

FULL SERVICE PARTNERSHIP WRAPAROUND (FSPW):

INTEGRATED, EQUITABLE, HIGH-INTENSITY CARE

A unified, family-driven model delivering the County's highest-intensity services for youth and families with complex needs.



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TODAY'S SESSION

INFORMATIONAL OVERVIEW

Focuses on the highest intensity of services in our Children's Outpatient System of Care

- Provides context on program changes, goals, and alignment
- Designed to support shared understanding across partners and programs

Not Covered Today

- Procurement or RFA instructions
- Application or submission requirements
- Budget details

Upcoming Procurement Information

Please subscribe to our contractors' bidders page to be notified when there is a new opportunity available:

<https://dhs.saccounty.gov/Pages/Contractor-Bidding-Opportunities.aspx>

SACRAMENTO COUNTY PROCUREMENT PROCESS

Why we use it and how it works



Planning and Design

Identify service gaps, target populations, and program expectations based on community need, best practices, and applicable state and federal requirements



Procurement Posted & applications accepted

Procurement is posted outlining program requirements, eligibility, and submission timelines



Application Evaluation

Applications are evaluated by a selection committee, that may include County and community representatives, using pre-defined, written scoring criteria.



Selection & Approval

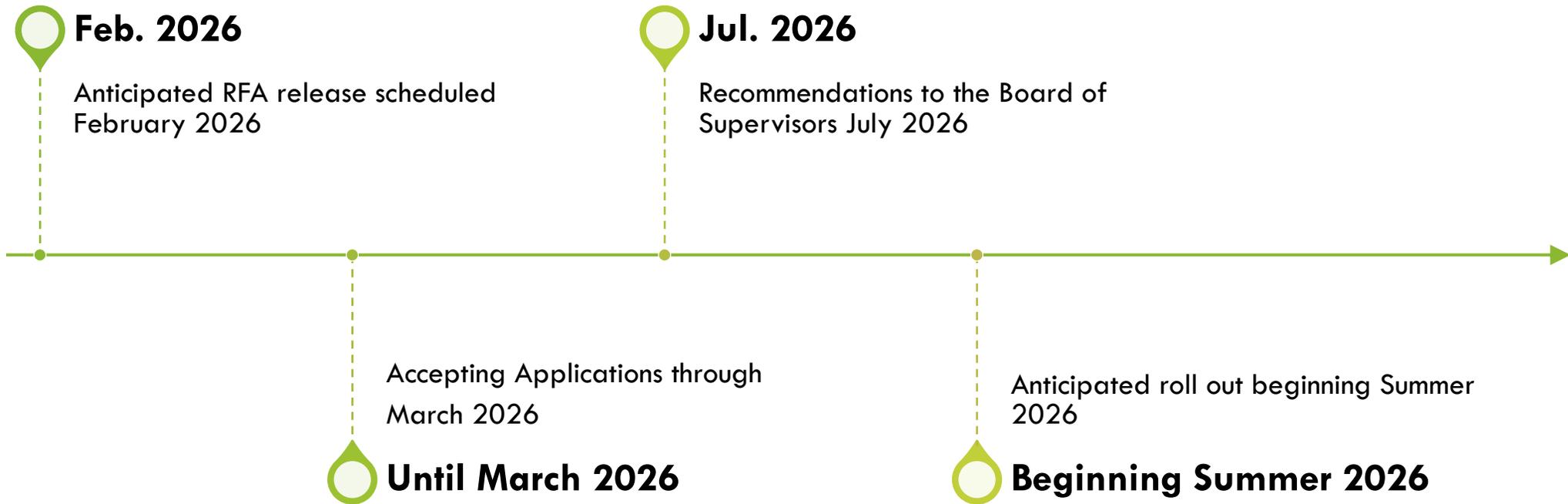
Evaluation results inform award recommendations, which are subject to County review and Board approval



