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Fostering Well-Being (FWB)



Where are we Located

The Fostering Well-Being program is located at the Aging and Long-Term Support Administration (AL TSA) Head Quarters building known as Blake West in Lacey, Washington.

We acknowledge that our Head Quarters resides on the ancestral lands of the Coast Salish Peoples, specifically the Nisqually and Squaxin Island Peoples; who have lived on and cared for this land and these waterways since time immemorial. We serve children and youth from all of Washington, and we make this acknowledgement to open a space of recognition, inclusion and respect for all Indigenous Peoples and their lands throughout our beautiful State.

How FWB came to be:

In 2010 under the Executive Order 10-02, Governor Chris Gregoire authorized the partnership between DCYF (Dept of children, youth, and families), DSHS (Dept social health services), HCA (Health Care Authority) with the main goal to delivery health care services for children in out-of-home placement to ensure that these children's medical, mental health and chemical dependency needs are identified and met through a person-centered health home model.



Since the creation of our team at DSHS, The Fostering Well-Being program has been the Department's organizational framework for delivering person-centered health care services for all vulnerable children and youth in out of home placement to ensure that these children's medical, mental and behavioral health and substance use disorder needs are identified and met through wrap around, comprehensive care coordination services.



Fostering Well Being Team



Our core team:

- Chani Hayes, Unit Manager
- Autumn Wade, MSN, RN, Lead Clinical Nurse Advisor
- Amanda McCleskey, BSN, RN, Clinical Nurse Advisor
- Jesenia Stark, Program Specialist
- Kyser Corcoran, Program Specialist

Regional Medical Consultants:

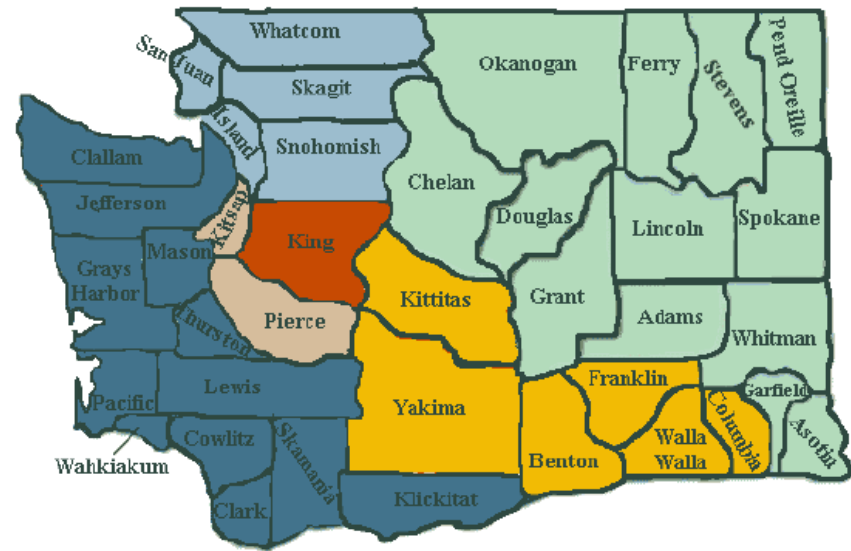
Dr. Lily Koblenz
Dr. Megan Mendoza
Dr. Michelle Terry
Dr. Julie Cheek
Dr. Christina Sadler

Regional Medical Consultant's (RMC)

RMC's are part of the FWB team as part time Pediatricians located through the state covering all regions

- **What do they do:**

- Chart reviews
- Answer questions about children in CPS intake or dependency status
- Create educational documents/handouts
- Write "at risk letters" for Adoption social workers



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*Fostering Well-Being Program
Medical Consultants by Region*



Region 1	Christine Sadler, MD
Region 2	Megan Mendoza, MD
Region 3	Julie Cheek, MD
Region 4	RMC Round Robin
Region 5	Michelle Terry, MD
Region 6	Lily Koblenz, MD

What our small but mighty team does:

- ✓ Review every Child Health and Education Tracking Screening (CHET) Report and Expedited Referrals
- ✓ Provide Medically Fragile Group Home (MFGH) Consultants and recommendations
- ✓ Participate in Health Care Authority Clinical Utilization Review
- ✓ Review and Resolve Health Care Authority service/durable, nondurable pending denials
- ✓ Create Comprehensive Health Overviews for infants, children and youth
- ✓ Health Education Materials
- ✓ Review HCA's report
- ✓ Attend various local and statewide meetings, Tribal meetings and trainings, along with being committee members



What our small but mighty team does: Continued

That was a hefty list of things our team does but our team really does want to support our community so if you are curious about a scenario, resource, Medicaid coverage, needing Medical provider, please email us! We are more than happy to assist or guide you to the right agency/person!



Who qualifies for FWB Care Coordination

FWB is available for care coordination for the Apple Health (fee-for-service Medicaid) population.

- The children and youth include the following populations:
 - Tribal-affiliated or in tribal custody and have not opted to enroll in managed care organization (MCO) due to being American Indian/Alaska Native, or
 - Non-Citizen status, or
 - Existing enrolled clients (prior to April 1, 2016) in the Health Care Authority (HCA), Medically Intensive Children's Program (MICP)

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Any Questions?



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