



Department of
Medicaid



Resilience through
Integrated Systems and Excellence

OhioRISE Advisory Council Meeting

March 9, 2021

9:00 – 11:00 PM

Housekeeping



All participants can mute and unmute their own lines, **so please be sure to mute your line when you're not talking. If you are muted during the meeting and called in, you must press *6 to unmute.**

Please introduce yourself by entering your name, title, and organization in the chat feature.



We hope to have robust oral discussion among Advisory Council members. All other attendees may enter comments or questions using the **chat** feature in Teams.



The slides from this meeting will be available following the meeting on the [OhioRISE Website](#).

Note about OhioRISE procurement

Agenda

- 1** Welcome and Introductions
- 2** Stakeholder Engagement Refresher
- 3** Department of Developmental Disabilities
- 4** Workgroup and Draft Rules Updates
- 5** Solicitations for Juvenile Justice System Representatives
- 6** CANS Pilot Opportunity
- 7** Next Steps

OhioRISE Advisory Council & Workgroups – Membership and Purpose

Purposes of the OhioRISE Advisory Council & Workgroups

- » Offer specific advice, expert opinions and suggestions to Directors and staff regarding the OhioRISE program
- » Provide clinical and programmatic input on key components of new and enhanced services
- » Review rule development and changes
- » Provide critical technical feedback regarding initial implementation activities and OhioRISE operations



MEMBERS SELECTED FOR THE ADVISORY COUNCIL REPRESENT:

Diverse range of expertise and experience

Local system partners

Associations and providers of services

Youth and Families with lived experience

Ohio's geography

Department of Developmental Disabilities

DODD Supporting MSY

- DODD's commitment to OhioRISE
- MSY data shows nearly half of referred youth have an Intellectual or Developmental Disability: the services we are building and expanding need to support youth in the DD system
- DODD's future planning is built on the belief that:
 - All children should be at home with their families whenever its safe and possible.
 - If they cannot be in their family home, in a homelike setting in their community.
 - If an out of home residential setting needs to happen, it should be short term and in an environment with staff who have the skills to support youth with disabilities.

Current Cross-Agency Projects

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- DODD is already taking part in many cross-agency initiatives to support MSY.
 - System of Care ECHO for MSY in partnership with OMHAS and Medicaid
 - Review of applications for MSY TA & funding
 - Creation of the MSY training in partnership with OCALI - *Supporting Youth with Intensive & Complex Needs*
 - This is available for ALL agencies to take advantage of

DODD Next Steps for Supporting MSY

- Creation of a multi-disciplinary team of professionals to consult with local teams including families on youth with complex behavioral health needs
- Creation of Regional Resilience Coaches to help families and Direct Support Professionals understand and carry out recommendations, interventions and strategies to help support youth who have recommendations from the multi-disciplinary team
- Build capacity to provide respite services to support youth and families
- Creation of a specialized Intermediate Care Facility to support MSY (ViaQuest, 7 beds)
- Continue to enhance the services at Tiffin Developmental Center for MSY

Questions for Advisory Council

- Where do you see potential gaps across systems?
- What inspires you about OhioRISE? What do you hope will be achieved that you don't want us to lose sight of?
- What ideas do you have to improve our stakeholder engagement processes?
- What are areas we need to explore in future meetings?

Workgroup and Rules Updates

CANS and CARE Coordination Workgroup Update

- Began meeting on January 28 and continues to meet every two weeks
- Topics covered
 - » Introduction to OhioRISE Eligibility and the associated eligibility rule
 - » Introduction CANS Functional Assessment
 - » Introduction to Care Coordination driven by High Fidelity Wraparound Principles
 - » Introduction to Care Management Entities
 - » CANS Overview - Drs. Lyons and Fernando
 - » Introduction to Care Management Entity (CMEs)
 - » Eligibility Pathways into OhioRISE through typical and urgent situations
 - » Care Coordination Tiers
- Next Meeting Thursday, 3/11
 - » Discuss care coordination rule concepts
 - » Solicit stakeholder feedback on care coordination rule content

