

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

The State of Nevada Division of Child and Family Services is requesting information from potential vendors for:

Intensive Case Management Services

The Division of Child and Family Services is seeking information from Children's Mental/Behavioral Health vendors who are interested in contracting for community based Intensive Case Management Services as defined in the following scope of work.

Please respond to this request at your earliest opportunity, however, no later than May 27, 2005. Responses are to be directed only to the person designated below. The Division wants to know what additional information must be provided so a potential Vendor may make a decision to pursue submitting a proposal on a resultant RFP. Additionally, based upon the listed criteria the Division of Child and Family Services seeks to determine a budgetary parameter for the overall system.

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Scope of Work:

Purpose: The Division of Child and Family Services would like to contract with a children's mental/behavioral health vendor to provide community based, intensive case management services that operates using the wraparound process. The services shall be based on the system-of-care core values and principles that include but are not limited to strength-based, family-focused, individualized, and culturally competent service coordination. More information about the wraparound process and system of care core values and principles may be reviewed at www.samhsa.gov. These services shall be, in part, Medicaid reimbursable.

Target Population: The populations being served are those youth/children and their families who meet the eligibility criteria for Severe Emotional Disturbance and, who are involved in the foster care system.

Training: Specialized training for Managers, Supervisors and Case Coordinators will be required in the Systems of Care approach and Intensive Case Management using the wraparound process.