

CARES Act Allocation Plan Projects

Requirement: CARES Act

Frequency: Monthly

Due Date: 10th of each month

The Managing Entity shall implement the following projects with CARES Act Allocation Plan funding made available for delivery of services through December 31, 2021. Each project shall be implemented according to provider identities, service locations and funding levels specified in the Exhibit H – Funding Detail.

1. Expand the existing Florida Assertive Community Treatment (FACT) Teams to serve an additional 27 new individuals per team by December 31, 2021. Services shall be provided in compliance with the standards in Guidance 16.
 - a. **SMA Healthcare, Inc.: Expand existing team in Volusia/Flagler**
2. Expand the existing Community Action Treatment (CAT) Teams to serve an additional 25 new individuals per team by December 31, 2021. Services shall be provided in compliance with the standards in Guidance 32.
 - a. **Child Guidance Center, Inc.: Expand existing team in Duval**
 - b. **LifeStream Behavioral Center, Inc.: Expand existing team in Citrus/Hernando**
 - c. **The Chrysalis Center, Inc.: Expand exiting team in Alachua**
3. Establish a Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome (NAS) and Substance Exposed Newborn (SEN) Team at a Network Service Provider to be selected by the Managing Entity. The team shall provide coordinated support to families with infants diagnosed with NAS or SEN in Circuit 4. Provider selection shall include consideration to enhancing existing relationships with key stakeholders also involved with the target population, such as family-centered residential programs, hospitals systems, dependency court programs, etc.
 - a. **Inspire to Rise, Inc.**
 - i. The team shall include:
 1. 1.0 FTE NAS/SEN Care Coordinator
 2. 1.0 FTE Recovery Peer Support Coordinator
 3. 1.0 FTE NAS/SEN Housing and Employment Coordinator or Care Coordinator or Recovery Peer Support Coordinator
4. Expand care coordination services to the following populations by staffing Children’s Care Coordinators at the Children’s Crisis Stabilization Units (CSUs) at the Network Service Provider levels as detailed below.
 - a. **Meridian Behavioral Healthcare, Inc.: 1.0 FTE in Circuits 3/8**
 - b. **LifeStream Behavioral Healthcare, Inc.: 1.0 FTE in Circuit 5 – Lake, Sumter, Citrus**
 - c. **Children’s Home Society of Florida: 1.0 FTE in Circuit 5 – Marion**
 - d. The services shall be provided in compliance with the standards in Guidance 4.
 - i. Children and parents in the child welfare system with behavioral health needs;

- ii. Persons being discharged from Baker Act Receiving Facilities, Emergency Rooms, jails or juvenile justice facilities;
 - iii. Adults who do not qualify for services provided by Florida Assertive Community Treatment (FACT) teams; and
 - iv. Children who do not qualify for services provided by Community Action Teams (CAT).
5. Expand information and referral and resource supports service capacity provided by 211 centers. The Managing Entity shall implement a unique expansion plan, developed in collaboration with the Department and each 211, to address identified gaps and opportunities for any combination of staffing, outreach, public awareness, infrastructure, or information technology supports designed to improve access to care and divert families from the child welfare system and Economic Self-Sufficiency systems.
 - a. **United Way of Northeast Florida, Inc. 2-1-1**
6. Implement or expand jail-based forensic diversion programs providing competency restoration and associated behavioral health treatments in jail or other community non-residential settings designed to divert individuals from commitment to forensic state mental health treatment facilities.
 - a. **SMA Healthcare, Inc.: Circuit 7**

Ad Hoc and additional reporting may be required as determined necessary by LSF Health Systems or the Department of Children and Families.

The projects will be administered according to DCF's Guidance Document which can be found at following link using the applicable fiscal year: <http://www.myflfamilies.com/service-programs/samh/managing-entities/>.