



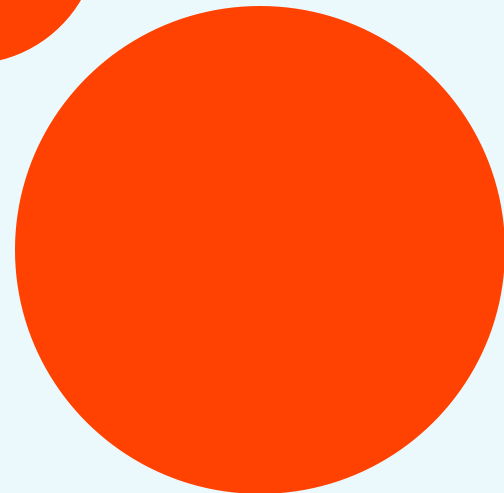
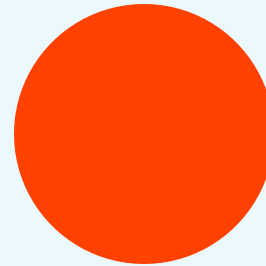
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# **Intensive Behavior Health**



**Who is  
Children's  
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# Children's Institute

Children's Institute (Cii) is a non-profit that was founded in 1906. Cii utilizes a two generation approach to strengthen individuals, families, and communities for healing, wellness, and success. We offer high-quality early education and youth programs, counseling services, parenting supports, workforce and community leadership development and advocacy



