



Children's Community Mental Health Services & Wraparound Milwaukee

Since 1995, Children's Community Mental Health Services and Wraparound Milwaukee has been serving youth who experience significant trauma and mental health related struggles. We operate as a Managed Care entity with a blended funded model, to provide a unique System of Care offering a broad continuum of service to Medicaid eligible participants age 5-23 years old.

Rooted in Wraparound philosophy and values, our vision to help build healthy and strong communities by enhancing children and families' ability to meet life's challenges and to foster resiliency and hope for a better future. This vision has inspired a continuum of specialized programs that offer flexibility and choice based on the person's needs. The Wraparound values are the foundation of our practice. Our commitment to those we serve is to provide care that is person driven, strength based, community oriented, culturally respectful, collaborative and integrative, sustainable, and unconditional, based on what feels right for the participant and their support network.

Youth and families served in all of our programs partner with a Care Coordinator to identify root causes of the challenges they face and create a system of supports by engaging their friends and family alongside professionals from the community and provider network.

Families can learn more about the programs available and access options counseling to find a good fit for their needs by calling the Resource and Referral line 414-257-7607



Programs

Wraparound and REACH

Youth who participate in the Wraparound and REACH programs are enrolled in a Medicaid funded HMO. For this reason, there are unique enrollment criteria, including a SED diagnosis, recent or current Mental Health, Social Services, Child Welfare, Youth Justice, or Special Education involvement, and Medicaid eligibility. Youth served in the Wraparound program are involved in the Youth Justice or Child Welfare systems, which

provides a unique opportunity for collaboration and system partnership in service to the youth through the teaming process. Participants in REACH are often self-referred or referred by a community partner. Enrollment in our HMO provides access to an array of traditional and nontraditional mental health services, which may include: in-home therapy, equine therapy, and 1:1 crisis stabilization services.

Comprehensive Community Services (CCS)

Comprehensive Community Services is an eligibility based life-time Medicaid benefit that we facilitate for youth/young adults under the Wraparound umbrella to age 23. Beyond the age of 23, young adults can continue CCS services in the adult serving system. CCS program eligibility is determined by a State of WI regulated Functional Screen, a mental health or AODA diagnosis, and Medicaid eligibility. Participants who enroll receive a recovery based care model supported by in-network therapy services and other supports to address mental health and substance abuse related needs. This program offers a less intensive, but longer term service array, and is often used as a transition from other Wraparound programs to provide on-going support

outside of the Wraparound HMO.
**For more information about CCS for participants over the age of 23, call 414-257-6060.*

Coordinated Opportunities for Recovery & Empowerment (CORE)

CORE, funded under CCS, is a specialized care model, driven by the youth/young adult participants, to provide early intervention related to Psychosis. CORE serves participants who are clinically at high risk for Psychosis, and participants who have experienced their first episode of Psychosis. Participants are served by a 5 person team to provide care coordination, clinical support, education and employment support, medication management, peer support and community resource connection. Given the later onset of Psychosis symptoms and diagnosis, the CORE program serves participants age 10-23.



ADDITIONAL SUPPORT

ADVOCACY

Children's Community Mental Health Services and Wraparound Milwaukee enrolled youth receive educational advocacy through a contracted agency. The Special Education Advocacy (SEA) Group partners with Care Coordinators and families to provide education and advocacy related to 504 plans, Behavior Intervention Plans, Functional Behavioral Assessments, Best Interest Determinations, Individualized Education Plans, support at expulsion hearings, and initiating Special Education assessments. The SEA group ensures youth's rights are upheld and they receive quality and appropriate academic support in the school setting.

Children's Community Mental Health Services and Wraparound Milwaukee provides specialized advocacy services to enrolled youth and families. Educational advocacy includes participation with families as partners in the special education process at all levels to ensure student rights are upheld, and youth and families are supported during 504 Plan meetings, Individualized Education Plan meetings, Expulsion Hearings, and more. Peer Supports and

Parent Peer Supports are an integral part of advocacy at the child and family team level, and offer a unique perspective of lived experience. Family representation and advocacy at the administrative level is a valued component of program and policy development and implementation and administrative initiatives.

