Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs (CYSHCN)

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Governor

Secretary of Health and Human Resources

Commissioner of Health

Deputy Commissioner of Public Health and Preparedness

Office of Family Health Services Director

Division of Child and Family Health Director

CYSHCN Program Director
## National Outcome Measure 17.1: Percent of children, ages 0 through 17, with special health care needs (CShCN)

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<td><strong>Virginia</strong></td>
<td>%</td>
<td>18.0</td>
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<td>15.5 - 20.9</td>
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<td>Sample Count</td>
<td>280</td>
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<td>Pop. Est.</td>
<td>335,140</td>
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<td><strong>Nationwide</strong></td>
<td>%</td>
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<td>18.8 - 20.0</td>
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<td>17,065</td>
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<td>Pop. Est.</td>
<td>14,125,878</td>
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C.I. = 95% Confidence Interval. Percentages and population estimates (Pop. Est.) are weighted to represent child population in US.
Brief Overview

• Serve youth from 0-21, with a few exceptions for Sickle Cell Disease Program and Virginia Bleeding Disorders Program

• Close relationship with Newborn Screening, referrals for care coordination services required after confirmation

• Promote medical home and transition, suite of training available at: https://healthycommunityeducation.org/home.aspx

• Relationship with VA Department of Education

• Programs based on core outcomes for CYSHCN (Maternal and Child Health Bureau)
  • Medical Home
  • Transition
  • Adequate Insurance
  • Family/Professional Partnership
  • Early and Continuous Screening
  • Easy to Use Services and Supports
Brief Overview, “The Big Three”

• **State Plan for CYSHCN in Virginia Administrative Code** - Sets expectations, describes scope of unit/programs, makes CYSHCN a priority, based on Title V, Maternal and Child Block Grant

• **Funding** - Federal Block Grant Funds and General Funds

• **Critical Public-Private Partnerships** - Infrastructure, contractual partnerships expand service floor

“Coming together is a beginning, staying together is progress, and working together is success.”-Henry Ford
State CYSHCN Network: Critical Public-Private Partnerships

- Virginia Bleeding Disorders Program: Hemophilia and other related disorders
- Pediatric and Adult Comprehensive Sickle Cell Programs: Sickle Cell Disease, Adult program being established
- Child Development Clinics: Developmental and Behavioral Assessments
- Care Connection for Children Centers: Care Coordination Services
- 6,412 served by above programs (FY21)
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- **Child Development Centers**
  7  | Southwestern Virginia Child Development Center – Lunenbach Health District |
  8  | Shenandoah Valley Child Development Center – VCU                            |
  9  | Hampton Roads’ Child Development Center – CS/CHD                           |
 10  | Central Virginia Child Development Center – VCU                             |
 11  | Roanoke Area CHADD Development Center – Carilion                            |

- **Comprehensive Blending Disorder Centers**
  12 | University of Virginia – Division of Pediatric Hematology and Oncology |
  13 | Children’s National Medical Center – Hematology/ Oncology                 |
  14 | Hematology Centre of Hampton Roads – CHBD (Division of Hematology/Oncology) |
  15 | VCU Health Systems – Central Virginia Center for Congenital Disorders    |

- **Comprehensive Sickle Cell Centers**
  16 | Children’s Hospital of Richmond at VCU – AVMH Pediatrics Hematology and Oncology Clinic |
  17 | Children’s Hospital of the King’s Daughter – Cancer and Blood Disorders |
  18 | Pediatric Specialists of Virginia – Center for Cancer and Blood Disorders |
  19 | University of Virginia Medical Center – Division of Pediatric Hematology and Oncology |
Power of Collaboration
(Medicaid, VDH, Health System)

- Identified Need-Vehicle Modification

Rear entry ramp and modification for two wheelchairs
Cost $13,000
Family purchased newer model van
Successes and Challenges

Successes
• Partnerships, Partnerships, Partnerships!!!!!!!!!!!!!
• Virginia prioritized services for CYSHCN many years ago and continues to support them

Challenges
• Costs- Seek to braid funding from the beginning
• Workforce Challenges