Eligibility and Enrollment Draft Rule

- Reviewed draft rule at several workgroup meetings
- Requested stakeholder feedback on draft rule between 2/18 - 2/26
- 12 stakeholders provided comments and questions
 - » Reviewed feedback
 - » Communicated responses to stakeholders via email
- Themes from stakeholder feedback
 - » Defining behavioral health crisis for urgent enrollment
 - » Use of Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths (CANS) in determining eligibility
 - » Transition from Managed Care Plan to OhioRISE plan and vice versa
 - » Operational considerations
- Next Steps
 - » Topics requiring additional clarification will be discussed in future CCC workgroup meeting
 - » Continued work on rule, begin filing process in April

Mobile Response and Stabilization Service Workgroup Update

- Workgroup met Jan. 22 and Feb. 9
- Topics covered
 - » MRSS and the Crisis Continuum of Care
 - » History of MRSS in Ohio
 - » MRSS Description/Introduction to MRSS
 - » MHAS Draft Rule Concepts
 - » ODM Draft Rule Concepts
- Next meeting likely in April

MRSS Workgroup Draft Rule

- Reviewed regulatory concepts at 2/9 meeting
 - » Breakout room discussions and report out
 - » ODM and MHAS revised concepts based on workgroup discussion and feedback
- Requested stakeholder feedback on draft rule from 2/23 - 3/3
- Six stakeholder provided in-depth questions and comments
 - » ODM and MHAS are reviewing feedback
 - » Will communicate responses to stakeholders
- Next step: Continue to work on rule, begin filing process in April

Intensive Home-Based Treatment Workgroup Update

- First meeting 2/19
- Topics covered
 - » Overview and history of IHBT
 - » Eligibility and use of CANS
 - » Staffing Requirements
 - » IHBT Data
 - » Stakeholder Discussion
- ODM and MHAS are considering workgroup feedback from 2/19 discussion to draft policy changes
- Next step: meeting on 3/18 to discuss draft rules using breakout rooms
 - » Will share draft rule concepts prior to next meeting

Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facility Workgroup Update

- First meeting is 3/16
- Topics to cover
 - » Overview of PRTFs special guest Elizabeth Manley
 - » Stakeholder comments and questions

Next meeting TBD

Solicitations for Juvenile Justice System Representatives

Juvenile Justice System

- Additional stakeholders from the Juvenile Justice System needed
- Stakeholders raised this issue
- ODM reached out to Ohio Supreme Court and Judicial Conference
- Do you have recommendations?
- Are there court staff or others that should be included?

CANS Pilot Opportunity

Pilot Opportunity: Volunteer Assessors Needed for the Ohio CANS and Decision Support Tool

- Sending a survey seeking volunteer assessors to pilot the draft Ohio Brief CANS and Decision Support Tool with their clients and families.
 - » This process will be used to test the validity of the Decision Support Model and will inform modifications that may be needed to better fit the needs of the youth and families being served.
 - » We hope pilot with a diverse group of volunteers who represent youth and families with varying needs
- Volunteers should:
 - » Hold a current CANS assessor certification
 - » Be available for 1-2-hour CANS booster training provided by TCOM/Praed – date TBD

Next Steps

Next Advisory Council Meeting

- The next meeting is April 13
- Topics
 - » Center of Excellence
 - » 1915c Waiver

OhioRISE Stakeholder Timeline



OhioRISE Website

On the [OhioRISE website](#) we post the dates and times of future meetings, links to join the meetings, and presentation materials.

OhioRISE Advisory Council and Workgroups

Beginning in 2021, OhioRISE Advisory Council and Workgroup meetings will commence. The purpose of these meetings is to engage with stakeholders to obtain critical feedback and expert advice for OhioRISE’s services and operations. You can find the members selected to be in the Advisory Council [here](#) and the presentation for the kickoff OhioRISE Stakeholder meeting on December 18, 2020 [here](#).

Please select the 'Advisory Council and Workgroup Meetings' dropdown tab below to view presentation materials and meeting registration links.

