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MISSION

The mission of the Division of Children and Youth Services is to plan and develop community-based mental health services for children and youth who are in need of mental health treatment. With this goal in mind, our Division networks with other agencies to provide resources and funding, and to coordinate efforts at the local, state, and federal levels.

CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS WITH SERIOUS EMOTIONAL DISORDERS

Although the definition of emotional disturbance varies across agencies, the Department of Mental Health defines children and adolescents with a serious emotional disturbance as any individual, from birth up to 21 years of age, who meets at least one of the eligible diagnostic categories as determined by the current version of the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (DSM). In addition, the identified disorder has resulted in functional impairment in basic living skills, instrumental living skills, or social skills as indicated by an assessment instrument or approach approved by the Department of Mental Health. The need for mental health services as well as other special needs services and supports are required by these children, youth, and their families at a more intense rate and for a longer period of time than children and youth with less severe emotional disorders/disturbance in order for them to meet the definition's criteria.

MISSISSIPPI SYSTEM OF CARE

System of Care (SOC) is an organizational philosophy and framework that involves collaboration across agencies, families, and youth for the purpose of improving access and expanding the array of coordinated community-based services and supports that help children, youth, and families function better at home, in school, in the community, and throughout life.

SOC is a partnership of child and family service agencies and organizations, who incidentally, usually find themselves serving the same children. By working together, they are able to build on each partner's strengths to provide care that is more comprehensive and effective. This coordination also helps reduce the stress on children, youth, and families because they do not have to meet the competing demands of agencies that would otherwise be working independently. The work of all community partners in SOC is guided by these core values:

FAMILY-DRIVEN CARE

Family driven and youth guided, with the strengths and needs of the child and family determining the types and mix of services and supports provided.

COMMUNITY-BASED

The focus of services, as well as system management, resting within a supportive, adaptive infrastructure of structures, processes and relationships at the community level.

CULTURALLY AND LINGUISTICALLY COMPETENT

Agencies, programs and services that reflect the cultural, racial, ethnic and linguistic differences of the populations they serve to facilitate access to and utilization of appropriate services and supports.

MISSISSIPPI SYSTEM OF CARE

SAMHSA FUNDED SYSTEM OF CARE EXPANSION AND SUSTAINABILITY COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS

The purpose of the program is to improve behavioral health outcomes for children and youth from birth to 21 years of age with serious emotional disturbances (SED) and their families. It supports the wide scale operation, expansion and integration of the SOC approach by creating sustainable infrastructure and services that are required as part of the agreement with SAMHSA.



NFusion DeSoto provides services and resources to children, youth, and young adults between 5 to 21 years of age who reside in DeSoto County and struggle with emotional, mental and/or behavioral issues. Funded for 2023-2026.

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CAN (Connect and Nspire) is the Golden Triangle System of Care for Choctaw, Clay, Lowndes, Noxubee, Oktibbeha, Webster and Winston Counties serving children and youth from birth to 21 years of age who have SED. Funded for 2023-2027.

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HYPED 4 Change (Helping Youth Promote Empowered Decisions) in Oxford, Mississippi serves children and youth from birth to 21 years of age in Lafayette, Marshall, Panola, and Yalobusha Counties. Funded for 2024-2028.

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NFusion Metro System of Care aims to improve the behavioral health outcomes for children and youth from birth to 26 years of age with SED and those with early signs and symptoms of serious mental illness (SMI), including first episode psychosis, by enhancing and expanding trauma-informed evidenced-based practices for children, youth, and families served. Funded for 2024-2028.

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Approximately 100,000 adolescents and young adults in the United States experience a First Episode of Psychosis each year with a peak onset between 15-30 years of age. Federal legislation was passed to provide funds to the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) to support the development of early psychosis treatment programs across the United States. In response, DMH and Life Help Community Mental Health Center implemented an evidence-based treatment program for First Episode Psychosis to address the needs of youth and young adults with their first symptoms of serious mental illness, including psychotic disorders. NAVIGATE is a Coordinated Specialty Care model that is team-based to include a Program Director, a Prescriber, an Individual Resiliency Trainer, a Family Education Clinician, a Supported Employment and Education Specialist and a Community Support Specialist and/or Peer Support Specialist.

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The *Mississippi Wraparound Institute* (MWI) represents a collaboration between the Department of Mental Health, Division of Medicaid, and The University of Southern Mississippi's School of Social Work to train, support, and sustain high-fidelity Wraparound in Mississippi.

