

# BEACON Report

## July through September 2025

This report is provided by The Children's Behavioral Health Transformation Initiative Team (CBHTI) pursuant to the 405 ILCS 165/10(5). Statute requires that the CBHTI participating agencies (DCFS, DHS, HFS, ISBE, DJJ & IDPH) submit a quarterly report to the General Assembly on the number of children submitted to the team; the clinical presentations that required enhanced agency collaboration; the types of services including residential treatment that were needed to support the needs of children presented; the timeframe it took to find placement or appropriate services and any other information deemed appropriate by the Interagency Children's Behavioral Health Services Team. This report is a collaborative report put together based on cases staffed by all participating agencies.

The Interagency Children's Behavioral Health Services Team reviews the cases of children submitted to the Interagency portal on a weekly basis. Staff from various agencies participate in these meetings and assist in helping find placement, services, and support for the children. The tables below reflect data regarding children who were submitted to the portal as well as those whose cases resolved from July 01, 2025 to September 30, 2025.

## Cases Entering BEACON During the 3rd Quarter of 2025

### Total cases entering BEACON

338 cases were submitted to the team from July 01, 2025 to September 30, 2025.

### Diagnoses

Due to the transition to the new data collection system, the below diagnosis counts are estimated based on comma separations in the free-form text field child.medicalCondition. Cases may involve multiple disorder types.

Table 1: Clinical presentations of youth submitted to the team from July 01, 2025 to September 30, 2025

Disorder Category	N
Other	225
Externalizing	99
Combo	88
Developmental	31
Internalizing	29
Psychotic	2
Total	474

## Cases Resolved During the 3rd Quarter of 2025

### Total cases resolved

Note: Cases that resolved within a quarter may have entered the portal in a previous quarter.

Table 2: Mean and median number of days of casework it took for a child to find placement or support services for cases that resolved between July 01, 2025 and September 30, 2025

Total cases resolved	274
Median number of days to resolution	35
Mean number of days to resolution	63

### Resolved placements

Table 3: The types of placements of the children whose cases resolved between July 01, 2025 and September 30, 2025

Closing Type	Resolved Cases	Median Days To Resolution	Mean Days To Resolution
community	131	50	71
duplicate	28	1	45
invalid	77	21	21
residential	38	118	136

Table 4: The resolution types among community placements of the children whose cases resolved between July 01, 2025 and September 30, 2025

Close Resolution	Resolved Cases
MH/SUT - Community - Insurance	17
MH/SUT - Community - Medicaid	79
MH/SUT - Community - Other	9
MH/SUT - Home - DCFS	12
MH/SUT - Home - Medicaid	1
MH/SUT - Home - Medicaid Waiver	1
MH/SUT - Home - Other	1
Non-Clinical Services - Community - Other	1
School Accommodation - School - School District	10

Table 5: The resolution types among residential placements of the children whose cases resolved between July 01, 2025 and September 30, 2025

Close Resolution	Resolved Cases
MH - Residential - DCFS	13
MH - Residential - DD Waiver	1
MH - Residential - FSP	10
MH - Residential - Interim Relief	6
MH - Residential - Private Insurance	2
MH - Residential - School District	6

### Resolved services

Note: Children may receive multiple types of services.

Table 6: The types of services received by the children whose cases resolved between July 01, 2025 and September 30, 2025

Service Type	Cases
is_youth_enrolled_in_fsp	59
has_dcfs_hotline_call_been_made	57
has_family_been_connected_with_ccbys	55
has_dcfs_call_been_made	54
has_intact_referral_been_made	35
is_youth_enrolled_in_pathways	32

Table 6: The types of services received by the children whose cases resolved between July 01, 2025 and September 30, 2025

Service Type	Cases
is_youth_enrolled_in_interim_relief	32
was_dcfs_call_due_to_youth_not_being_picked_up	28
did_family_accept_intact_services	28
is_youth_on_puns_list	24
is_family_working_with_intact	15
is_youth_eligible_for_dd_community	15
has_cw_ws_referral_been_made	7
is_youth_eligible_for_dd_residential_waiver	7
has_youth_received_an_imcans_assessment	6
is_family_working_with_cws	5
does_youth_have_any_involvement_with_dcfs	0
is_youth_a_youth_in_care	0