Advisory Council and Workgroup Meetings

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Advisory Council and Workgroup Meetings

Meeting Name (Link to Materials)	Date	Time	Registration Link
OhioRISE Advisory Council Meeting	01/11/2021	12:00 – 1:30 PM EST	Registration Has Closed
MRSS Workgroup	01/22/2021	12:00 – 1:30 PM EST	Registration Has Closed
CANS & Care Coordination Workgroup	01/28/2021	12:00 – 2:00 PM EST	Registration Has Closed
Advisory Council Meeting	02/09/2021	9:00 – 11:00 AM EST	Registration Has Closed
MRSS Workgroup	02/09/2021	1:30 - 3:30 PM EST	Registration Has Closed
CANS and Care Coordination Workgroup	02/11/2021	12:00 - 2:00 PM EST	Registration Has Closed
IHBT Workgroup	02/19/2021	2:30 - 4:30 PM EST	Registration Has Closed
CANS and Care Coordination Workgroup	02/25/2021	12:00 - 2:00 PM EST	Registration Has Closed
Advisory Council Meeting	03/09/2021	9:00 – 11:00 AM EST	Click here to join the meeting - Registration not required

Access meeting presentations by clicking on the 'Meeting Name (Link to Materials)'

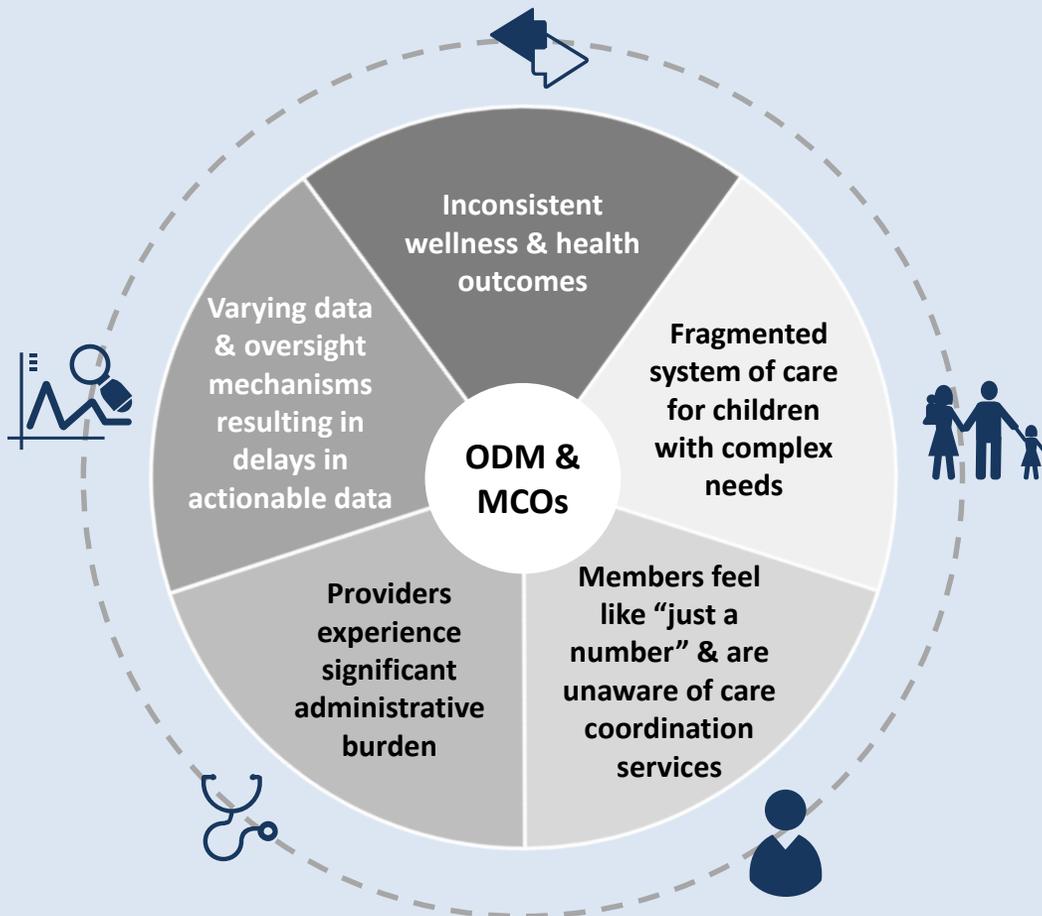
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Thank you for participating!