High-fidelity Wraparound is a path to creating lasting solutions for families in need of new answers for problems related to children's mental health. Wraparound is an ecologically based process and approach to care planning that builds on the collective action of a committed group of family, friends, community, professionals, cross-system supports resources and talents resulting in the creation of a plan of care that is the best fit between the family vision and story, team mission, strengths, needs, and strategies.

Monthly statewide training is available to improve the skills of facilitators across Mississippi. MWI also provides information at conferences and community locations to involve professionals, community members, and families in learning how to strengthen communities.

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CRISIS STABILIZATION

CRISIS STABILIZATION FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH



HINDS BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES

The Ruth Wilson Children & Youth Crisis Stabilization Unit provides time-limited (up to 10 days) residential services in a therapeutic crisis center to children and youth ages 6-17 and their families. Services involve short-term respite with individual and group therapy as well as a psychological evaluation. Residents are encouraged to make positive choices and take personal responsibility for their actions. While in the residential program, families are encouraged to visit often and continue to involve their children in community activities such as school, church and family outings.

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CRISIS STABILIZATION



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Multidisciplinary Assessment and Planning (MAP) Teams serve the target population of children and youth (up to 21 years of age) with serious emotional/behavioral disorders or serious mental illness who:

- Are at risk for an inappropriate 24 hour institutional placement due to lack of access to, or availability of, needed services and supports in the home and community, *OR*
- Are returning to a primary caregiver in the community from an inpatient acute Behavioral Health Program or psychiatric residential treatment facility.

MEMBERSHIP

Membership typically includes representation from each of the following:

- Families
- Local Schools
- Community Mental Health Center
- County Child Protection Services
- Juvenile Justice
- Local Department of Rehabilitation Services
- Local Health Department
- Local Law Enforcement
- Ministers
- Youth Leaders
- Other representatives of children/youth and family service groups or organizations

MAP TEAMS

PRIMARY TASKS

- The **first** priority of the MAP Teams is to review cases concerning children and youth (ages 0-21 years) who have a serious emotional/behavioral disorder (SED) and who are at immediate risk for an inappropriate **24 hour institutional placement** due to lack of access or availability of needed services and supports in the home and community. Appropriate referrals to the MAP Teams include children and youth with SED, children and youth with a dual diagnosis of SED or serious mental illness and an intellectual disability, or children and youth with SED and substance use/abuse. **Immediate risk** is defined as 1) the actual consideration of being placed out of the home at the time the referral is made, or 2) community resources are not meeting the needs of the child and/or family at the time the referral is made.
- Identify **community-based services** that may divert children and youth from inappropriate 24 hour institutional placement.
- Facilitate the **provision and coordination of services** across agencies/entities for the target population.
- Facilitate **continuity of care** for children/youth with serious emotional disorders/serious mental illness.
- Facilitate **support** for children/youth with serious emotional disorders/serious mental illness and their families.



