

Oregon Wraparound



Building a coordinated System of Care for children, youth and their families.

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System of Care

A system for education, child welfare, public health, primary care, pediatric care, juvenile justice, mental health, substance abuse, and developmental disabilities that incorporates a broad, flexible array of services for the target population.

The System of Care is organized into a coordinated network which integrates care planning and management across multiple levels, is culturally and linguistically competent, builds meaningful partnerships with families and youth in service delivery, management, and policy levels and has supportive policy and management infrastructure.

Wraparound

A planning process involving a youth and the youth's family, that results in a unique set of community services and natural supports individualized for that youth and family to achieve a positive set of outcomes.



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Wraparound Legislation - HB 2144

Submitted by the Governor's Office, this House Bill outlines the framework to build a coordinated, community-based system of services and supports for children, youth and their families in Oregon.

The proposed legislation:

- Requires specified state agencies and commissions to participate in the Wraparound Initiative for provision of youth services.

- Establishes core values and principles.
- Solicits and prioritizes family and youth perspectives.
- Imposes requirements on state agencies to implement and sustain the initiative.
- Ensures cultural competence in provision of services.
- Ensures the collection and evaluation of data.
- Authorizes the pooling of resources from partner agencies.
- Establishes the Children's Wraparound Initiative

Advisory Committee.

- Requires Committee to report annually to Governor and Legislative Assembly.



Future Action Steps

By 2015, within existing resources, partner agencies shall:

- Connect services and supports across lifespan and developmental stages.
- Build local governance structures.
- Manage care coordination locally.
- Store information in electronic record.
- Establish basic benefit package.
- Authorize services based on individual plans of care.
- Allow communities to

expand benefit package.

- Establish workforce development process.
- Establish key roles and responsibilities among partner agencies.
- Ensure cultural competence.
- Collect and evaluate data.

Shared resources

Partner agencies have the authority to combine state, federal and private resources into a single funding pool to support implementation of the

system of care and integrated service delivery at the local level.

Partner agencies may seek federal approval or waiver of federal requirements that is necessary to facilitate the pooling of resources.

Advisory Committee:

The Advisory Committee, consisting of members appointed by the Governor, shall assist in the implementation of the Statewide Wraparound Initiative. ■

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“As a judge, I have seen first hand the costs of the fragmentation of our current system. Children too often fail to get the services they need, families are frustrated and the child-caring systems respond to crises, not thoughtful planning. No single agency or system is responsible or accountable for children and youth with complex mental health needs.”
Judge Nan Waller, Chief Family Law Judge, Multnomah County.

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Target Population

Children and youth who have or are at risk of developing emotional, behavioral, or substance use related needs, and who are involved with two or more systems (child welfare, juvenile justice, special education, etc.).

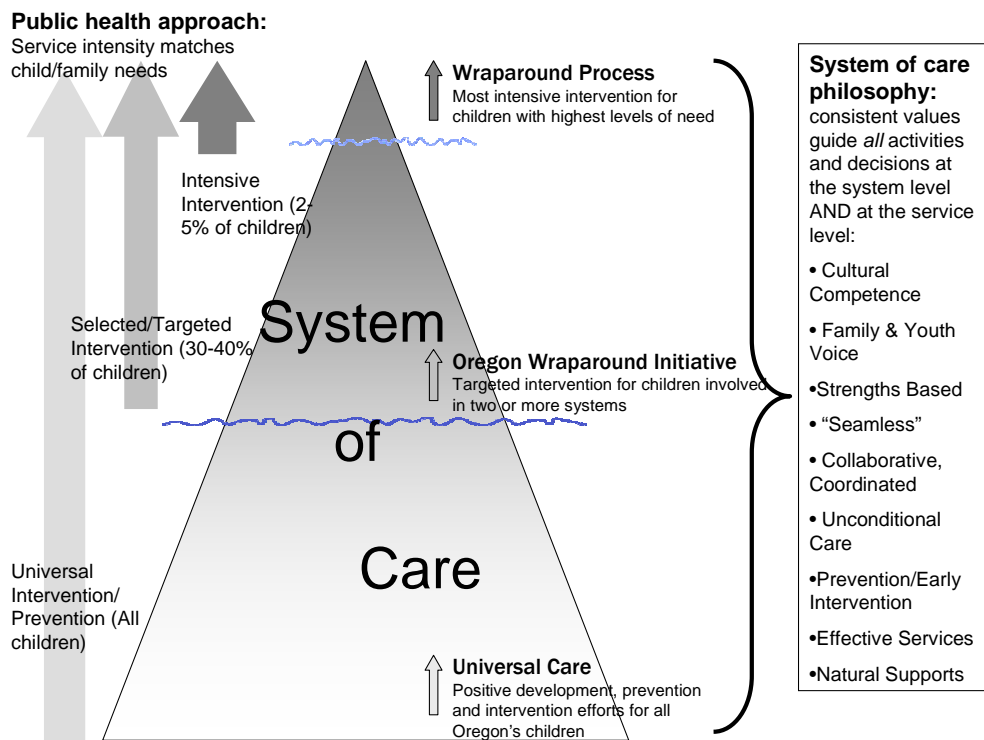
Oregon Wraparound is a holistic, inclusive approach to serving a broad population by using existing resources in a more effective and efficient manner.

As illustrated below, Oregon Wraparound is a movement that will organize children’s services and maximize positive results through a more integrated system of care. Oregon Wraparound will provide high quality treatment for the children at the top of the pyramid – the highest level of need. And, when organized in a more coordinated way, more children in the middle and the bottom of the

pyramid can be served, thus reducing the number of children needing high-end, more costly services.

Oregon Wraparound, using the same dollars currently being spent on children and youth, will transform the current service delivery system to be more coordinated, less fragmented, more efficient, and better able to account for shared outcomes. ■

Oregon’s System of Care



The Oregon Statewide Wraparound Initiative combines a *public health approach* with a *system of care philosophy* in order to meet the needs of children involved in two or more systems, and their families.