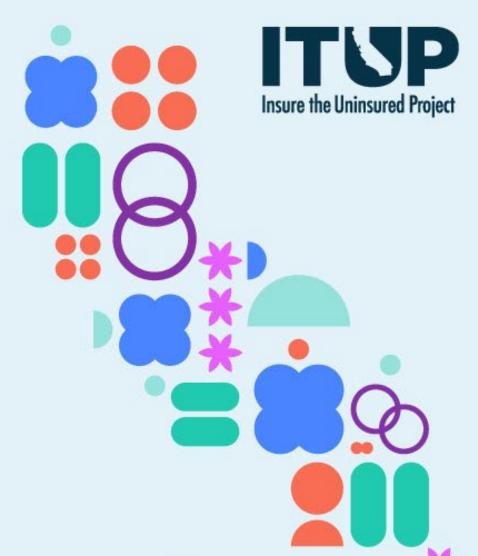
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Current Initiatives Impacting Children and Youth

- Medical Necessity Criteria
- Health plan integration
- Population Health
- ECM/CS
- Reduce Administrative Burden
 - **CalAIM**

- Provider Trainings on Screening
- Building Networks of Care
- Public Education

ACES Aware

- Prevention Services
- Short Term Residential Programs = QRTPs
- THP-Minors
- Qualified Individual
- Wraparound/Aftercare

Foster Care Model of Care

- Health Access for FY
- Behavioral Health Access

Investments in School-Based Mental Health

- Community Schools
- Managed Care
 Partnerships
- MHSSA School Partnerships
- Federal COVID Relief Funds
- State Budget

C/Y BH Initiative

- Virtual Platform
 - Access to BH for All C/Y

Family First

Prevention

Services Act

- Crisis Services
- Expands School Mental Health; coaches
- Expands Community Schools
- Community-Based Services
- Workforce Investments
- Public Education

CalBH-CBC (1115 Waiver)

- Interagency assessments
- Activity support
- IMD exception
- FY served in Managed Care





California's Children and Youth Behavioral Health Initiative

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Governor's Master Plan for Kids Mental Health

Governor Newsom Announced Master Plan for Kids' Mental Health August 18, 2022

- \$4.7B so every Californian aged 0-25 has increased access to mental health and substance use supports
- Whole Child, "All of the Above" Approach
- Multi-year, fundamental overhaul to invest in and build needed system infrastructure
- CYBHI at the Core

Other investments and initiatives in California being implemented in coordination and collaboration:

- \$4.1B on a community schools' strategy to connect kids and families to essential services including health screenings, meals and more, as well as expanded learning opportunities
- \$5B on a Medi-Cal CalAIM initiative to better integrate health and behavioral health services for low-income kids and improve child health outcomes, including prevention
- \$1.4B to build the healthcare workforce that expands our capacity to meet the health needs of Californians, including children and families.
- State budget investments in school-based behavioral health workforce, such as school counselors













What is the CYBHI?

The **Children and Youth Behavioral Health Initiative (CYBHI)** is a historic, five-year, \$4.4 billion initiative to <u>reimagine and transform the way California supports children, youth and families.</u>

The initiative focuses on:

- Promoting mental, emotional and behavioral health and well-being.
- Prevention and providing services to support children and youth well-being.
- Providing services, support and screening to ALL children and youth for emerging and existing needs connected to mental, emotional and behavioral health and substance use
- Addressing inequities for groups disproportionately impacted by mental health challenges and that face the greatest systemic barriers to wellbeing

Built on a foundation of **equity** and **accessibility**, the CYBHI is designed to **meet young people and families where they are** to create an ecosystem that can help them **when**, **where** and **in the way they need it most**.













Our Approach

Over the course of five years (2021-2026), the CYBHI seeks to:

- Reimagine the ecosystem supporting youth emotional, mental, and behavioral health.
- Focus on prevention and early intervention to support well-being.
- Expand equitable access.
- Meet our kids where they are.
- Scale effective ideas.
- Build a larger, more diverse and more skilled workforce.
- Catalyze alignment and coordination.
- Raise awareness and reduce stigma.













Workstreams

Detailed information on the CYBHI's 14 workstreams can be found in Appendix A.

Workforce Training and Capacity		Behavioral Health Ecosystem Infrastructure		Coverage Architecture	Public Awareness
Wellness Coach Workforce (HCAI)	Trauma-informed Training for Educators (CA-OSG)	School-Linked Partnership and Capacity Grants (DHCS)	Student Behavioral Health Incentive Program (DHCS)	Enhanced Medi-Cal Benefits – Dyadic Services (DHCS)	Public Education and Change Campaigns (CDPH)
Broad Behavioral Health Workforce Capacity (HCAI)	Early Talents (HCAI)	Behavioral Health Continuum Infrastructure Program (DHCS)	Youth Suicide Reporting and Crisis Response (CDPH)		ACEs and Toxic Stress Awareness Campaign (CA-OSG)
Behavioral Health Virtual Services Platform and Next Generation Digital Supports (DHCS)				Statewide All-Payer Fee Schedule for School-Linked Behavioral Health Services (DHCS/DMHC)	Targeted Youth Suicide Prevention Grants and Outreach Campaign (CDPH)
Healthcare Provider Training and e-Consult (DHCS)					
Scaling Evidence-Based and Community-Defined Practices (DHCS)					
CalHOPE Student Services (DHCS)					Parent Support Video Series (DHCS)
Mindfulness, Resilience and Well-being Grants (DHCS)					
Youth Peer-to-Peer Support Program (DHCS)					













CYBHI Progress Report



CYBHI 2023 Progress Report













Additional resources and updates

Quarterly Public Webinar, February 1, 2023, 2-4 pm

Quarterly Public Webinar, October 20th, 2022, 2 pm – 4 pm, Recording and Slides

Quarterly Public Quarterly Webinar on July 15, 2022: presentation materials and video recording

December 2022 Stakeholder Update

September 2022 Stakeholder Update

August 2022 Stakeholder update

CYBHI 101 Slide Deck













CYBHI contacts

- To provide input on initiative-wide topics or sign up to receive regular updates about the CYBHI, please email CYBHI@chhs.ca.gov
- To engage on workstream-specific topics, please use the following contact information and resources:
 - Department of Health Care Services:
 - Contact information for questions/feedback: <u>CYBHI@dhcs.ca.gov</u>
 - Children & Youth Behavioral Health Initiative Webpage
 - Student Behavioral Health Incentive Program (SBHIP) <u>Webpage</u>
 - Behavioral Health Continuum Infrastructure Program (BHCIP) <u>Webpage</u>
 - CalHOPE Student Support <u>Webpage</u>
- Department of Health Care Access and Information (HCAI): <u>CYBHI@hcai.ca.gov</u>
- Department of Managed Health Care: <u>CYBHI@dmhc.ca.gov</u>
- California Department of Public Health: <u>CYBHI@cdph.ca.gov</u>
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