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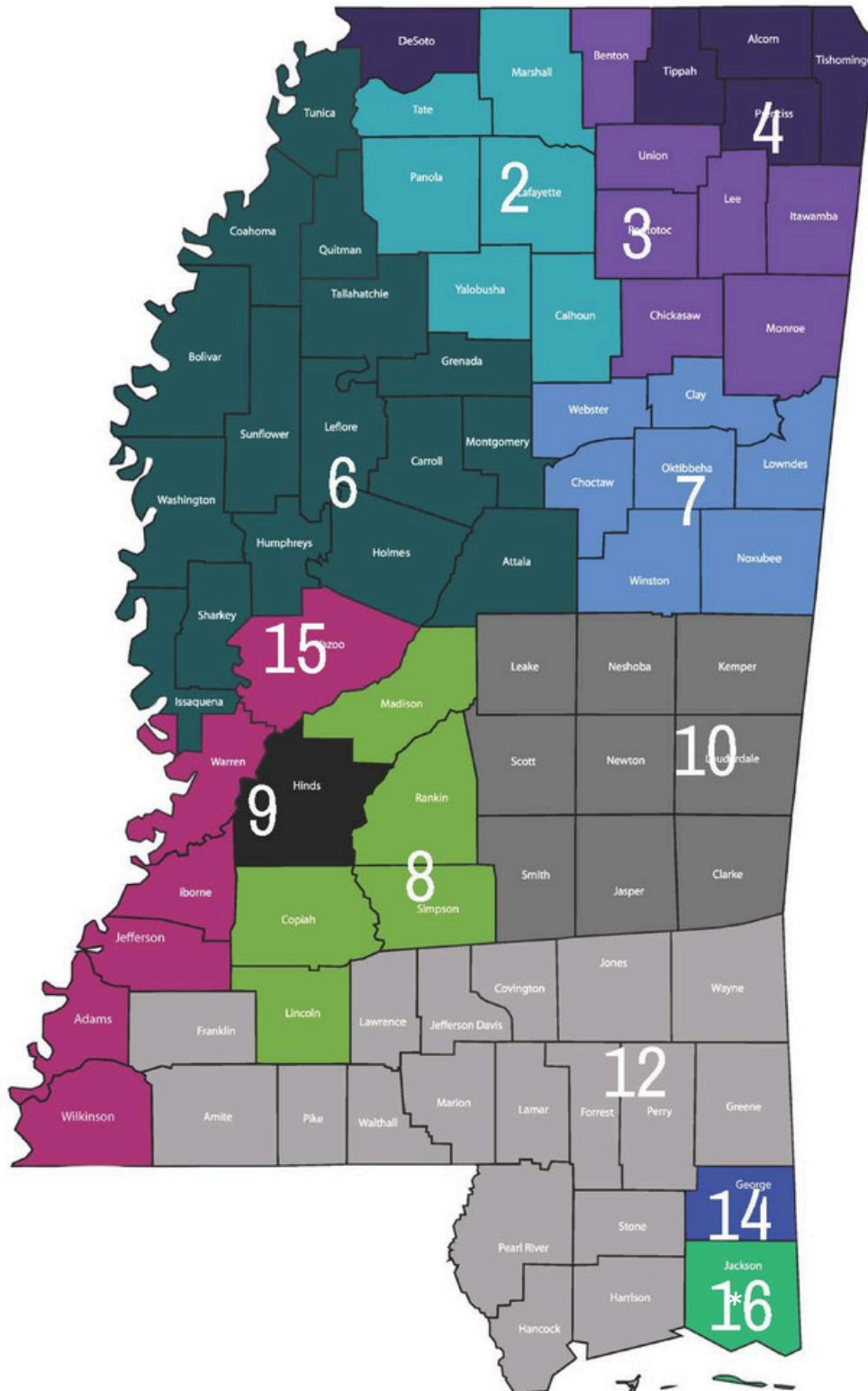
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| Clay | 337 Court Street, West Point, MS 39773 | 662-494-7060 |
| Choctaw | 100 Old Sturgis Road, Ackerman, MS 39735 | 662-285-6225 |
| Lowndes | 1001 Main Street, Columbus, MS 39701 | 662-328-9225 |
| Noxubee | 43 Dr MLK Drive, Macon, MS 39341 | 662-726-5042 |
| Oktibbeha | 302 North Jackson Street, Starkville, MS 39759 | 662-323-9318 |
| Webster | 1660 Veterans Memorial Blvd, Eupora, MS 39744 | 662-258-8147 |
| Winston | 16220 West Main Street, Louisville, MS 39339 | 662-773-9377 |

REGION 8

Copiah County, Lincoln County, Madison County, Rankin County and Simpson County

Region 8 Mental Health Services

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Children's Services Coordinator
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www.region8mhs.org
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Brandon, MS 39043
Phone: 601-824-0342 Admin
601-825-8800 Service
Fax: 601-824-0349

County Satellite Center Offices:

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| Copiah | 1019 Carroll Drive, Hazlehurst, MS 39083 | 601-894-2018 |
| Lincoln | 620 Highway 51 N, Brookhaven, MS 39601 | 601-823-2345 |
| Madison | 103 S Lake Circle, Canton, MS 39046 | 601-859-8371 |
| Simpson | 3087 Simpson Highway 13, Mendenhall, MS 39114 | 601-847-4410 |

REGION 9

Hinds County

Hinds Behavioral Health Services

LaShonda Lane
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llane@hbhs9.com

www.hbhs9.com
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Jackson, MS 39284
Phone: 601-321-2400
Fax: 601-362-2852

REGION 10

Clarke County, Jasper County, Kemper County, Lauderdale County, Leake County, Neshoba County, Newton County, Scott County and Smith County

Weems Community Mental Health Center

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Children and Youth Director
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1929 23rd Avenue
Meridian, MS 39304

www.weemsmh.com
1415 College Drive
P.O. Box 2868
Meridian, MS 39302
Phone: 601-483-4821
Fax: 601-483-4599
Phone: 601-482-7377
Fax: 601-482-7332