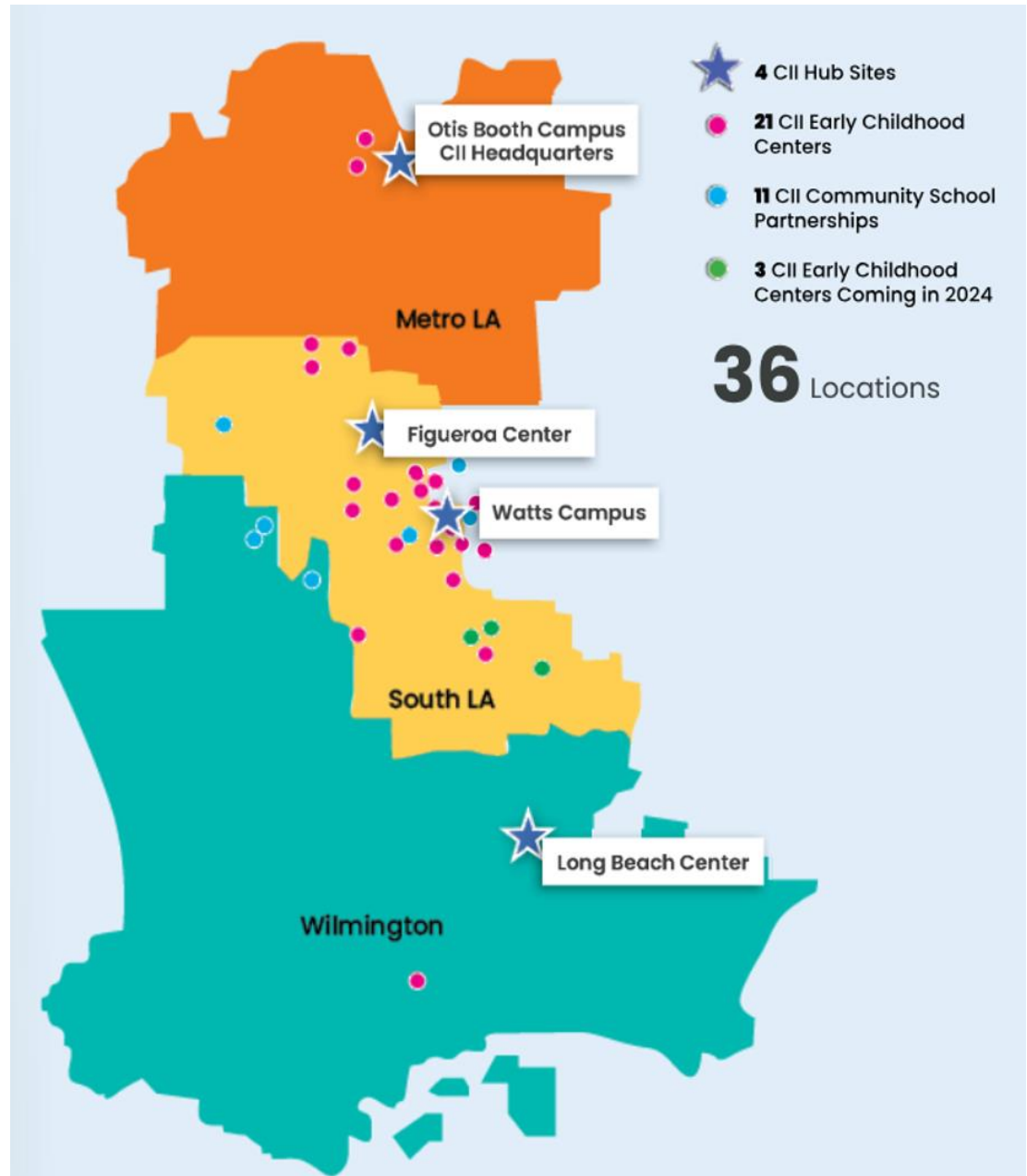
# Locations

CII is located in Service Planning Areas (SPA):

Orange – SPA 4

Yellow – SPA 6

Teal – SPA 8



# Early Education Services

## **Early Head Start (Center & Home-Based)**

Early Head Start promotes school readiness, child development and family well-being for prenatal mothers and children ages 0 to 3, both in the home and in center-based environments. The home-based program consists of weekly home visits from a trained staff member who provides parenting education and support for optimal family functioning, while the center-based program provides education and support in an early education center. By working with children from a young age, Early Head Start ensures children and their families are ready for the transition to preschool.

## **Head Start (Center-Based)**

Head Start preschool promotes early learning and school readiness for children ages 3 to 5. Children are also connected to medical providers, kept up-to-date on immunizations, fed nutritious meals and referred to counseling services as needed. Head Start actively engages families in their child's education by offering family support groups, referrals for additional resources, and opportunities to participate in their child's everyday learning. Head Start ensures that all children have a smooth transition into Kindergarten and beyond.

## **Home Visitation**

Providing home visits for parents and their young children, our Home Visitation program offers child development education and parenting support during the formative years of 0 to 5. In addition, staff members work closely with caregivers to help them achieve their education and career goals, access community resources and strengthen family functioning.

# Parenting Services

## **Project Fatherhood**

Project Fatherhood provides comprehensive parenting skills to men in caregiving roles— including fathers, stepfathers, foster parents and relative caregivers—using an innovative support group model. Project Fatherhood helps fathers to be better parents through:

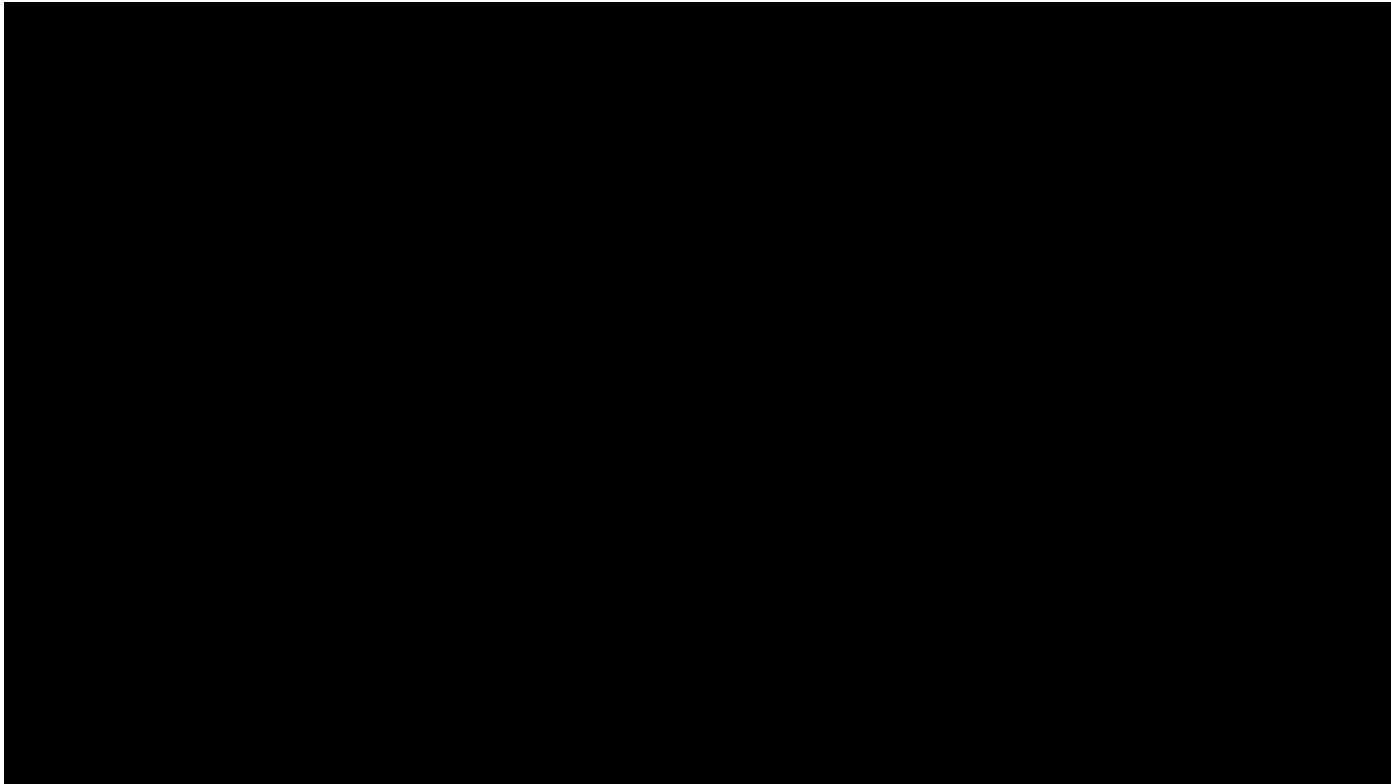
- Virtual group sessions that lasts 12 weeks
- Education on building healthy relationships and parenting skills.
- Employment services and financial literacy workshops using the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) Money Smarts for Adults.
- Access to resources for your growing family, including groceries, baby items like diapers and car seats, gift cards and more.

## **Enhanced Care Management (ECM)**

ECM provides intensive case management services for individuals and households who meet one of the following populations: unhoused, serious mental health disorder or substance use, recently incarcerated, foster youth (or former foster youth) up to age 26, or frequent users of medical systems (such as frequent ER visits or using ER instead of PCP). Services can include referrals and linkages, skill building, and health promotion/education.

# Behavior Health and Wellness Services

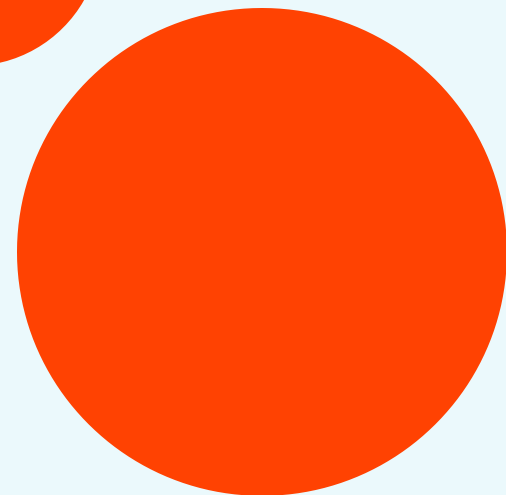
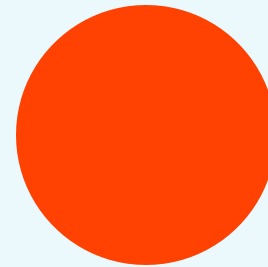
Cii provides behavior health and counseling services to support social and emotional development for children, with a special focus on the impacts of trauma. Cii helps children and families navigate and reduce symptoms of traumatic stress, improve coping skills and build resilience. Services range from individual and family therapy, psychiatric evaluation and medication, case management, and specialized support groups.







