

From: Magellan Healthcare

**Subject:** Use clinical judgment and Medical Necessity Criteria to identify youth for wraparound services

## **Overview**

The Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths (CANS) assessment in the Person-Centered Intelligence Solution (P-CIS) system identifies youth with the highest needs who may benefit from Wraparound Intensive Services (WInS), often called "Wraparound".

- The P-CIS system tabulates CANS scores and may indicate "Consider Wraparound" based on the youth's needs and strengths.
- If the system does not indicate "Consider Wraparound:"
- Providers may still refer to Wraparound if clinically indicated;
  - Providers should use clinical judgment to determine the most appropriate services and supports for the youth.

## Refer a youth to wraparound when all of the following apply:

- 1. The CANS score is 2 or 3.
- 2. The youth and family want to participate in Wraparound.
- 3. The youth is multi-system involved or has needs in multiple systems.

Please continue to follow the Medical Necessity Criteria when making referrals.

## **How to make a Wraparound referral**

<u>Click here</u> for the Wrapround referral form, or call the Magellan provider line 1-855-202-0983 (TTY 711) for information about how to make a Wraparound referral.

## **Questions?**

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