County Satellite Center Offices:

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|---------|--|-------------------|
| Clarke | 102 Park Place, Quitman, MS 39355 | 601-776-6051 |
| Jasper | 78 South 5 th Street, Bay Springs, MS 39422 | 601-764-2201/3957 |
| Kemper | 121 Hopper Avenue, DeKalb, MS 39328 | 601-743-5616/5618 |
| Leake | 529 East Main Street, Carthage, MS 39051 | 601-267-3551/5050 |
| Neshoba | 1011 Posey Avenue, Philadelphia, MS 39350 | 601-656-3451 |
| Newton | 90 South 6th Avenue, Decatur, MS 39327 | 601-635-3342/4393 |
| Scott | 1514 Homewood Rd, Forest, MS 39074 | 601-469-2211/1653 |
| Smith | 355 Highway 37 South, Raleigh, MS 39153 | 601-782-9461 |

REGION 12

Amite County, Covington County, Forrest County, Franklin County, Greene County, Hancock County, Harrison County, Jefferson Davis County, Jones County, Lamar County, Lawrence County, Marion County, Pearl River County, Perry County, Pike County, Stone County, Walthall County and Wayne County

Pine Belt Mental Healthcare Resources

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MYPAC

www.pbmhr.org
103 S 19th Avenue
P.O. Box 18679
Hattiesburg, MS 39404-8679
Phone: 601-544-4641 or 1-800-681-0798
Fax: 601-582-1607
Children's Program Phone: 601-582-1111
Fax: 601-450-0765

County Satellite Center Offices:

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|-----------------|--|--------------|
| Amite | 315 Main Street, Liberty, MS 39645 | 601-657-4354 |
| Covington | 22 Westview Drive, Collins, MS 39428 | 601-765-4514 |
| Forrest | 103 South 19 th Avenue, Hattiesburg, MS 39401 | 601-582-1111 |
| Franklin | 47 Main Street East, Meadville, MS 39653 | 601-384-2261 |
| Greene | 1501 Lackey Street, Leakesville, MS 39451 | 601-394-5047 |
| Hancock | 819 Central Avenue, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520 | 228-220-5454 |
| Harrison | 1600 Broad Avenue, Gulfport, MS 39501 | 228-213-5888 |
| Jefferson Davis | 116 JE Johnson Road, Prentiss, MS 39474 | 601-792-4872 |
| Jones | 1721 West 10th Street, Laurel, MS 39440 | 601-425-9322 |
| Lamar | 805 Hwy 589, Purvis, MS 39475 | 601-794-6543 |
| Lawrence | 1230 Nola Road, Monticello, MS 39654 | 601-587-0380 |
| Marion | 217 Dewey Street, Columbia, MS 39429 | 601-736-6799 |
| Pearl River | 211 US 11, Picayune, MS 39466 | 601-394-5047 |
| Perry | 91180 Hwy 42 West, Richton, MS 39476 | 601-788-6308 |
| Pike | 1701 White Street, McComb, MS 39648 | 601-684-4320 |
| Stone | 200 Coastal Paper Avenue, Wiggins, MS 39577 | 601-385-6095 |
| Walthall | 110 Franklinton Street, Tylertown, MS 39667 | 601-876-2686 |
| Wayne | 1104 B Cedar Street, Waynesboro, MS 39367 | 601-735-3350 |

REGION 14

George County

Singing River Services

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REGION 15

*Adams County, Claiborne County, Jefferson County, Warren County, Wilkinson County
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River Ridge Behavioral Health

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www.warren-yazoo.org
3444 Wisconsin Avenue
P. O. Box 820691
Vicksburg, MS 39182
Phone: 601-638-0031
Fax: 601-638-4950
Yazoo City Office: 662-746-5712

County Satellite Offices

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| Adams | 150 Jefferson Davis Blvd, Ste 120 Natchez, MS 39120 | 601-446-6634 |
| Claiborne | 2090 Highway 61 N, Port Gibson, MS 39150 | 601-437-8185 |
| Jefferson | 1555 N Main Street, Fayette, MS 39069 | 601-786-8091 |
| Wilkinson | 1495 Hwy 61S, Woodville, MS 39669 | 601-890-5440 |

REGION 16

Jackson County

South MS Mental Health Center

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Pascagoula, MS 39581
Phone: 228-283-4140
Fax: 228-769-0198

