

Presumptive Transfer (AB 1299)

Request for services for

Out of County Foster Care Youth

Non-Kings County Foster Youth that are placed in Kings County by County of Jurisdiction may access specialty mental health services through the request for a Presumptive Transfer.

The placing agency shall notify the Mental Health Plan (MHP) where the child resides through their posted single point of contact within 3-business days of the presumptive transfer decision and ensure that the foster child's residence address is updated in the MediCal Eligibility Data System (MEDS) within 2-business days of making the determination. This notification shall include the following information:

- Identifying information about the child: name, date of birth, address
- Contact information for the caretaker, including name and phone number
- Name, location, and contact information of the referring placing agency
- Name and contact information of who can sign release of information
- Name and contact information of who can sign consents
- Send the most recent consent for services (court order), and consent for medication (JV-220)
- Send, or arrange to have sent, the most recent mental health records, including the most recent mental health assessment.

To notify the MHP in Kings County of a presumptive transfer case, please email the Children System of Care (CSCO) unit at KingsMHPcsoc@co.kings.ca.us or Fax: (559) 589-6928

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Presumptive Transfers Point of Contact list:

<https://www.cdss.ca.gov/inforesources/foster-care/presumptive-transfer/county-points-of-contact>