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Dear Fire Chiefs,

The Mental Health Secretariat (MHS) is currently in the development stage of an online geographic inventory of mental health supports for public safety personnel across Ontario. The inventory is aimed at enabling public safety organizations, like fire departments, to identify available resources across the province based on their geographic proximity to the department.

In support of this initiative, we seek your assistance in pre-populating members' organizational information. This data will facilitate the onboarding process and enable members to access the database once released in Spring 2024.

Please complete this [hyperlinked questionnaire](#) by **February 27, 2024**, and feel free to reach out to the MHS team at MH.Secretariat@ontario.ca if you have any questions. If there are participants that require French language translation or any other format for accessibility, please contact the MHS team and they will be happy to assist.

The inventory, powered by the Geographic Information System, will be available to organizational wellness leads, across the Ontario Public Service and Broader Public Service, to support municipal, First Nations, and provincial public safety organizations.

Thank you for your assistance,

John Snider
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