

Children's Behavioral Health Services Fund (Jake's Law)

In 2020, the Arizona Legislature passed Jake's Law which funds behavioral health services for uninsured and underinsured children who are referred through an educational institution. Funding is authorized for services provided through June of 2022.

Schools that meet the requirements of the law are able to refer students for behavioral health services, regardless of a student's Medicaid eligibility.

AHCCCS has created example templates



of a <u>policy</u> and <u>consent form</u> for schools to use as a model in order to begin referring students who may need services.

Services can be provided by participating providers throughout the state through the three Regional Behavioral Health Authorities (RBHAs).

Southern Arizona	Central Arizona	Northern Arizona
Arizona Complete Health- Complete Care Plan	Mercy Care	<u>Health Choice Arizona</u>
Arizona's Children's Association Casa de los Niños Child and Family Support Services COPE Community Services Horizon Health & Wellness Pathways La Frontera Intermountain	Arizona Youth & Family Services Community Bridges Inc.* Devereux Family Involvement Center* Horizon Health and Wellness Jewish Family & Children's Service LaFrontera-EMPACT-SPC New Hope of Arizona, Inc.* Open Hearts Pathways of AZ Resilient Health Southwest Behavioral & Health Services Southwest Network Terros Health The Resolution Group Inc.* Touchstone Health Services Valle Del Sol	ChangePoint Integrated Health Encompass Health Services Horizon Health & Wellness Little Colorado Behavioral Health Centers Mohave Mental Health Clinic Southwest Behavioral & Health Services Spectrum Healthcare The Guidance Center West Yavapai Guidance Clinic