NON-RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS

Directory of Programs for Children and Adolescents Funded and/or Certified through The Division of Children and Youth Services Non-Residential

SERVICE PROVIDER



PROGRAM

Bruce Professional Counseling Services, LLC

www.bruceprofessionalcounseling.com

114 Jefferson Davis Boulevard

Natchez, MS 39120

Tina Bruce, Director

tina-bruce@att.net

Core Services

Phone: 601-653-4581

Fax: 601-304-5697

CANOPY Children's Solutions

www.mycanopy.org

P. O. Box 1078

Jackson, MS 39205

John Damon, Ph.D., CEO

Christian Ware, Director of Program Development

christian.ware@mycanopy.org

Core Services/MYPAC/Wraparound

Gulfport, Hattiesburg, Natchez, Tupelo

Phone: 601-352-7784

Fax: 601-968-0021

Catholic Charities, Inc.

www.catholiccharitiesjackson.org

713 S Pear Orchard Road, Suite 51

Ridgeland, MS 39157

Msgr. Elvin Sunds, Interim Executive Director

Core Services/MYPAC/Wraparound Emergency Crisis Response and Aftercare

Phone: 601-355-8634

Fax: 601-960-8493

NON-RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS

SERVICE PROVIDER



PROGRAM

Choices Coordinated Care Solutions, Inc.

www.choicesccs.org

9414 Three Rivers Road, Suite 3

Gulfport, MS 39503

Lindsey Bergman, Executive Director

lbergman@choicesccs.org

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228-910-3578

Core Services/MYPAC/Wraparound

Phone: 888-799-5294

Fax: 888-223-7479

Diamond Grove Center, LLC

708 Taylor Street, Suite B

Starkville, MS 39759

662-779-0119

Patrick Swoopes, CEO

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Phone: 662-779-0119

Core Services/MYPAC/Wraparound

Sierra Doss, MYPAC Coordinator

Phone: 662-338-0077

Fax: 662-320-8529

Families As Allies

(Statewide Organization)

www.faams.org

840 East River Place, Suite 500

Jackson, MS 39202-3493

Family Education Support and Advocacy

Phone: 800-833-9671 or 601-355-0915

Fax: 601-355-0919

NON-RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS

SERVICE PROVIDER



PROGRAM

Gulf Coast Women's Center for Nonviolence, Inc.

www.gccfn.org

P. O. Box 333

Biloxi, MS 39533

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Crisis Intervention

Early Childhood Intervention

Phone: 228-436-3809 or 800-800-1396

Fax: 228-435-0513

Health Connect America

www.healthconnectamerica.com

109 Desert Cove, Suite D

Saltillo, MS 38866

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Core Services/MYPAC/Wraparound

Phone: 662-333-8102 or 662-269-6454

Fax: 662-567-6729

Marion Counseling Services, PLLC

www.marioncounseling.com

4780 I55 North, Suite 105

Jackson, MS 39211

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Michelle Walker

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Core Services/MYPAC/Wraparound

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Fax: 601-956-4817

NON-RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS

SERVICE PROVIDER



PROGRAM

Methodist Children's Homes

www.mchms.org

805 North Flag Chapel Road

Jackson, MS 39209

Gretchen Cook, CEO

gcook@mchms.org

Core Services/MYPAC/Wraparound

Phone: 601-853-5000

Fax: 601-853-5010

Mississippi Behavioral Health Services, LLC

www.msbehavioralhealth.org

1867 Crane Ridge Drive, Suite 150C

Jackson, MS 39216

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Phone: 769-251-5550

Core Services

Batesville 662-712-6257 (Panola)

Bay St. Louis 228-466-4690 (Hancock)

Booneville 662-728-2488 (Prentiss)

Brookhaven 601-990-2398 (Lincoln)

Clarksdale 662-592-5397 (Coahoma)

Columbus 662-241-7097 (Lowndes)

Greenville 662-702-5106 (Washington)

Greenwood 662-374-5029 (Leflore)

Hattiesburg 769-390-7234 (Lamar)

Jackson 769-251-5550 (Hinds)

Laurel 601-342-8215 (Jones)

Meridian 601-435-2919 (Lauderdale)

Natchez 601-897-8100 (Adams)

Starkville 662-268-8059 (Oktibbeha)

Tupelo 662-350-3914 (Lee)

Vicksburg 601-738-5260 (Warren)