Contract & Implementation

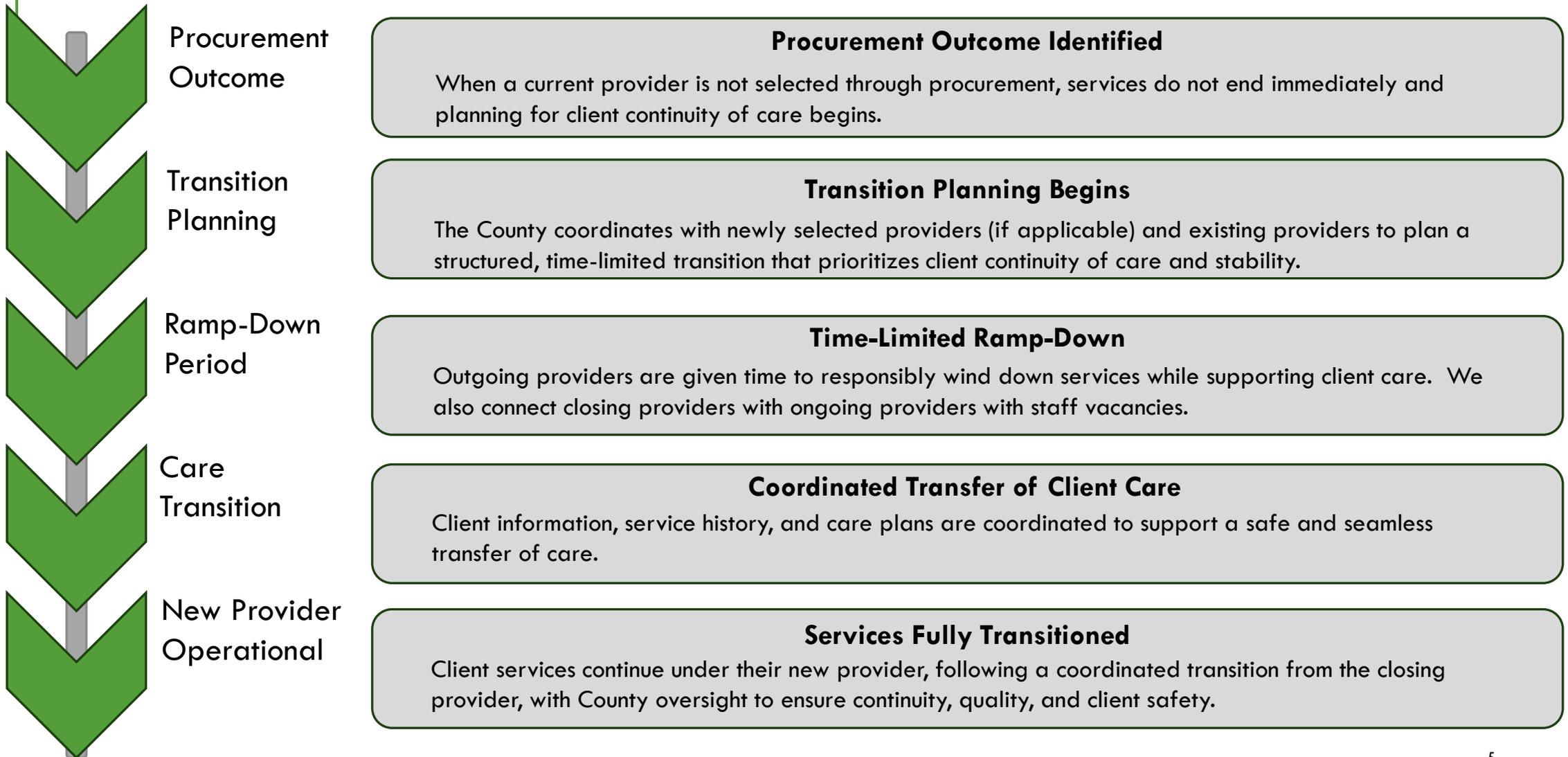
Following Board approval, agreements are executed and providers begin ramp up and service delivery

