

WHAT IS CHSC? WHAT IS TITLE V? (TITLE FIVE)

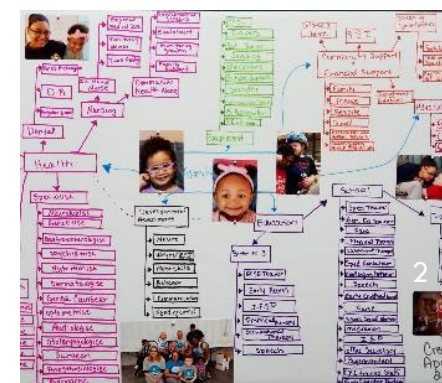
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PRESENTATION TO DD COUNCIL

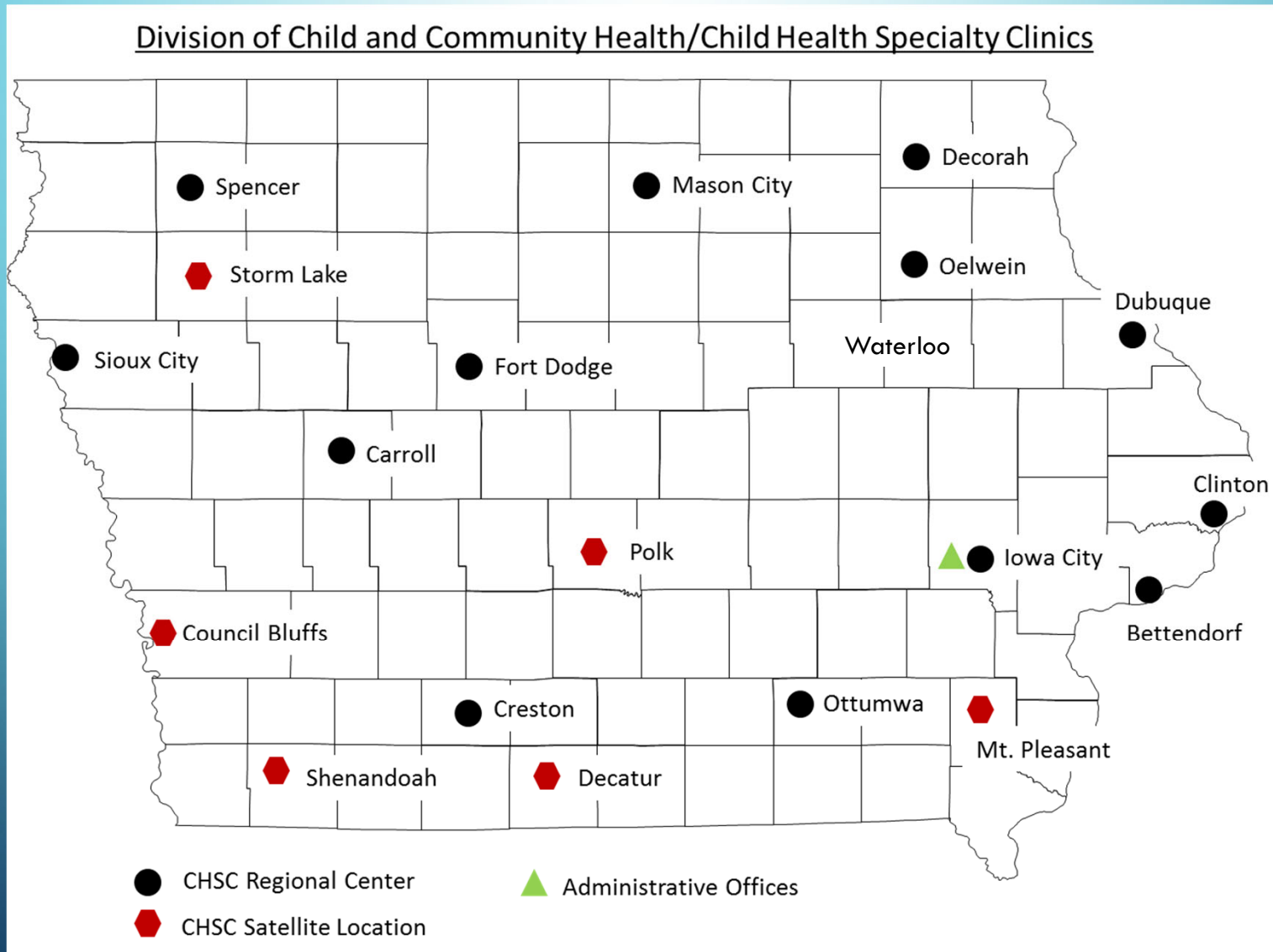
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CHILD HEALTH SPECIALTY CLINICS (CHSC)

- CHSC provided care to about 7,300 families in 2021
 - We are not the CDD, but we like to work with them!
- Direct services where other providers might not be available. Examples:
 - Telehealth with pediatric specialists
 - Health and behavior assessments
 - Medication management
- Care coordination
- Family support
 - Family navigator network



MAP OF IOWA CHSC REGIONAL CENTERS



CYSHCN

- Children and Youth with
Special Health Care Needs



**University of Iowa
Stead Family
Children's Hospital**

CHILDREN AND YOUTH WITH SPECIAL HEALTH CARE NEEDS

1) Children who have a health concern
such as

- Asthma
- Autism Spectrum Disorder
- Developmental disorders
- Behavior disorders
- Cerebral Palsy
- Diabetes
- many other conditions

AND...

