

Kentucky System of Care FIVE:

Families - Involved! Valued! Empowered!

Kentucky’s System of Care (SOC) FIVE aims to improve behavioral health outcomes for children and youth (birth to age 21) who meet criteria for having a serious emotional disability (SED) and their families and who have child welfare involvement. For this project, child welfare involvement means that a family has had a substantiated instance of child abuse and/or neglect or a finding that services are needed, and for whom child welfare does **not** have custody. SOC FIVE is administered by the Department for Behavioral Health, Developmental, and Intellectual Disabilities.

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GOAL

Enhance interagency infrastructure to support the implementation, expansion, and integration of the System of Care approach for the population of focus.

- Policy recommendations for State Interagency Council Annual Report to Governor and LRC
- Strategic Financing Plan
- Respite Tracking & Monitoring System expansion
- Learning events for regional behavioral health, child welfare staff

GOAL

Improve availability of and access to high quality, culturally- and linguistically-competent, evidence-based mental health services for the population of focus in the geographic target areas.

- Support Community Mental Health Centers in outreach and service to target population
- Contract with behavioral health providers to expand targeted, high-need services
- Host learning events in evidence-based practices, including Kentucky’s Title IV-E Prevention Plan

GOAL

Implement strategies to promote & sustain the voice of children, youth, and their families with child welfare involvement at all levels of the system of care.

- Increase availability of peer support services to families with child welfare involvement
- Increase targeted outreach and engagement strategies for birth, foster, and adoptive parents and relative and fictive kin through the statewide family network organization



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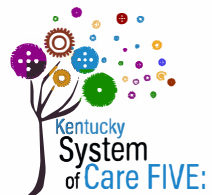
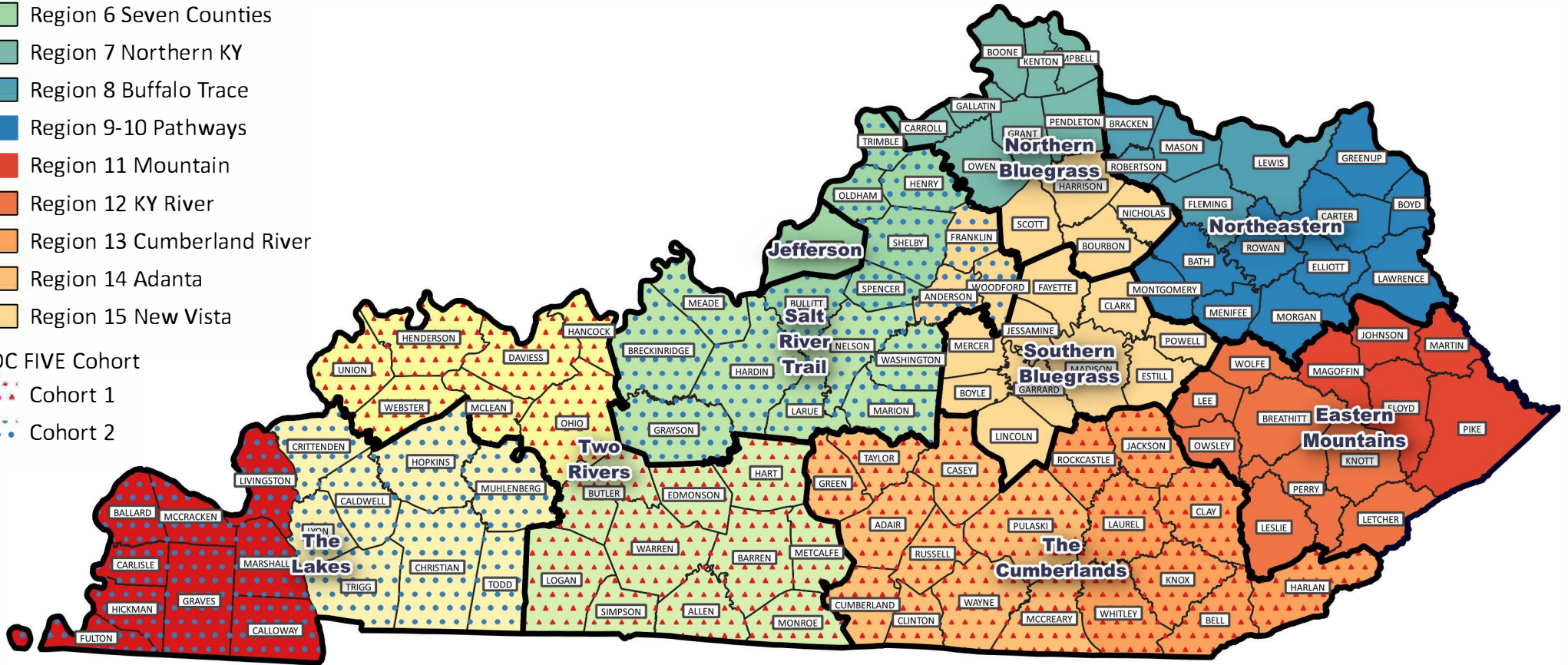
DCBS Service Regions, Community Mental Health Center Regions, and SOC FIVE Cohorts

CMHC Regions

- Region 1 Four Rivers
- Region 2 Pennyroyal
- Region 3 River Valley
- Region 4 LifeSkills
- Region 5 Communicare
- Region 6 Seven Counties
- Region 7 Northern KY
- Region 8 Buffalo Trace
- Region 9-10 Pathways
- Region 11 Mountain
- Region 12 KY River
- Region 13 Cumberland River
- Region 14 Adanta
- Region 15 New Vista

SOC FIVE Cohort

- Cohort 1
- Cohort 2



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