

Ventura County Wraparound

The Ventura County Wraparound Program provides a community-based, family-centered, strengths-based and outcome-oriented alternative to group care placements for children and youth with complex and enduring needs. Through expanded family-based services, the focus of the program is to draw upon community and family strengths in order to support children and youth in the homes of caring families (biological, fictive kin or foster families), rather than in group care settings.

The ultimate goal of the Ventura County Wraparound Program is to successfully transition youth from residential treatment facilities classified as a Level 10-14 into family-based or less restrictive settings, or to help maintain youth in family settings and prevent them from needing a higher level, residential intervention. Additionally, the goal is to increase placement stability, achieve better mental health and educational outcomes, and assist in the development of a lifelong team of natural supports for each youth in the program. Services build on the values and strengths of each child and family and are tailored to meet their unique and changing needs.



Seneca's mission is to help children and families through the most difficult times of their lives.

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Treatment Components

- Strengths and Needs Assessment (ongoing)
- Facilitation of team planning process
- Caregiver coaching
- Child behavior coaching
- Skill transfer between home, school, and community
- Care Coordination
- Resource linkage
- 24 hour crisis support



The Seneca Team

FACILITATOR

Facilitators help manage the Wraparound team's collaborative efforts towards the child and family's vision of wellness. All Facilitators are clinicians by training. They drive the treatment planning process, facilitate the Child and Family Team Meetings, act as a central point person for linkage, service coordination, meeting facilitation, and clinical lens for treatment.

FAMILY SPECIALIST

Family Specialists provide one-on-one support and coaching to the child or youth. They work with the young person to develop coping skills, connect them with additional supports and resources, and help to bridge their skills development across home, school, and community settings.

PARENT PARTNER

Parent Partners bring a unique perspective based on their lived-experience as caregivers of children who have received system-support and can provide emotional support, resource knowledge, psychoeducation, and coaching, and, when supportive to the family.

BILINGUAL YOUTH ADVOCATE

Youth advocates will draw on their lived experience to provide peer-based mentorship, coaching and support to the youth.



Who is Eligible?

Families with a young person, under the age of 21, involved in the child welfare system, mental health system or juvenile probation system who are at risk of placement in a residential setting or are stepping down from a residential setting into a less restrictive setting.

Referral Process

Youth may be referred to Ventura County Wraparound through Human Services Agency Children & Family Services (CFS) or the Ventura County Probation Agency (VCPA). All referrals are reviewed by a multi-agency Oversight Committee