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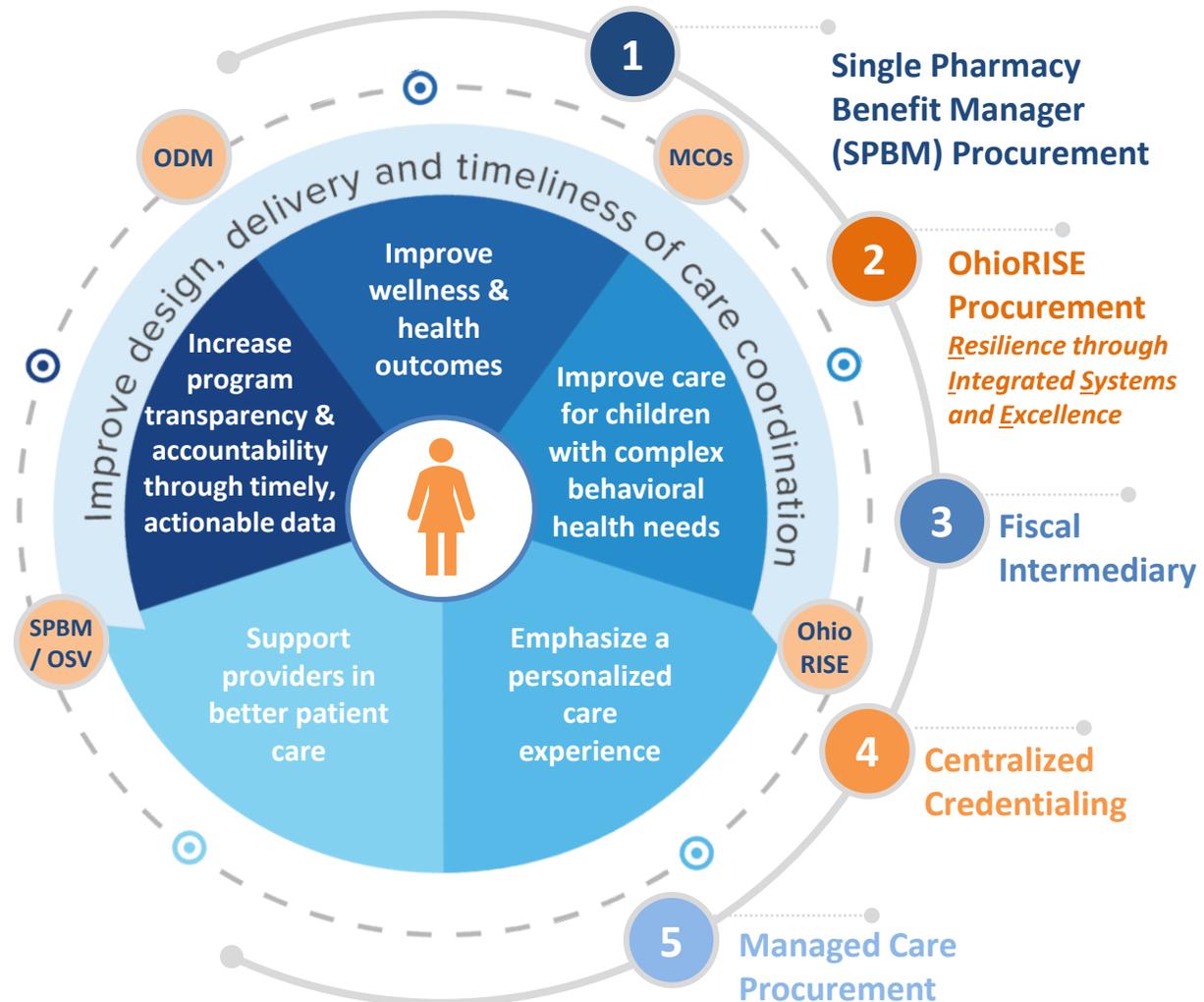
Today's Ohio Medicaid Managed Care Program

Members are impacted by business decisions that don't always take their needs or circumstances into consideration. Providers are not always treated as partners in patient care. We want to do better for the people we serve.



"Next Generation" of Managed Care in Ohio

The focus is on the individual with strong coordination and partnership among MCOs, vendors & ODM to support specialization in addressing critical needs.





