



Methodist Children's Home
Offering Hope Since 1890

Family Outreach Services

MCH Family Outreach

- MCH Family Outreach supports families during crisis situations, while strengthening the family and supporting each child's healthy development.
- Staff provide in-home services to strengthen families through assessment, case management and advocacy to help each family meet the needs of their children and support their need for safety and stability.
- Should families need the additional support of foster care, several offices in Texas provide foster care services and help in the efforts toward family stability and reunification.

In-Home Services

- Services are offered to families in their homes or communities to help strengthen the family or build a network of support. Families strive to meet the needs of their children, promoting safety and stability and preventing the need for family separation where it is possible.
- Services include individualized assessment, case management, parenting support, and referrals or assistance.
- Our staff members partner with families to help support their efforts to overcome their challenges through assessment, service planning and regular face-to-face contact.

Gap Program

- Outreach staff support grandparents and other relative caregivers who care for children in the absence of parents. Services include in-home assessments, case management services and support groups for caregivers.

Foster Care

- Foster care through MCH Family Outreach is licensed by the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services (TDFPS). Foster is offered in Abilene, Houston, Tyler, San Antonio, and Dallas.
- Foster care provides a safe and nurturing home to support families while they work on goals supporting reunification. If reunification is not possible, staff help each child find a permanent home.
- Foster care places children, ages 0-17, with licensed foster families in or close to their communities. Foster care is meant to be short term, ranging from 6-18 months, until parents can stabilize their circumstances and resume parenting.
- MCH accepts voluntary placements in addition to placements through TDFPS for children removed from their homes due to allegations of abuse and/or neglect.
- Staff work closely with parents to move toward reunification and/or permanency. Parents are encouraged to participate with their children on a regular basis.

MCH FAMILY OUTREACH OFFICES

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