



Community Services

METHODIST CHILDREN'S HOME

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- Community services offered through Methodist Children's Home are designed to support families during crisis situations, while strengthening the family and supporting each child's healthy development.
- Each outreach office provides supportive services to families through Partnership in Parenting, a program that offers resource information, parenting support, case management services, service planning and time-limited client assistance.
- Should families need the additional support of foster care, each outreach office in Texas has supportive case management staff to provide foster care services and help in the efforts toward family stability and reunification.

Partnership in Parenting

- The goal of Partnership in Parenting (PIP) is to prevent family separation and assist families in their time of crisis.
- The program offers services to help build a network of support, find local resources to meet identified needs, and provide service

planning and case management, as well as tangible services to help families overcome their crisis and become self-sustaining.

Foster Care

- The MCH foster care program is licensed by the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services to provide foster care in Texas. The program is also accredited by the Council on Accreditation, a national accreditation agency.
- The goal of foster care services is to provide a safe and nurturing home to support families while they work on family goals supporting reunification. If reunification is not possible, outreach offices help each child find a safe, stable, and nurturing permanent home.
- The foster care program can place children, ages 0-17, with licensed foster families in or close to their home communities. Foster care services are meant to be short term, ranging from 6-18 months, until parents can stabilize their circumstances and resume parenting.
- The MCH foster care program accepts voluntary placements, in addition to placements through the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services for children removed from their homes due to allegations of abuse and/or neglect.
- The foster care staff works closely with parents to move toward reunification and/or permanency.
- Parents are encouraged to participate with their children on a regular basis, including visitation, service planning, and educational planning.

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Corpus Christi, TX 78411
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