Mississippi Families for Kids

www.mffk.org

407 Briarwood Drive, Suite 209

Jackson, MS 39206

Nadeane Cattrell, Executive Director

ncattrell@mffk.org

800-241-5437

Core Services

Phone: 601-957-7670

Fax: 601-957-7640

NON-RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS

SERVICE PROVIDER



PROGRAM

NAMI Mississippi

www.namims.org

298 Commerce Park Drive, Suite C
Ridgeland, MS 39157

Kathleen Seeburg, Executive Director

Family Education and Support

Phone: 601-899-9058

Fax: 601-956-6380

New Progressions, LLC

www.newprogressions.com

406 Marquis Street

Jackson, MS 39206

Geovon K. Martin, CEO/Owner

Core Services

Phone: 769-243-6715

Fax: 769-243-6806

Positive Pathways Behavioral Health

www.positivepathwaysbh.com

1905 Mission 66

Vicksburg, MS 39180

Timeka Wright, Executive Director

timekawright@ymail.com

601-738-5820

Core Services/Wraparound

Phone: 888-433-9903

Psycamore, LLC

www.psycamore.com

2540 Flowood Drive

Flowood, MS 39232

Dr. Kimberly Madakasira, ED

Acute Partial Hospitalization

Phone: 601-939-5993

Fax: 601-939-5935

Southern Center for Children and Families, Inc.

www.standforhope.org

604 Hwy 80 West, Suite R Office 2

Clinton, MS 39056

Karissa Humphries

khumphries@standforhope.org

Core Services/MYPAC/

Prevention and Early Intervention AIOP

Phone: 601-473-2106 or 318-398-0945

NON-RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS

SERVICE PROVIDER



PROGRAM

Southern Christian Services for Children and Youth, Inc.
Harden House Adoption and Foster Care
www.scscy.org
4735 Old Canton Road, Suite 111
Jackson, MS 39211
Jamie Himes, Executive Director
jamie@southernchristianservices.org

Three Oaks Behavioral Health, Inc.
www.threeoakshealth.com
2510 Lakeland Terrace, Suite 102
Jackson, MS 39216
Marcia Farrar, Program Director

Vicksburg Family Development Service
1205 Monroe Street
P.O. Box 64
Vicksburg, MS 39181
Claudia Taylor, Executive Director
cmtaylorrfd@gmail.com
601-927-5181

Youth Villages
www.youthvillages.org/mississippi
805 South Wheatley Street, Suite 240
Ridgeland, MS 39157
Amanda Futral, Executive Director
amanda.futral@youthvillages.org

Respite Care
Phone: 601-354-0983
Fax: 662-680-9196

Acute Partial Hospitalization
Phone: 601-991-3080
Fax: 601-991-0923

Prevention/Early Intervention
Phone: 601-638-1336
Fax: 601-638-2093

Core Services/MYPAC/Wraparound
Biloxi, Greenwood, Hattiesburg,
Hernando, Jackson, Meridian,
Tupelo
Phone: 601-572-3700
Fax: 601-572-3701

RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS

Directory of Programs for Children and Adolescents Funded and/or Certified through The Division of Children and Youth Services and The Bureau of Alcohol and Drug Services Residential

SERVICE PROVIDER



PROGRAM INFORMATION

APELAH Specialized Foster Care

www.meritan.org
304 Highland Park Cove
Ridgeland, MS 39157
P. O. Box 4799
Jackson, MS 39296
Phone: 601-991-2224
Fax: 601-991-2276
Felicia Todd-Jones, Program Director
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Therapeutic Foster Care

Hernando, Ocean Springs, Ridgeland
Male and Female
Ages: 0–21

CANOPY Children's Solutions

www.mycanopy.org
P. O. Box 1078
Jackson, MS 39205
Phone: 601-352-7784
Fax: 601-968-0021
John Damon, Ph.D., Executive Director
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Therapeutic Foster Care

Biloxi, Hattiesburg, Jackson
Male and Female
Ages: 6–17

RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS

SERVICE PROVIDER PROGRAM INFORMATION

Catholic Charities, Inc.

www.catholiccharitiesjackson.org

731 S Pear Orchard Road, Suite 51

Ridgeland, MS 39157

Phone: 601-355-8634

Fax: 601-960-8493

Christina Bach, Executive Director (Interim)