Resilience through
Integrated Systems and Excellence

A specialized managed care organization (MCO) with expertise in providing services for the most complex multi-system youth

Specialized MCO

ODM will procure a special type of MCO – a prepaid inpatient health plan (PIHP) – to ensure financial incentives and risks are in place to drive appropriate use of high quality behavioral health services.

Shared Governance

OhioRISE features multi-agency governance to drive toward improving cross-system outcomes – we all serve many of the same kids and families.

Coordinated and Integrated Care & Services

OhioRISE brings together local entities, schools, providers, health plans, & families as a part of our approach for improving care for enrolled youth.

Prevent Custody Relinquishment

OhioRISE will utilize a new 1915c waiver to target the most in need and vulnerable families and children to prevent custody relinquishment.

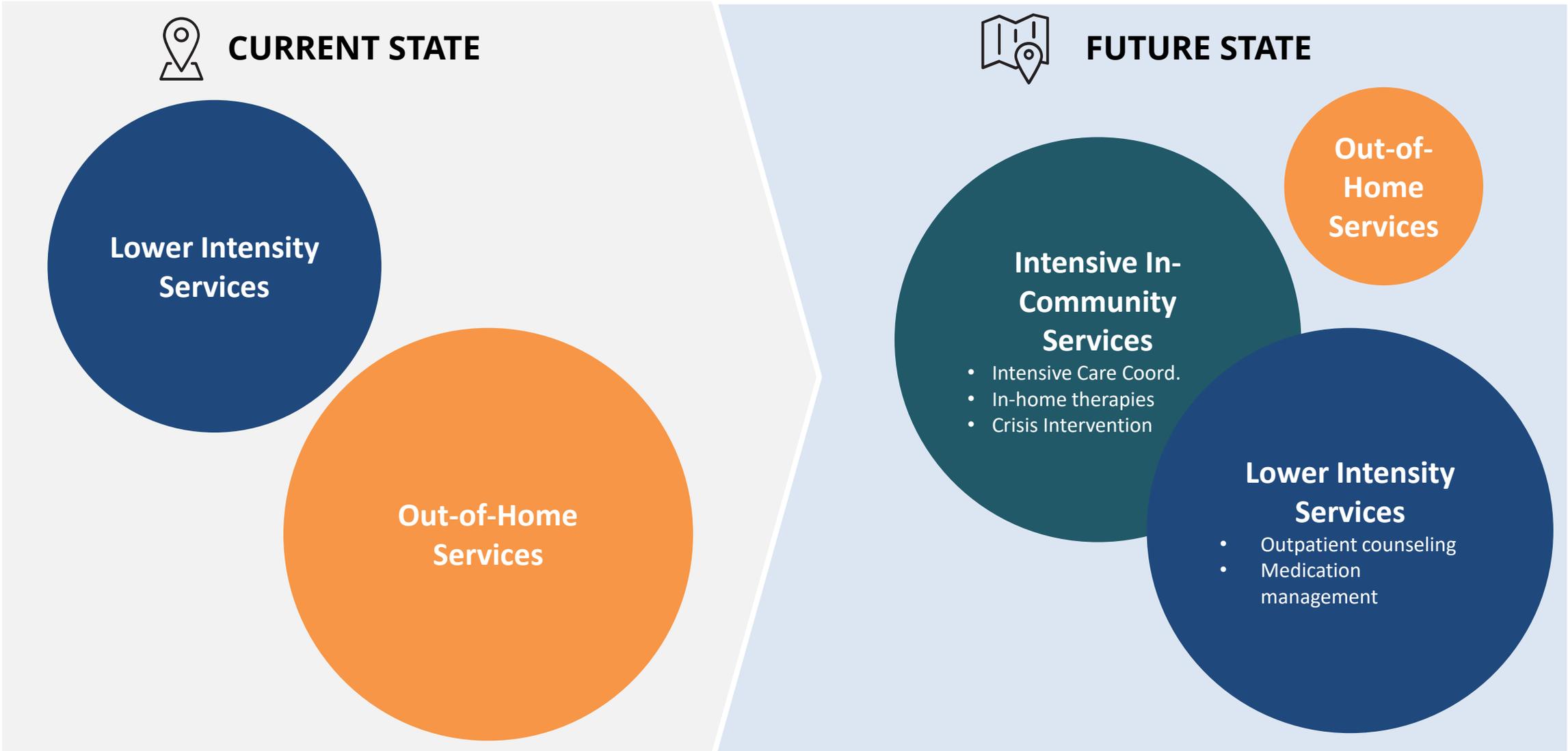
OhioRISE Enrollment

- ✓ Enrolled in Medicaid (managed care or fee for service)
- ✓ Up to age 21
- ✓ In need of significant behavioral health services
- ✓ Meet functional needs criteria as assessed by the Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths (CANS)
- ✓ Estimate 55-60,000 children & youth by end of year 1

