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Learning Collaborative: Behavioral Health Workforce Development

Health Aspects of Kindergarten Readiness
Measure: Young Children Receiving Social-Emotional
Issue-Focused Interventions/Treatment Services
CCO Quality Incentive Metric

Agenda

- Yamhill Community Care
- All participant discussion
 - CCO breakout groups
 - Larger group discussion
- Upcoming technical assistance opportunities



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Discussion

CCO Discussion

- Discuss the following questions in breakout groups:
 - What are you, as a CCO, doing/planning to ensure that workforce development supports the delivery of social-emotional health services for children 1-5 years of age?
 - What partner type(s) are you working with?
 - What has gone/is going well with developing your workforce? Why did it go well?
 - What challenges have you experienced/what challenges do you anticipate, particularly when it comes to workforce readiness and capacity? What factors contributed to the challenges you have experienced?
 - What are the next steps or actions to take to strengthen workforce development to better support the social-emotional health needs of children 1-5?
 - What additional training or support do you or your providers/partners need for metric implementation related to workforce development?
- Report back to the larger group at the end of the breakout session.

Share out & wrap-up

FAQ document reminder

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

- Provides answers to questions submitted by CCOs about the Social-Emotional Interventions for 1-5 quality metric.
- 2nd release expected June 2025. Submit additional questions to:
metrics.questions@odhsoha.oregon.gov

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

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Purpose

This document provides frequently asked questions and answers related to the Young Children Receiving Social-Emotional Issue-Focused Interventions/Treatment Services CCO quality incentive metric (Social-Emotional Interventions for 1-5 quality metric). This Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) document adds to the [2025 measure specifications](#). Additional guidance and technical assistance can be found on Oregon Health Authority's (OHA) [Social-Emotional Health metric: technical assistance webpage](#).

Please send questions to metrics.questions@odhsoha.oregon.gov.

Background

The Young Children Receiving Social-Emotional Issue-Focused Interventions/Treatment Services CCO quality incentive metric was developed by the measure stewards, [Oregon Pediatric Improvement Partnership \(OPIP\)](#). The vision is that children 1-5 years of age and their families have equitable access to services that support their social-emotional health and are the best match for their needs. CCOs can work toward this vision by targeting services most aligned with clinically recommended intervention services and improve the health care-based system of providers that the CCO contracts with that can provide these issue-focused intervention and treatment services. The intent of the quality metric is to measure and enhance the provision of intervention and

Social-Emotional Health is the developing capacity of a child from birth to 5 years old to:

- Form close and secure relationships with their primary caregivers and other adults and peers
 - Experience, manage and express a full range of emotions
 - Explore the environment and learn all in the context of family, community and culture
- Babies, toddlers and young children can and do suffer from mental health conditions caused by trauma, neglect, biological factors and environmental situations that disrupt their social-emotional development. This metric focuses on children who experience issues with one or more of these social-emotional health factors.

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Upcoming Technical Assistance Opportunities

Referral pathways for social-emotional health services

- Webinar: Every Child Belongs Program
Thursday, May 29, 2025, 10am PST,
[registration link](#)
- Learning Collaborative
Monday, June 9, 2025, 12pm PST,
[registration link](#)

Public health home visitors

- Webinar: Public Health Home Visitors
Tuesday, June 3, 2025, 10am PST,
[registration link](#)

See OHA's [Technical Assistance webpage](#) for a full calendar of TA events for this quality metric.

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