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Therapeutic Foster Care

Jackson

Male and Female

Ages: 5–17

Hope Village for Children

www.hopevillagems.org

2424 23rd Avenue

P. O. Box 26

Meridian, MS 39302

Phone: 601-553-8660

Fax: 601-553-8669

Terri Prevince, Executive Director

tprovince@hopevillagems.org

Therapeutic Group Homes

Meridian

Male and Female

Ages: 12–21

Residential Transitional Living

Male and Female

Ages: 17–21

Therapeutic Foster Care

Male and Female

Ages: 0–21

Methodist Children's Homes

www.mchms.org

805 North Flag Chapel Road

Jackson, MS 39209

Phone: 601-853-5000

Fax: 601-853-5010

Gretchen Cook, CEO

gcook@mchms.org

Therapeutic Group Homes

Jackson

Male and Female

Ages: 14–21

Therapeutic Foster Care

Male and Female

Ages: 0–21

RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS

SERVICE PROVIDER PROGRAM INFORMATION

Millcreek of Magee

www.millcreekofmagee.com
 900 1st Avenue, N. E.
 P. O. Box
 160 Magee, MS 39111
 Phone: 601-849-4221
 Fax: 601-849-5646
 W.D. Heath, Executive Director
 wd.heath@acadiahealthcare.com

Millcreek of Pontotoc

www.millcreekofpontotoc.com
 1814 Hwy 15 North
 P.O. Box 619
 Pontotoc, MS 38863
 Phone: 662-488-8878
 Fax: 662-488-8767
 Ed Hood, CEO
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Southern Christian Services for Children and Youth, Inc.

www.scscy.org
 4735 Old Canton Road, Suite 111
 Jackson, MS 39211
 Phone: 601-354-0983
 Fax: 601-352-8638
 Jamie Himes, Program Administrator
 scscyjamie@att.net

Therapeutic Group Homes

Brookhaven, Gloster, Natchez, Raleigh, Union
 Ages: 12–17

Therapeutic Group Homes

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| Cedar Point Starkville Male Ages: 12–21 | Deer Creek Hollandale Male Ages: 12–21 | Willow Springs Blue Springs Female Ages: 12–21 |
| Oak Hill Kosciusko Female Ages: 12–21 | Pecan Grove Lyon Female Ages: 12–21 | Woodland Acres Myrtle Female Ages: 12–21 |