OhioRISE Services

- ✓ All existing behavioral health services – with a few limited exceptions (ex: BH emergency dept.)
- ✓ Intensive Care Coordination
 - Consistent with principles of High-Fidelity Wraparound
 - Delivered by a regional “Care Management Entity”
 - Two levels – intensive and moderate
- ✓ Intensive Home Based Treatment (IHBT)
- ✓ Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facility (PRTF)
- ✓ New 1915(c) waiver that runs through OhioRISE
 - Unique waiver services & eligibility
- ✓ Mobile Response and Stabilization Service (MRSS)
 - Also covered outside of OhioRISE (MCO and FFS)

We Need to Build Significant Capacity to Shift the System



OhioRISE Ecosystem

Family and Children First Cabinet Council:

Governor's Office of Children's Initiatives, Office of Family & Children First MHAS, ODJFS, DODD, ODM, DYS, DRC, ODH, ODE,
Federal and State funds | Governance and Oversight

Medicaid Managed Care Organizations (MCOs)
Physical health,
limited BH services

Service Providers

Contract with OhioRISE & MCOs to
provide services

OhioRISE Plan

Contract with CMEs, providers

Department of Medicaid
Contract, provide
oversight of the
OhioRISE and MCOs



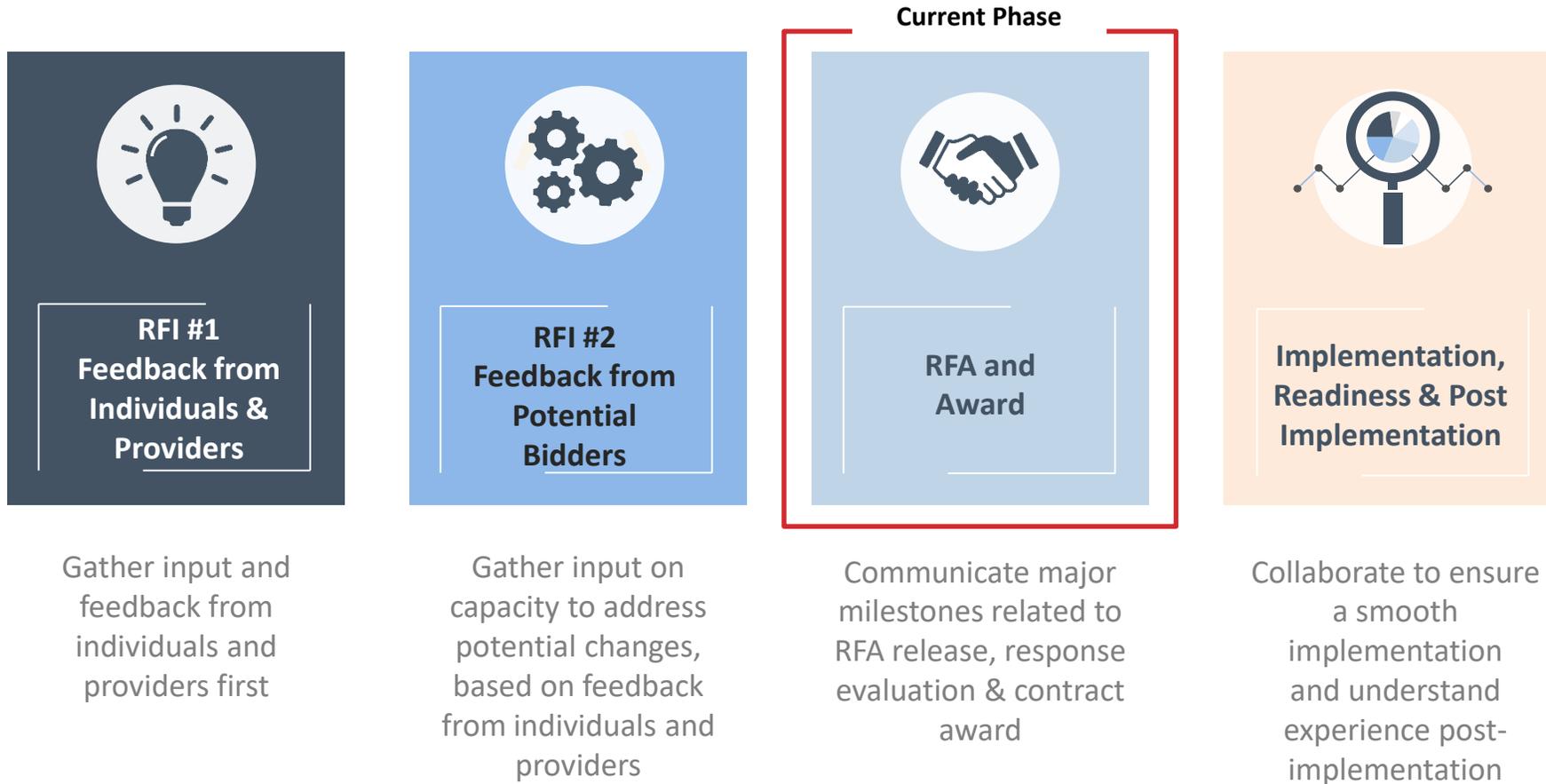
Network of Care Management Entities (CMEs)

