

Wraparound Services for Students

Partnering with state agencies to increase access to a variety of supports for students and their families.

Executive Summary

Wraparound services support any social needs that may be preventing a student from being able to fully participate in school, like housing or food assistance; or access to culturally responsive mental health care. The HiE Unit is increasing access to supports by creating linkages between school districts and existing state and local systems that provide wraparound services.



The Problem

Schools have what many state agencies providing social supports wish they had – nearly daily access to folks who may benefit from help. School districts aren't sufficiently connected to local systems that serve their students.

The Solution

By creating collaboration with local systems of care, ODHS, and CCOs, the HiE unit is connecting state agencies directly to the populations they are trying to serve; and students and families can get the supports they need at a place they go to five days a week. This allows students and families to better thrive at school.

Successes and Prospects



- The Community Care Development Program has created an implementation blueprint that can guide districts in constructing or strengthening their own Community Care Systems.
- The HiE Unit represents ODE at the System of Care (SOC) Advisory Council ensuring that education is a key partner in developing 2025 state and local SOC strategic plans.
- Full Service Community Schools are demonstrated wraparound support models. The HiE Unit is working to map to this framework and support school districts in implementing FSCS.

Equity is the bedrock of our initiatives. By creating system linkages between school districts and their local wraparound supports, as well as piloting high-quality, culturally responsive health and mental health support programs (CCDP), the HiE Unit is ensuring that all students can thrive and find joy at school.