Health Care Program for Children in Foster Care (HCPCFC) Program Activities: Understanding Child Welfare & Probation



HCPCFC Training Modules

- » Program Activities
 - Program Guidance
 - Applicable Statutes and Regulations
 - Program Measures
 - Scope of Work
 - Tools, Databases & Resources
 - Confidentiality & Consent
 - Psychotropic Medication Monitoring & Oversight (PMM&O)
 - Navigating Health Care Services
 - Understanding Child Welfare & Probation

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- At the local level, HCPCFC programs conduct program activities in close partnership with their Child Welfare Services (CWS) and Probation counterparts and are expected to strive to coordinate and integrate activities to the extent possible.
- >> The assigned Social Worker (SW) or Probation Officer (PO) is the primary case manager, with HCPCFC providing secondary management functions for matters relating to medical, dental, behavioral, and developmental health.
- All HCPCFC staff must understand the organizations with which they work, in order to align program functions to best support the population served, and the members of their care team.

Resources

- >> Child Welfare Information Gateway
- » California Courts: Juvenile Justice Court Process
- » Child Welfare Services Manual
- » Information Resource Guide
- » UC Davis Child Welfare Continuing and Professional Education

Resources (continued)

- » Child Welfare Information Gateway
- » About Child and Family Teams (CFTs)
- Foster Youth Education Resource Hub
- » Extended Foster Care
- » Independent Living Program (ILP)

Resources (continued)

- Continuum of Care Reform (CCR) & Probation Youth
- Office of Tribal Affairs (OTA)
- California Tribal Families Coalition Educational Resources
- » Adoption Assistance Program
- » Regional Centers
- >> Juvenile Justice and CalAIM
- Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children

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