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# What is Intensive Behavior Health?

- Intensive behavior health supports children/youth and their families
- A team based approach that provides individual/family counseling and therapy
- 24/7 crisis support
- Services that are easily accessible in the home, school, community, telehealth, and/or office
- Assistance with accessing community resources such as housing, physical health care, etc.
- Services that are tailored to meet the needs of the family with an emphasis on the family's voice and choice
- Services are provided through a trauma informed care lens
- “Whatever it takes” collaborative approach



# Intensive Behavior Health Goal

To provide intensive, individualized, and comprehensive services to families that will ultimately support children and youth to thrive in safe, stable, and permanent family environments.

By engaging children, youth and families into a process focused on identifying underlying needs, while prioritizing their perspectives, options, values, preferences and developing individualized treatment plans, children and youth will



# Meet the Team

Intensive Behavior Health has a dedicated team that is comprised of the following members:



- **Intensive Care Coordinator (ICC):** Organizes meetings and ensures that the plan created with the family is working
- **Intensive Home Base Services (IHBS) Worker:** Works with the child/youth to improve behaviors, build skills, and supports positive life changes
- **Parent Partner (PP):** Supports parents/caregivers and provides community resources
- **Therapist:** Provides individual and family counseling and therapy



# Intensive Behavior Health Programs



- Wraparound
- Full Service Partnership (FSP)
- Intensive Field Capable Clinical Services (IFCCS)



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# Wraparound

# Criteria for Wraparound

## What is Wraparound?

Wraparound is an intensive behavior health program that supports children/youth who present with urgent and/or intensive behavior and mental health needs. Wraparound focuses on supporting children/youth who are at risk, transitioning to a higher level of care, or returning to a less structured home environment in the community.

## Who is eligible for Wraparound:

A child/youth between the ages of 0 and 21 years who has **Medi-cal Insurance** and engaged with the **Child Welfare System** or **Probation**





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# Full Service Partnership (FSP)



# Criteria for FSP

## What is FSP?

FSP is an intensive behavior health program that supports children/youth who have a Serious Emotional Disturbance (SED), need more services than traditional outpatient mental health services, or individuals who have multiple psychiatric hospitalizations.

## Who is eligible for FSP:

A child/youth between the ages of 0 and 21 years who has **Medi-cal Insurance** and demonstrate one or more of the following:

- School suspensions and/or expulsions;
- School absences - considered chronically truant
- Psychiatric hospitalization(s) within the last six months
- History of suicidal and/or homicidal ideations
- Experiencing prodromal or first episode of psychosis
- Transitioning into the community from a restrictive setting
- Co-Occurring disorders
- Homelessness
- Experienced two or more home placements

# Intensive Field Capable Clinical Services (IFCCS)



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# Criteria for IFCCS



## What is IFCCS?

IFCCS is an intensive behavior health program that supports children/youth who present with urgent and/or intensive behavior and mental health needs. The treatment team will follow the child across LA County in order to provide consistency and continuation of care.

## Who is eligible for IFCCS:

A child/youth between the ages of 0 and 21 years who has **Medi-cal Insurance** and engaged with the **Child Welfare System**. In addition, the child/youth **experienced one or more home placement disruptions** to be eligible for IFCCS.

# Program Comparison

| Program    | Age        | Insurance          | SPA                                | Requirements  |
|------------|------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|---|
| Wraparound | 0-21 years | Medi-cal Insurance | Services within the SPA            | Involvement with the child welfare system or probation                            |
| FSP        | 0-21 years | Medi-cal Insurance | Services within the SPA            | High risk behaviors   |
| IFCCS      | 0-21 years | Medi-cal Insurance | Services across all LA County SPAs | Involvement with the child welfare system and multiple home placement disruptions |

# How to Refer to Cii

If you are interested with learning more about our services or would like to refer your child then please contact us by:

- Calling us at (213) 385-5100 then click option 3



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# Q&A





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