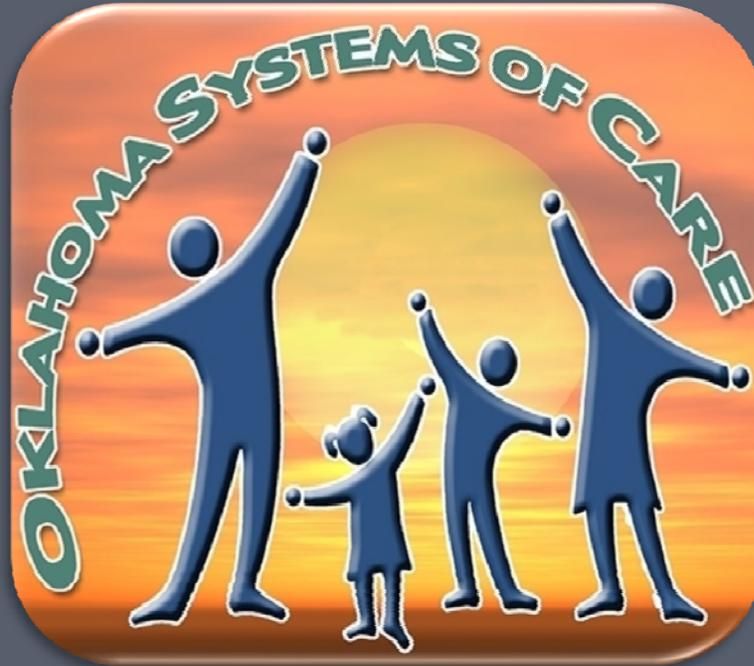


Oklahoma Systems of Care (OSOC)



Oklahoma Tribal Expansion

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CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH INITIATIVE SYSTEMS OF CARE MODEL

Systems of Care is a comprehensive spectrum of mental health and other support services that are organized into coordinated networks to meet the multiple and changing needs of children, adolescents and their families with a serious emotional disturbance. It accomplishes this by providing community based, family driven, youth guided, and culturally competent services statewide.

Wraparound is a facilitated team-based process involving the child, his or her family, professional and natural supports who are involved in the life of the child. This process results in strengths-based individualized plans that lead to achieving positive outcomes.



SOC VALUES

- Community-based: OSOC brings the services to the family's home community. The responsibility for decision making is placed at the local level.
- Family-driven: means that families have a primary decision-making role in the care of their children as well as in the policies and procedures governing care for all children in their community, state, tribe, territory and nation.
- Youth-Guided: youth are knowledgeable of services, beginning to research & ask questions about resources, beginning to understand the process of the system and services, involved in identifying needs and supports, learning how to self advocate.
- Youth-directed: youth are continuing with youth-guided process, in a safe place (not in continual crisis), taking a more active decision making role in treatment and within the OSOC (policy, etc), increasing their knowledge of services and developing a deeper understanding of the system.
- Youth-driven: youth are initiating, planning and executing in partnership with others, equipped with an expert level of understanding and advocating for other young people.
- Culturally & Linguistically Competent: services and supports must be tailored to the unique culture of the child and family.



CURRENT TRIBAL SOC COMMUNITIES

Indian Health Care Resource Center of Tulsa - wrap around MH services to the urban Indians of Tulsa metro and surrounding areas (State funded)

Creek Nation Systems of Care is also an active member of the Oklahoma Children's state team, as well as been a great ally for the state systems of care expansion project (SAMHSA funded)



EXPANDING INTO OKLAHOMA TRIBAL COMMUNITIES

- Increasing Culturally Competent Mental Health Services for American Indian Children, Youth and Families



EXPECTATIONS FOR EXPANSION

- Increase tribal resources (programs, consumers etc..) on existing and new OKSOC community teams & referral teams
- Increase access to wrap-around and systems of care services for Tribal populations
- Increase culturally competencies of services of non-tribal service providers
- Increase tribal representation at Oklahoma Children's State Team
- Identifying champions to inform tribal outreach within local systems of care sites
- Support Practice Based Evidence
- Increase communication among tribal behavioral health communities



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