Therapeutic Group Homes Harden House

Fulton
 Male
 Ages: 12–20

Rowland Home for Youth

Grenada
 Male
 Ages: 15–20

PALS Independent Living Program

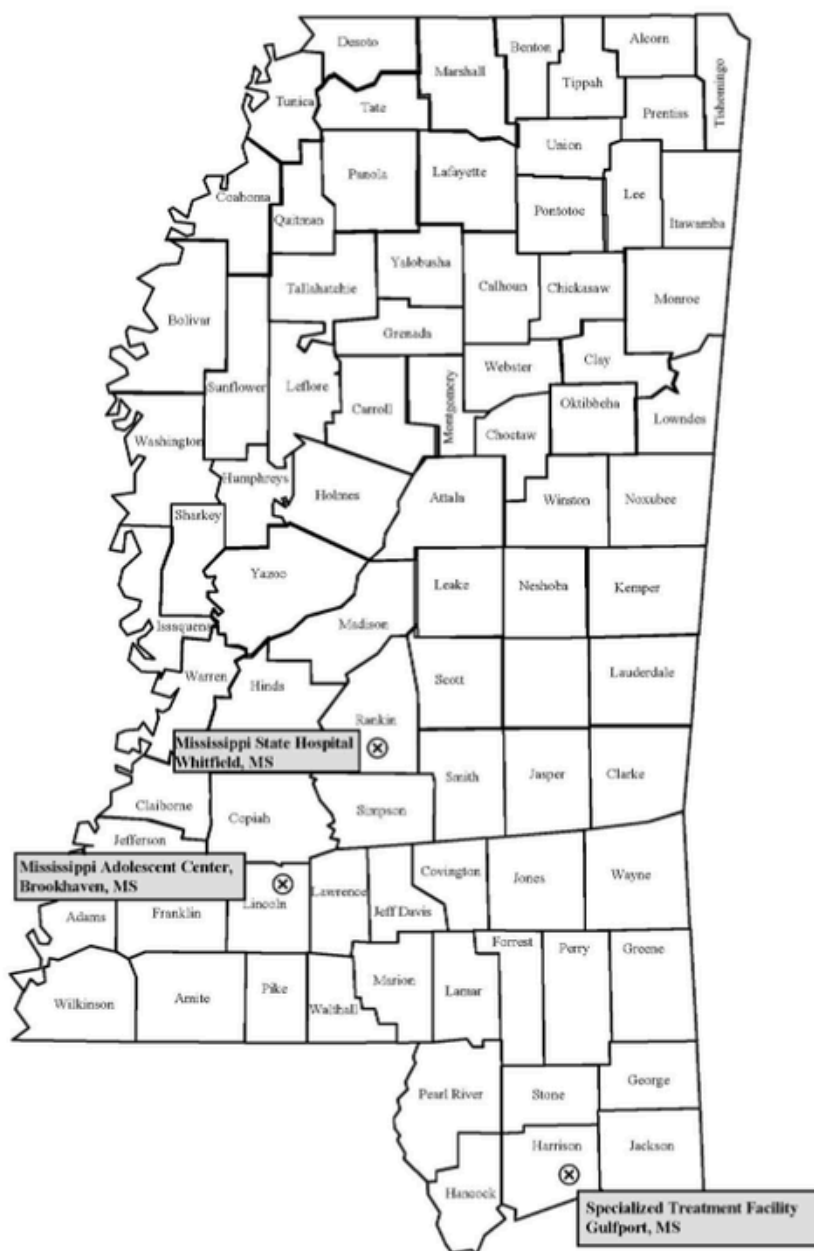
Jackson
 Male and Female
 Ages: 18–23

Therapeutic Foster Care

Tupelo
 Male and Female
 Ages: 0–18

INPATIENT SERVICES

Mississippi Department of Mental Health State Operated Children/Youth Inpatient Services



INPATIENT SERVICES

Mississippi Department of Mental Health State Operated Children/Youth Inpatient Services

The Mississippi Department of Mental Health administers and operates three programs that provide inpatient services specifically for children and youth.

Mississippi State Hospital at Whitfield operates Oak Circle Center, an acute behavioral health program for children and adolescents, ages 4-17 years, experiencing emotional and/or behavioral problems at home, in school and/or in the community. Oak Circle Center is also a primary substance use treatment program for male and female adolescents who are engaging in harmful drug or alcohol use behaviors. Education services are provided through Lakeside School, which is fully accredited by the Mississippi State Department of Education. For further information, contact Mississippi State Hospital at 601.351.8003, P.O. Box 157A, Whitfield, MS 39193 or www.msh.state.ms.gov.

Specialized Treatment Facility in Gulfport, is a Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facility (PRTF), which provides recovery oriented mental health, education, as well as alcohol and drug prevention and treatment for up to 48 adolescent females and males ages 13-18 years. Statewide admissions are by court order through civil commitment, Youth, or Chancery Courts of Mississippi. Priority admissions are for those youth detained in detention centers (but not required). For further information, contact Specialized Treatment Facility at 228.328.6000 or 14426 James Bond Road, Gulfport, MS 39503 or www.stf.state.ms.gov.

Mississippi Adolescent Center in Brookhaven is dedicated to providing adolescents with intellectual or developmental disabilities an individualized array of rehabilitation service options. This specialized facility serves youth with behavioral issues that make it necessary for their treatment to be provided by trained professionals in a residential setting. Though most youth served are between the ages of 13-21 years, persons under 13 years of age may be considered for services on an individual basis as space is available. For further information, contact Mississippi Adolescent Center at 601.823.5700, 760 Brookman Drive, Brookhaven, MS 39601.

Psychiatric Residential Treatment Centers

Cares Center

402 Wesley Avenue
Jackson, MS 39202
601-360-0583
Christian Ware, Administrator

The Crossings

5000 Highway 39 North
Meridian, MS 39301
601-483-5452
Stacy R. Andreacchio, Administrator

Crossroads

3531 Lakeland Drive
Flowood, MS 39232
601-936-2024
Mike Carney, CEO

Diamond Grove Center

2311 Highway 15 South
Louisville, MS 39339
662-779-0119
Patrick Swoopes, Administrator

Millcreek of Ponotoc

1814 Highway 15 North
Pontotoc, MS 38863
662-488-8878
Ed Hood, CEO

Millcreek PRTF

900 First Avenue, N.E.
Magee, MS 39111
601-849-4221
W.D. Heath, Administrator

Parkwood Behavioral Health

8135 Goodman Road
Olive Branch, MS 38654
662-895-4900
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Specialized Treatment Facility

14426 James Bond Road
Gulfport, MS 39503
228-328-6000
Shannon Bush, Administrator

Youth Villages

3320 Brother Blvd.
Memphis, TN 38133
901-252-7200
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901-252-7600



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