

Magellan Healthcare Children's Services

Partnering with customers, providers, members, families, and advocacy organizations to transform behavioral health systems, we support members in their recovery journey, helping them build resilience and achieve a healthier future.



Magellan Healthcare is committed to helping children with behavioral health needs improve their overall clinical functioning and transition successfully into adulthood.

As a national behavioral health company, we manage a comprehensive range of high-quality, targeted solutions that address behavioral health needs across all levels of care—crisis, acute, and ongoing. These services help children, youth, and young adults live safely in their homes and communities. Our offerings span:

- Comprehensive preventive, treatment and integrated care tailored to individual needs
- Complex care coordination for youth who are in or at risk of out-of-home placement
- Innovative system of care that helps states better serve individuals with multi-system involvement

Our Approach to Care



Built on system and community partnerships

Driving success through relationships

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Clinically innovative

Delivering positive impact to those we serve

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Data- and outcomes-driven

Continuously improving program quality

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Evidence-based Exceeding national standards and expectations

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Youth- and family-voice centered

Prioritizing individual needs and empowerment



Wraparound has prevented foster care placements by pushing in additional supports and helping families to make immediate and necessary changes to ensure children can stay safely in the home.

– Provider



From day one, Magellan has proactively worked to develop relationships and connections within the community and has demonstrated a commitment to the health and wellbeing of our residents.

– County Administrator



Solving complex behavioral health challenges together

Magellan partners with states to deliver comprehensive behavioral health solutions that address the multifaceted needs of children, youth, and young adults.

Through statewide, regional, and specialty behavioral health carve-out programs, we provide a full range of evidence-based services that empower youth and families to remain together and build long-term stability in their communities.

We build strong provider networks and ensure care is youth-driven and family-centered. Whether supporting prevention or responding to crisis, our programs help states and counties strengthen behavioral health continuums of care, reduce costly hospitalizations and residential placements, and improve outcomes for youth and their families.



(Accredited in NM, TX, LA and PA)



(Accredited in PA)



Magellan has demonstrated strong leadership, commitment, and performance...they have consistently delivered on financial targets, ensure a robust compliance program with provider accountability, and have demonstrated clinical and quality excellence.

– State Director of Human Services



Serving youth and families

Whole-Health Model of Care

- Proven clinical strategies
- Evidence-based and outcomes-focused
- Individualized care plans
- Family voice and choice
- Community-based supports and resources

Member-Centered Care Team

- Multi-disciplinary clinical team
- Expert medical consultation
- Peer and family support from staff with lived experience
- Care transitions supported by specialists

Programs for Specific Populations

- Early Childhood Mental Health Consultation
- High Fidelity Wraparound
- Transition to Independence
- Youth Peer Support

Driving positive outcomes

Coordinated System of Care

- **Over 93% of youth** avoid inpatient hospital stays—including high-risk, SED populations
- **84% of caregivers** feel more confident caring for their child at home
- **66% improvement** in school functioning
- **24% reduction** in residential treatment facility use

High Fidelity Wraparound

- **Over 90% of youth** are discharged to home and community-based settings
- **65% savings in care** compared to inpatient treatment

Other Programs

- **33% reduction** in displacement from home (Multi-Systemic Therapy)
- **42% decrease** in inpatient admissions (Transition to Independence)
- **65% increase** in community tenure (Children's Comprehensive Care Management)
- **Over 86% of members** report positive overall satisfaction across programs

Magellan Healthcare internal data, 2022-2024.

Building healthier futures together

Magellan helps children, youth, young adults, and families achieve their goals. We focus on **innovation**, **clinical excellence**, and **whole-person** wellness, empowering individuals to discover their strengths and build lasting hope.

In partnership with customers, members, providers, advocates, and other allies, we're transforming behavioral healthcare systems and delivering the best treatment options to support recovery and resilience—ensuring youth receive the right care, in the right setting, at the right time through:



**Enhanced Data
and Outcomes
Reporting**



**Proven Quality
Assurance
Processes**



**Local Approach to
Partnership, National
Best Practices**



**Integrated,
Whole-Health
Model of Clinical
Excellence**



**Coordinated
Support for Youth
and Families**



**Existing Infrastructure
and Network
Development
Capabilities**



For more information about how our customized solutions for children make a difference, contact PSBusinessDevelopment@MagellanHealth.com or visit MagellanHealthcare.com/Youth.