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# Behavioral Health Transformation 2021-2023 Initiatives

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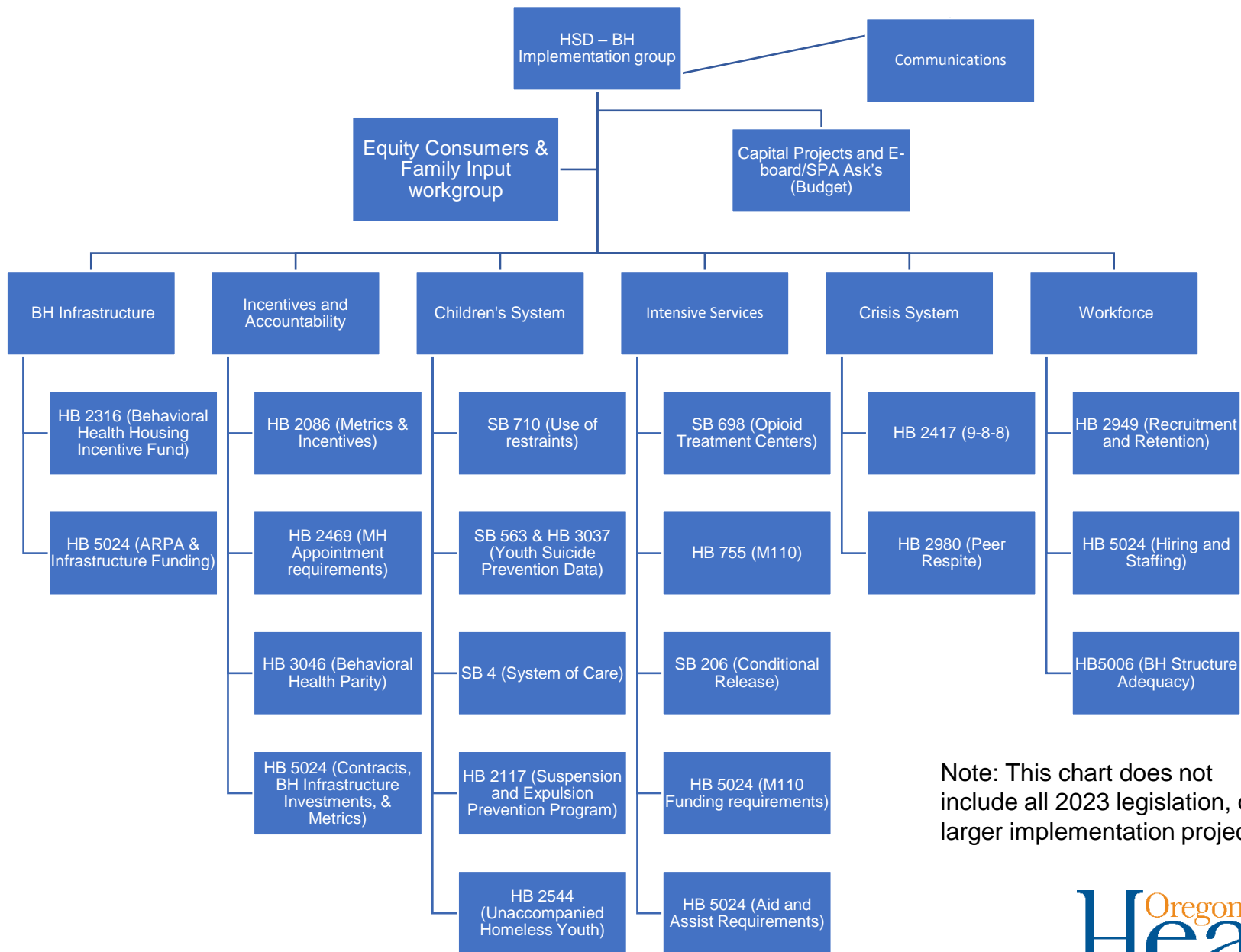
# Behavioral Health Transformation Goals

Change how we work to realize meaningful outcomes and eliminate health inequities

- Align support for priorities
- Engage partners meaningfully
- Bring down barriers that limit partner participation
- Redistribute power and resources
- Be accountable for outcomes

# Behavioral Health Transformation Work

- 2023 Bills/Budget sorted into transformational priorities
  - Infrastructure
  - Incentives and Accountability
  - Children’s System
  - Intensive Services
  - Crisis System
  - Workforce
- External Advisory Committees for each priority
- Governance structures directed by people with lived experience and communities disproportionately impacted by health inequities



Note: This chart does not include all 2023 legislation, only larger implementation projects