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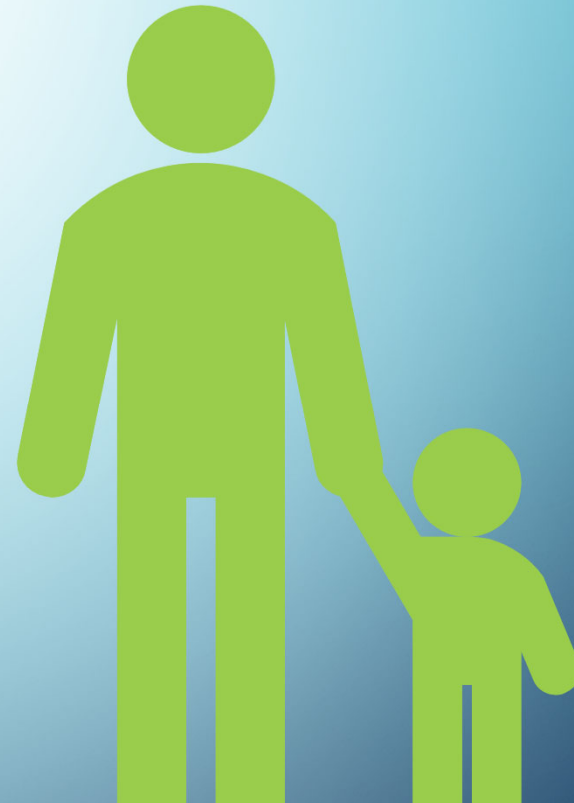
... AND

2) Who need more services than other children

- In Iowa, there are about 143,000 Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

TITLE V MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH BLOCK GRANT

- We often call it Title V (Title Five)
- It was started in order to help all mothers and children to be healthy
- “Block Grant” means that the states are given money with instructions but not a lot of rules.
 - Flexibility about how to use the money in each state
 - States are held accountable for how they spend the money



TITLE V BLOCK GRANT

- It is Title V of the Social Security Act
 - Signed in 1935 during the Great Depression
- Oldest partnership between the federal government and state governments in the United States



WHO DOES TITLE V TRY TO HELP?



- Women/Maternal



- Adolescents
(Teenagers)



- Babies (Infants)



- CYSHCN

Children and Youth with
Special Health Care
Needs



- Children

IN IOWA:

- The Iowa Department of Public Health (IDPH)
- The Department of Pediatrics at the University of Iowa
 - Child Health Specialty Clinics

work on this program together. Not every state is set up this way



TITLE V IN IOWA

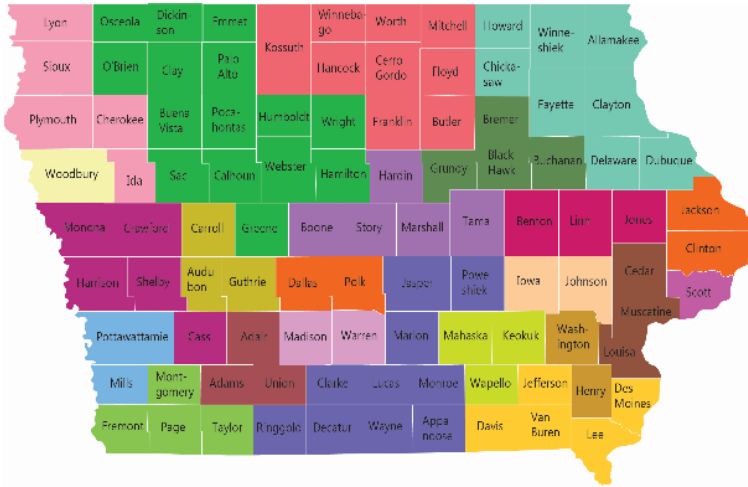
Iowa
Department
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Health

- Women/Maternal
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Child
Health
Specialty
Clinics

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MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH



- Local public health agencies
- Prenatal (Pregnancy) care to about 6000 women
- Preventive care to about 150,000 children

TITLE V PRIORITIES: CHILDREN AND YOUTH WITH SPECIAL HEALTH CARE NEEDS

- We look carefully at the needs of Iowa's Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs every Five years.
- We completed this "Needs Assessment" in 2020 and determined new priority areas

CYSHCN PRIORITIES

Access to health care
and services

Help with transitioning
to adulthood

Support for families

WORKING WITH THE DD COUNCIL

Advocacy— Long Term Services and Supports, other Medicaid topics

Networking— distribution of notifications for trainings, events

Joint sponsorship of activities



HOW CHSC WORKS WITH THE DD COUNCIL TO ACHIEVE COMMON GOALS

CYSHCN PRIORITIES

Support for families

THE IOWA FAMILY LEADERSHIP TRAINING INSTITUTE

Parents and primary caregivers of children ages 3 to 19 with special health care needs are invited to participate in a special leadership training. The goals of this training are to:

- Understand how to work with partners
- Become aware of one's own path to leadership
- Discover strategies for advocacy
- Prepare a Community Service Project