WELLNESS CLINIC

The Wellness Clinic provides a holistic approach to health for youth enrolled Children's Community Mental Health Services and Wraparound Milwaukee programs. Child psychiatrists and nurses work in partnership with youth and families, Care Coordinators, and Child and Family Teams to provide medication management, education to increase understanding of diagnosis and symptoms, and collaborative care to help youth use more natural and behavioral interventions to health.

COMMUNITY DROP-IN CENTER

Owen's Place serves youth and young adults ages 16-24. Designed to appeal to those launching into independence, Owen's Place

is equipped with a computer lab, kitchen, laundry facility, and monthly calendar of social events and skill building activities. Connection is the foundation of Owen's Place, where young people can build relationships with each other, staff, and find connections to community resources based on their individual needs and interests. ****If you would like to learn more, stop by for a tour at 4610 W. Fond Du Lac Ave., call 414-977-4249, owens-place.com, or visit us on Facebook.***

FAMILY INTERVENTION SUPPORT AND SERVICES

Family Intervention Support and Services (FISS) is a free and voluntary program that provides short term case management for youth 10 to 18 years old. Operating as a supportive program to divert from deeper system involvement, there are no mental health diagnosis or insurance requirements for enrollment. FISS works with youth to provide early intervention to help manage mental and behavioral health challenges, with a focus on truancy, running away, substance use, and police contact. FISS provides assessment, community resource connection, and school advocacy. ****For more information about FISS contact 414-257-4319.***

YOUTH CONNECT

Youth Connect is a short-term intensive Crisis Care Coordination program that serves youth and families with a focus on preventing and responding to mental health crisis in an effort to reduce in-patient hospital stays. A Crisis Care Coordinator and Peer Support work with the youth and family to provide crisis planning and response, community connections to address factors which contribute to overwhelming stress that leads to crisis, and provide a bridge to enrollment in other Children's Community Services and Wraparound Milwaukee programs.

YOUTH CRISIS STABILIZATION FACILITY

The Youth Crisis Stabilization Facility offers a safe and therapeutic space for youth who would benefit from a short stay in a community space to reduce the need for psychiatric crisis services and inpatient hospitalization. During their stay, youth will receive therapy, recreational activities, life skills support, and transitional case management. This 6 bed facility is available to male youth age 10-17 years old who are experiencing a mental health crisis.

MOBILE CRISIS

The Children's Mobile Crisis team (CMC) is available to all youth in Milwaukee county with the ability to provide specialized support to youth in foster care and youth and families who have experienced a potentially traumatic event. CMC is a community based crisis intervention and response team who works in collaboration with school districts, law enforcement, community organizations, and treatment providers to ensure youth and families have the support they need during times of emotional, behavioral, or mental health crisis. **To contact CMC directly call 414-257-7621.**

RE-SOURCE EXTENSION

Children's Community Mental Health Services and Wraparound Milwaukee has strived to both learn and lead in the areas of best practice implementation, program development, sustainable funding models, and System of Care expansion. We not only serve youth and families, but also support others who serve youth and families by Re-Sourcing our lessons learned, tools and resources, and operation model with others. ***To schedule a site visit, request training or consultation, or speak to someone about ways we can support your agency in service to youth and young adults, please email: resourceextension@milwaukeecountywi.gov or check out the RE-Source Extension tab on our website.***



Interpreter & Translation Services

ATTENTION: If you speak English, language assistance services are available to you free of charge. Call your Care Coordinator directly or call 1-833-912-2468 (TTY: 711)

Español (Spanish)
ATENCIÓN: Si habla español, tenemos servicios de asistencia lingüística disponibles de forma gratuita. Llame a su coordinador de atención directamente o bien llame al 1-833-912-2468 (TTY: 711)

Hmoob (Hmong)
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