

Children's Behavioral Health Task Force

Inventory of Children's Behavioral Health Services Service Elements

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Purpose

- To compile an inventory of children's behavioral health services, including programs, policies and practices, provided by public agencies and nonpublic providers;
- To allow for the analysis of perceived service gaps, redundancies, inefficiencies, best practices, and emergent priorities; and
- To allow for the development of integrated program service responses to improve the state's system of children's behavioral health.

Below is a tentative list of inventory elements, including a partial, illustrative list of descriptors within each element.

Survey Elements

1. **Service Title.** Name of service provided including, among others: public programs, case management protocols, screening or evaluation tools, treatment plans, etc.;
2. **Service Focus.** Narrative specifying the focus or aspirational outcomes of the service;
3. **Lead Provider.** Primary service provider, including, among others: agency, clinician, institution; etc.;
4. **Collaborating Providers.** Support service provider(s), including, among others: agency, clinician, institution, etc.;
5. **Target Population.** Primary service recipient, including among others: universal; specific age span; specific demographic; specific diagnostic category, etc.;
6. **Service Eligibility.** Service provided to recipient based on, among others: income, referral, level of care, universal, etc.;
7. **Continuum of Care Phase.** Service's primary level of care provided: promotion, prevention, identification, treatment, recovery;
8. **Service Intensity.** Time allocated per service session;
9. **Service Duration.** Time span across which service is provided;
10. **Service Cost.** Anticipated cost to provide service;
11. **Service Cost Category.** Service cost determined by, among others: public program cost, cost per child, cost per provider, etc.;

12. **Projected Impact.** Estimated number of children touched by service;
13. **Service Funding Source.** Payment for services originates from, among others: public program title, insurance, client fees, payors of first- and last-resort;
14. **Required Provider Credentials.** Specified professional credentials required to perform service, including, among others: specialty licensure, credential, unspecified;
15. **Service Site.** Primary location of service provision, including, among others: schools, clinics, residential institutions, corrections;
16. **Identified Service Gaps.** Narrative listing of known program deficiencies, unmet needs;
17. **Identified Service Impediments.** Narrative listing of perceived barriers to improved service provision: e.g., financial, political, structural, licensure, marketing.