

Los Angeles County Pathway to Prevention



North Star



Building pathways for families to access resources where they live so they may thrive.

By improving collaboration with community leaders and across systems, we can better support families and prevent child welfare system involvement.



Throughlines



STRATEGIC COORDINATION

Aligning resources and streamlining connection to services so families can access upstream services when and where they need them.



EQUITY

Utilizing a targeted approach to level the playing field for marginalized children and achieve equitable outcomes.



SUSTAINABILITY

Maximize new funding streams, matching, and braiding opportunities to expand and sustain prevention services.



COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

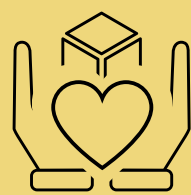
Co-create and share power with those with lived expertise.



Major Child and Family-Focused Prevention Initiatives

- ARDI – Prevention Services Taskforce (PSTF)
- Mandated Supporting Initiative
- Comprehensive Prevention Plan (CPP)
 - Family First Prevention Services Act (FFPSA)
 - Community Pathway
- Thriving Families Safer Children (TFSC)
- Poverty Alleviation Initiative (PAI)
- One Roof
- Medi-Cal/CalAIM benefits for children and families

Goals



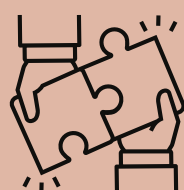
- Create healthier communities.
- Increase protective factors for at-risk children and families.
- Prevent reoccurrence of system involvement.

Coordinated Efforts



- County departments, community-based organizations, and community members with lived expertise are collaborating across these initiatives.
- There are a number of vehicles including System of Care, FFPSA workgroups, and PSTF, in which coordination and alignment occurs. (See landscape analysis for detailed information.)

OCP's Role



The Office of Child Protection (OCP) convenes cross-agency and community leadership to broker relationships and align prevention strategies for children and families. The OCP also leads select initiatives related to prevention and promotion, including implementing community pathways to critical prevention services for families from hospital, school, and early care and education settings.