Provide Intensive Care Coordination using High Fidelity Wraparound

Center(s) of Excellence (COEs)

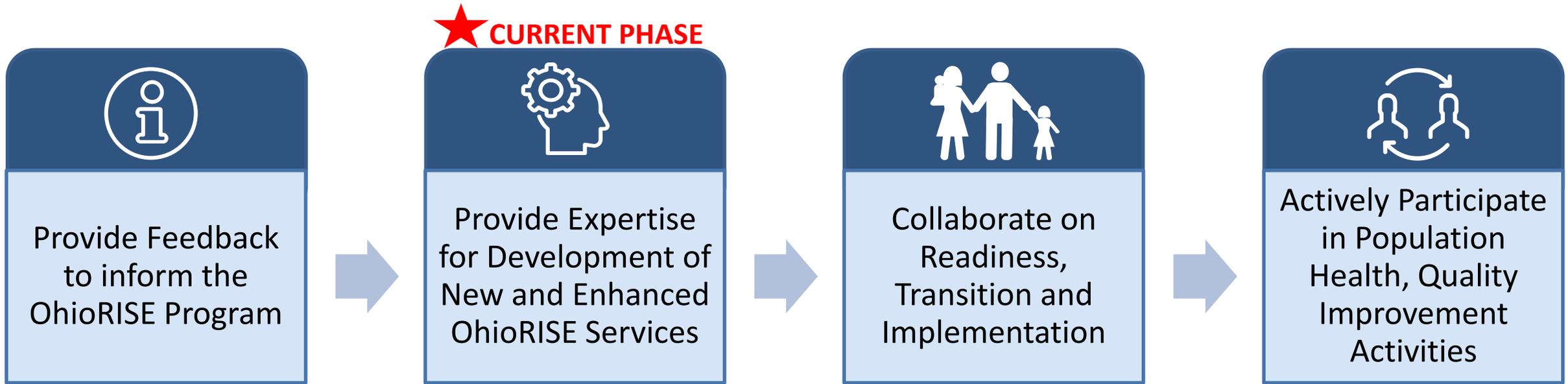
Support evidence-based practices, training,
fidelity reviews, workforce development

Medicaid Managed Care Procurement Project Phases



The current focus of the managed care procurement is on soliciting RFA responses and evaluating them in preparation for award.

Stakeholder Input Through Program Phases



Communicate with individuals we serve and our shared community partners
Provide ongoing feedback to OhioRISE Governance Network, collaborate, and learn across systems

OhioRISE Advisory Committee & Workgroup Structure