TIMELINE

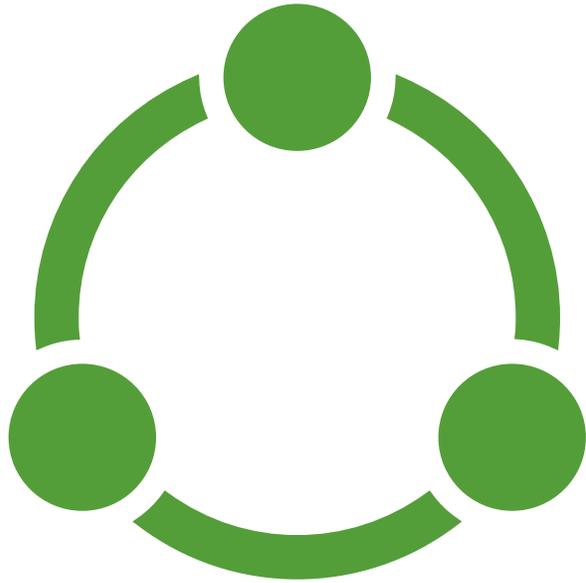


PLANNED PROVIDER TRANSITION TO SUPPORT CLIENT CONTINUITY OF CARE

This process applies when new providers are onboarded and when existing providers transition out of services



Transitions are planned to avoid service disruption and support client safety and stability.



**FSPW:
WHAT'S STAYING THE SAME,
WHAT'S NEW,
COMPONENTS OF THE MODEL,
NEXT STEPS**

WHAT'S STAYING THE SAME

Sacramento County will continue to:

- Provide high quality intensive services to youth and their families.
- Provide services in locations (including rural) that the youth and family prefer, in the language that youth and family prefer.
 - Home
 - School
 - Telehealth
 - office
- Work with our partners such as Tribes and Tribal Organizations, Schools, Regional Center, Cultural Organizations, CPS, and Probation to work together to serve families who have complex needs.
- Focus on outcomes across home, school, and community.

WHAT'S NEW

Unified Model vs. Separate Programs

Flexible levels of services/Tiered Level of Service

Holistic support for youth and families through specialized staff trained in co-occurring services

Integrated Caregiver Behavioral Health Services

Evidence-Based Practices Integration – High Fidelity Wraparound & Multisystemic Therapy

Current BHS High Intensity Services

Full Service Partnership (FSP)

Wraparound
Requires CPS or Probation involvement



Updated BHS High Intensity Services

Full Service Partnership-Wraparound (FSPW)

WHAT IS FULL SERVICE PARTNERSHIP- WRAPAROUND (FSPW)?

FSPW is a team approach to help youth and families with complex needs.

Coordinate across systems like Tribes and Tribal Organizations, Schools, Regional Centers, CPS, Probation, DHA, homeless services, courts, and other organizations.

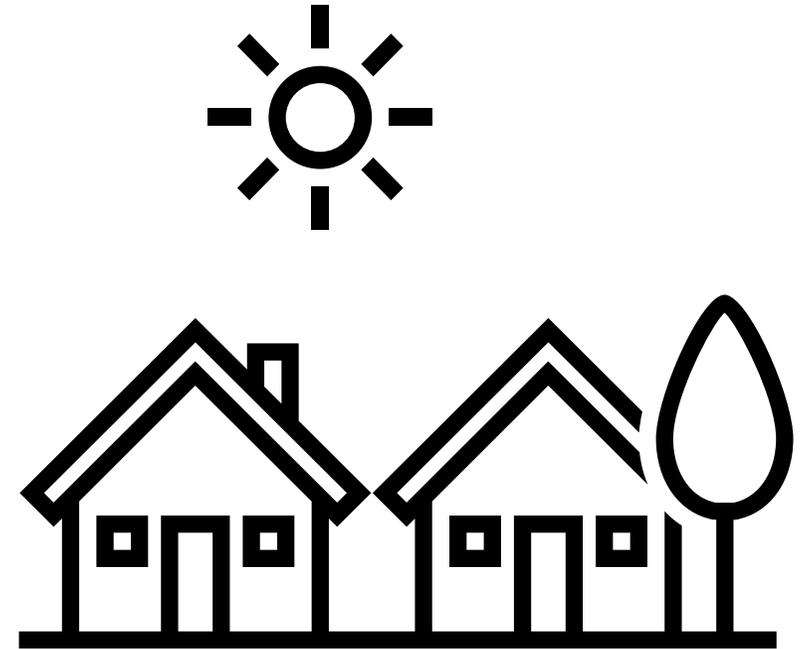
Services include therapy, crisis support, housing help, evidence based practices, co-occurring substance use support, and family support.

