

# Arizona's System of Care for Children/Adolescents

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**Vision:** In collaboration with the child and family and others, Arizona will provide accessible behavioral health services designed to aid children to achieve success in school, live with their families, avoid delinquency, and become stable and productive adults. Services will be tailored to the child and family and provided in the most appropriate setting, in a timely fashion and in accordance with best practices, while respecting the child's family's cultural heritage.

- Guiding Principles:**
- Collaboration with the child and family
  - Functional outcomes
  - Collaboration with others
  - Accessible services
  - Best practices
  - Most appropriate setting
  - Timeliness
  - Services tailored to the child and family
  - Stability
  - Respect for the child and family's unique cultural heritage
  - Independence
  - Connection to natural supports