# Metrics and Incentives

## Behavioral Health Metrics and Incentives (per HB 2086)

- Improve timely access to behavioral health care
- Reduce hospitalizations
- Reduce overdoses
- Improve the integration of physical and behavioral health care
- Ensure individuals are supported in the least restrictive environment that meets their behavioral health needs
- **Be Simple, Responsive, Meaningful**

# Metrics and Incentives

Additional goals (per HB 5024 Budget Note)

- align contracts to
  - Prevent hospitalizations
  - Prevent criminalization
  - Prevent homelessness
  - Eliminate health inequities

# The Behavioral Health Committee

## Behavioral Health Committee Governance (per HB 2086):

- Established by The Oregon Health Policy Board
- Appointed by the OHA Director, Pat Allen
- Staffed by Health Systems Division, Office of Behavioral Health Services, Steve Allen
- Collaborate with the Health Plan Quality Metrics Committee, as needed

# The Behavioral Health Committee

## *Voting Members*

- **Health Plan Quality Metrics Committee** Chair
- **OHPB Health Equity Committee** Chair
- **CCO Behavioral Health** director
- **Community Mental Health Program** representative
- **Data Analysis** expert
- **Consumer Advisory Council** member representing adults with mental illness
- **System of Care Advisory Council** representative (ORS 418.978)
- Ballot Measure 110 (2020) **Oversight and Accountability Council** member representing adults with addictions or co-occurring conditions
- **System of care** (ORS 418.976) representative



# The Behavioral Health Committee

## *Voting Members (cont.)*

- **Consumer** representative
- **Tribal Government** representative
- One representative of an organization that **advocates on behalf of individuals with intellectual or developmental disabilities**
- **Behavioral Health service providers** representative
- **Any other member** that the OHA Director deems appropriate

# The Behavioral Health Committee

## *Non-Voting Members*

- Behavioral Health Director
- Alcohol and Drug Policy Commission Director
- Medicaid Director
- Department of Human Services representative

# Behavioral Health Key Upcoming Dates

## Metrics and Incentives

- **Now** – BH Metrics Committee (HB 2086) established/being formed
- **November 1, 2021** – Report to Legislature on contract changes needed to comply with quality metrics and incentives developed by the Behavioral Health Committee

# Behavioral Health Key Upcoming Dates

## Metrics and Incentives

- **December 1, 2021** - Report to Legislature - barriers including:
  - **legislative changes or changes to the demonstration project under section 1115 of the Social Security Act** needed to apply the quality metrics and incentives developed by the committee to contracts with coordinated care organizations and counties
  - OHA's specific **needs for data infrastructure** to implement the quality metrics and incentives
  - Recommendations for facilitating **risk-sharing agreements within the health care delivery system to achieve the goals of the quality metrics**
  - Recommendations for **counties to share in the costs of a hospitalization at OSH 30 days** after county is notified that the patient no longer needs hospital level care

# Behavioral Health Key Upcoming Dates

## Metrics and Incentives

- **February 1, 2022** - Behavioral Health Committee recommendations regarding metrics and incentives
- **December 1, 2022** - The \$49m Special Purpose Appropriation to support metrics/incentives must be allocated by the Legislature

# The Behavioral Health Committee

OHA will (per HB 2086):

- **Implement a process for collecting health outcome and quality measure data** identified by the Committee
- **Report the data** to the Oregon Health Policy Board

# The Behavioral Health Committee

## Current Efforts:

- Contracted facilitator for BH Committee
- Establish committee
  - **Recruit membership**
    - Letters/outreach started August 27
    - 2 weeks to respond
    - Evaluate responses and finalize committee roster by mid-Sept
  - **First committee meeting – est. mid/late-Sept**
    - Set cadence, weekly (if possible), up to 18 meetings
  - **Metrics and Incentives report to Legislature by 2-1-22**

# Other major work: Transformation and System Alignment

## Contracted third-party evaluator

- Evaluate behavioral health budget, staffing, data and metrics analysis and tracking, and contracts.
- **Submit a roadmap** to increasing financial transparency, accountability and ongoing reporting on Oregon's behavioral health needs and outcomes. Plan to include County Financial Assistance Agreement changes.
- Factor work of Behavioral Health Committee
- **Simple, Responsive, and Meaningful**



# Behavioral Health Additional Key Upcoming Dates

## Infrastructure Investments

- **September 3, 2021** – Applications due from communities to support planning for behavioral health residential and housing needs
- **December 1, 2021** - OHA to issue Requests for Proposals for Behavioral Health Infrastructure Grants
- **March 1, 2022** – OHA to demonstrate to Legislature the use of \$130m investment so funds can be released