Families help make decisions and choose what works best for them.

Services are available 24/7 for behavioral health emergencies.

Any youth who meets an IP-CANS scoring threshold will be eligible.

Services are in the location and language the youth and family prefer.



EVIDENCE BASED PRACTICE:

HIGH FIDELITY WRAPAROUND

Family-driven team planning: Youth, caregivers, natural supports, and professionals meet as a Child and Family Team (CFT) to build a plan based on the youth's goals and strengths.

Community-based support: Helps youth with serious behavioral health needs stay safely at home and in the community by coordinating services across key systems.

High-fidelity wraparound quality: Services follow wraparound standards with structured phases, routine review, and fidelity monitoring to support consistent, effective care.

Using Integrated Practice-Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths (IP-CANS) assessment and discussion with the CFT will help determine the tier, or level of care, types of services, and funding.

EVIDENCE BASED PRACTICE:

MULTISYSTEMIC THERAPY (MST)

An intensive, home- and community-based treatment for youth with serious behavioral issues, focusing on empowering caregivers to address challenges effectively.

Multi-System Approach: Targets the interconnected systems influencing the youth, family, peers, school, and community to reduce delinquency, improve functioning, and prevent out-of-home placement.

Time-Limited, Goal-Oriented Model: Typically delivered over 3–5 months with 24/7 therapist team's availability, using structured assessments and measurable outcomes to ensure lasting change.

Can be delivered in the absence of the youth to strengthen the family system

HIGH-INTENSITY TIERED SERVICES AND SUPPORTS

Phased, High-Intensity Programming

Using Integrated Practice-Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths (IP-CANS)* assessment and discussion with the Child and Family Team (CFT) will help determine the tier, or level of care, types of services, and funding¹.

Stabilization → Treatment → Step Down

Resources

*State guidance regarding the IP-CANS:

<https://cdss.ca.gov/inforesources/foster-care/cans/the-cans-tool/cans-resources>

¹State guidance regarding activities fund initiative:

<https://www.dhcs.ca.gov/Documents/Final-Activity-Funds-BHIN-25-037.pdf>

WHAT ARE TIERED SERVICES BASED ON?

Key Take Aways

- Youth needs fall into different groups based on IP-CANS results. It is not one-size-fits-all.
 - These groups show clear differences in symptoms, safety risks, caregiver needs, and daily functioning.
 - We will use these patterns to help make consistent decisions about service levels and how intensive care should be.
- Youth and families with higher needs often show more of these concerns:
- Mood and behavior challenges (anxiety, depression, anger, trouble controlling impulses, trauma reactions)
 - Trouble functioning day-to-day (school behavior, attendance, grades, decision-making, unstable living situation)
 - Safety risks (suicidal thoughts, self-harm, running away, danger to others)
 - Caregiver and family barriers (low supervision, caregiver mental health needs, limited resources or instability)

APPLYING THE WRAPAROUND MODEL

What we want to see in Full Service Partnership Wraparound proposals

Whatever It Takes

- Care coordination and treatment
- Behavioral Health for the whole family
- Flexible intensity over time

Family Voice & Choice

- Youth and caregiver driven planning
- Cultural humility
- Strength-based practice

Staffing for FSP Intensity

- 24/7 availability expectations
- Low Caseloads
- Supervision and backup coverage

CFT & System Integration

- CPS, Probation, Education, Alta, DHA, Tribes etc.
- Clear roles in CFTs
- Intensive communication

Engagement Across Phases

- Engagement during crises and transitions
- Collaboration with supports
- Continuity during housing or provider transitions

Fidelity & Outcomes

- Wraparound fidelity
- Data informed outcome tracking
- Continuous quality improvement

OUR PATH FORWARD

Next Steps:

Release Procurement – Launch the FSPW Request for Applications to identify qualified providers.

Ramp up and Implement FSPW Program – Begin service delivery focused on holistic, family-driven care for Sacramento County youth.

Data Collection & Evaluation – Monitor outcomes, assess progress, and identify growth areas to ensure continuous quality improvement.

Commitment to Quality – Use evaluation findings to strengthen services and maintain high standards of care for our community.



THANK YOU

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