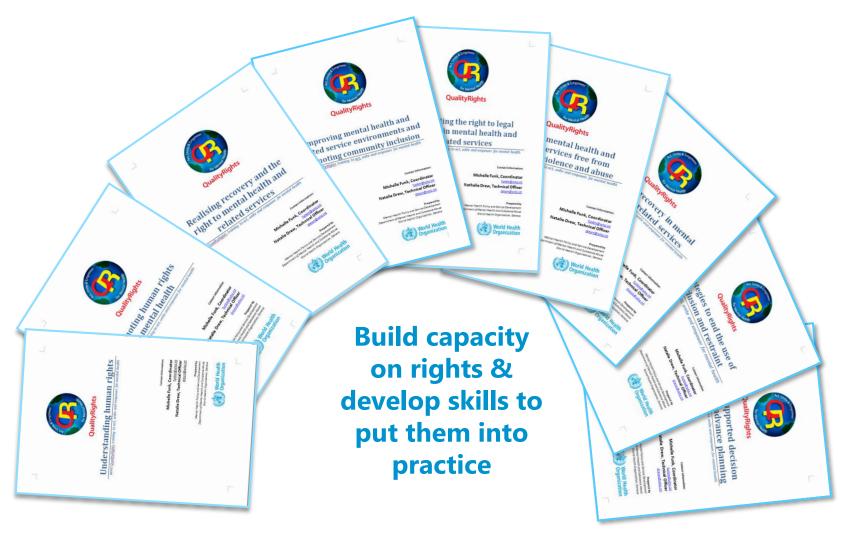
# WHO QualityRights Objectives



- Build capacity to understand and promote human rights, recovery and people-centred care & recovery in mental health
- Create community-based, recovery-oriented & people centred services and supports that respect rights
- Improve the quality and human rights conditions in mental health and related services
- Support efforts to strengthen civil society movement to conduct advocacy and influence policy-making
- Reform national policies and legislation in line with the CRPD and other international human rights standards











# Core mental health and human rights modules:

- Understanding human rights
- Promoting human rights in mental health
- Improving the mental health and related service environments and community inclusion
- Realising recovery and the right to health in mental health and related services
- Protecting the right to legal capacity in mental health and related services
- Creating mental health and related services free from coercion, violence and abuse

#### Specialised modules:

- Realising supported decision making and advance planning
- Promoting recovery in mental health and related services
- Implementing strategies to end the use of seclusion and restraints and other coercive practices





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- Expert coaches & mentors
- Peer-to-peer learning & sharing

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#### **Services & supports that:**

- People-centred
- Operate without coercion
- Respond to people's needs
- Support recovery
- Promote autonomy & inclusion

### Evaluation of services & supports:

- Costs
- Outcomes
- Sustainability
- Transferability







 Providing individualised peer support within services and the community

 Setting up and running peer support groups

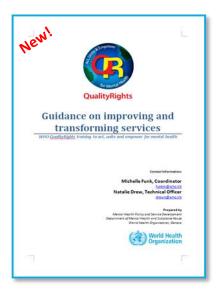


#### Assessing & improving quality and rights in services



#### Assessment toolkit





# Guidance - Improving & transforming services



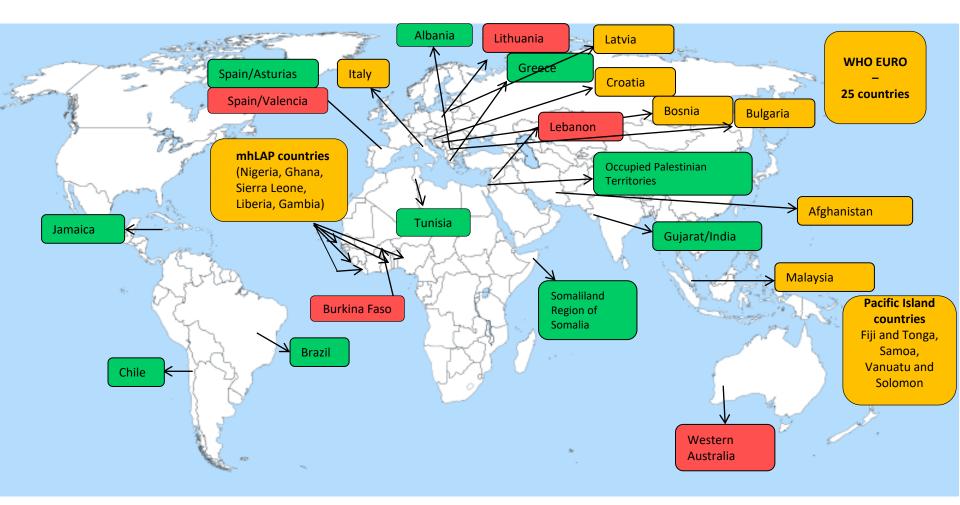


- Setting up and operating a civil society organization
- Conducting advocacy campaigns to integrate human rights in mental health



# **W** Implementation in countries





Countries/States which have already implemented QualityRights

Countries/States currently implementing QualityRights

Countries/States planning to implement QualityRights



#### **QualityRights Gujarat**

#### Activities

- QR assessment
- Service change plans
- Training on human rights and recovery
- Peer support workers
- Peer support groups

#### Results

- Important improvements in quality & human rights in services:
- Physical and social environment
- Comprehensive & holistic approach emphasizing recovery & addressing mental and physical health care needs across the life course
- informed consent, respect for autonomy, supported decision making
- Reduced use of violence, coercion & abuse
- Linking people to community based services
- Major shifts in attitudes concerning coercion
- Reduced stigma
- Greater empowerment of people using the services

# Thank you!