



Jail Diversion and Deflection

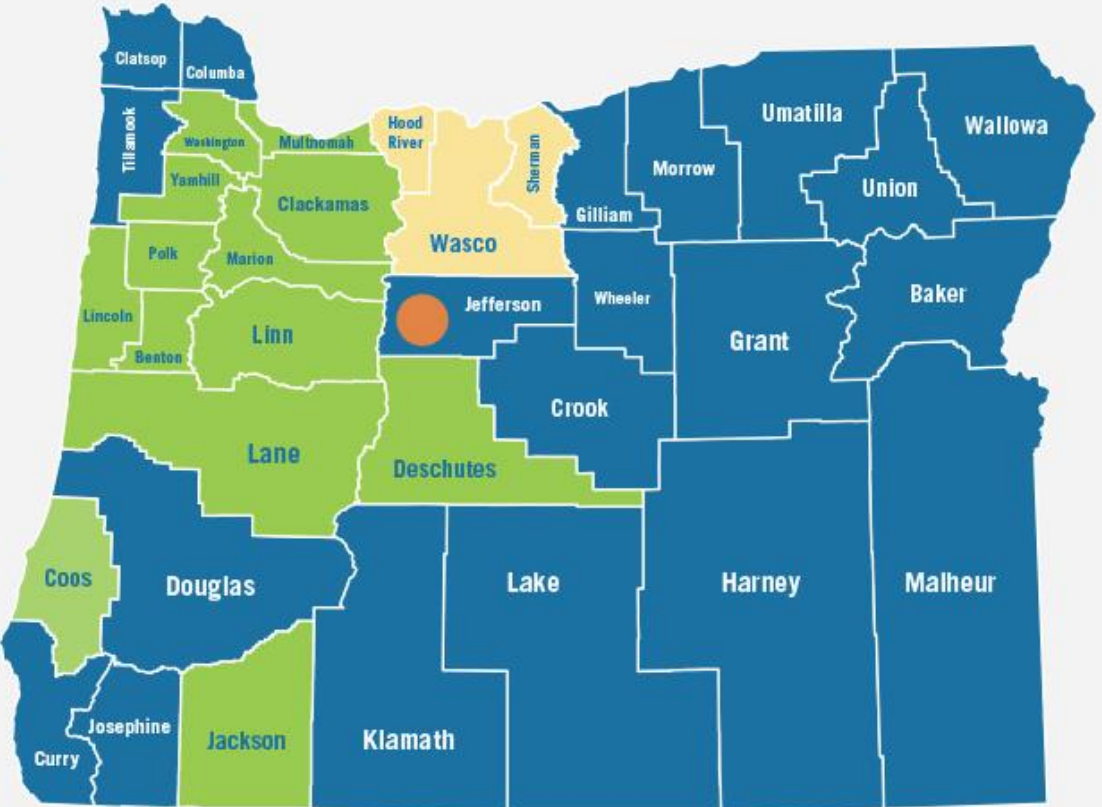
COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAM
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Community Mental Health Programs

Entities that are responsible for planning and delivery of services for individuals with substance use or mental illness diagnoses operated in specific geographic areas of the state through a county financial assistance agreement (CFAA) with the Oregon Health Authority

Service Delivery Structure of Community Mental Health Programs:

- County Department
- Not-for-Profit
- Chapter 190 IGA
- Tribe



Jail Diversion Services and Performance Requirements in CFAA

Jail Diversion Services are community-based services that are designed to minimize contact with law enforcement and avoid or reduce jail time. These services include mental health and substance use treatment services, employment and social services, and housing.

Performance Requirements in County Financial Assistance Agreement

- (a)** Create partnerships or diversion agreements between law enforcement agencies, jails, circuit and municipal courts, and local mental health providers;
- (b)** Create opportunities for individuals to access housing in addition to vocational and educational services;
- (c)** Provide support services to prevent or curtail relapses and other crises;
- (d)** Assist Individuals to negotiate and minimize continuing criminal sanctions as they make progress in recovery and meet criminal justice obligations; and
- (e)** Promote peer support and the social inclusion of Individuals with or in recovery from mental and substance use disorders in the community.

Case
management
services
described in
OAR 309-
019-0150

(a) Gaining access to and maintaining resources such as Social Security benefits, general assistance, food stamps, vocational rehabilitation, and housing

(b) Arrangement of transportation to help clients apply for benefits

(c) Referral and coordination to help individuals gain access to services and supports identified in the service plan to include but may not be limited to individuals at risk of suicide;

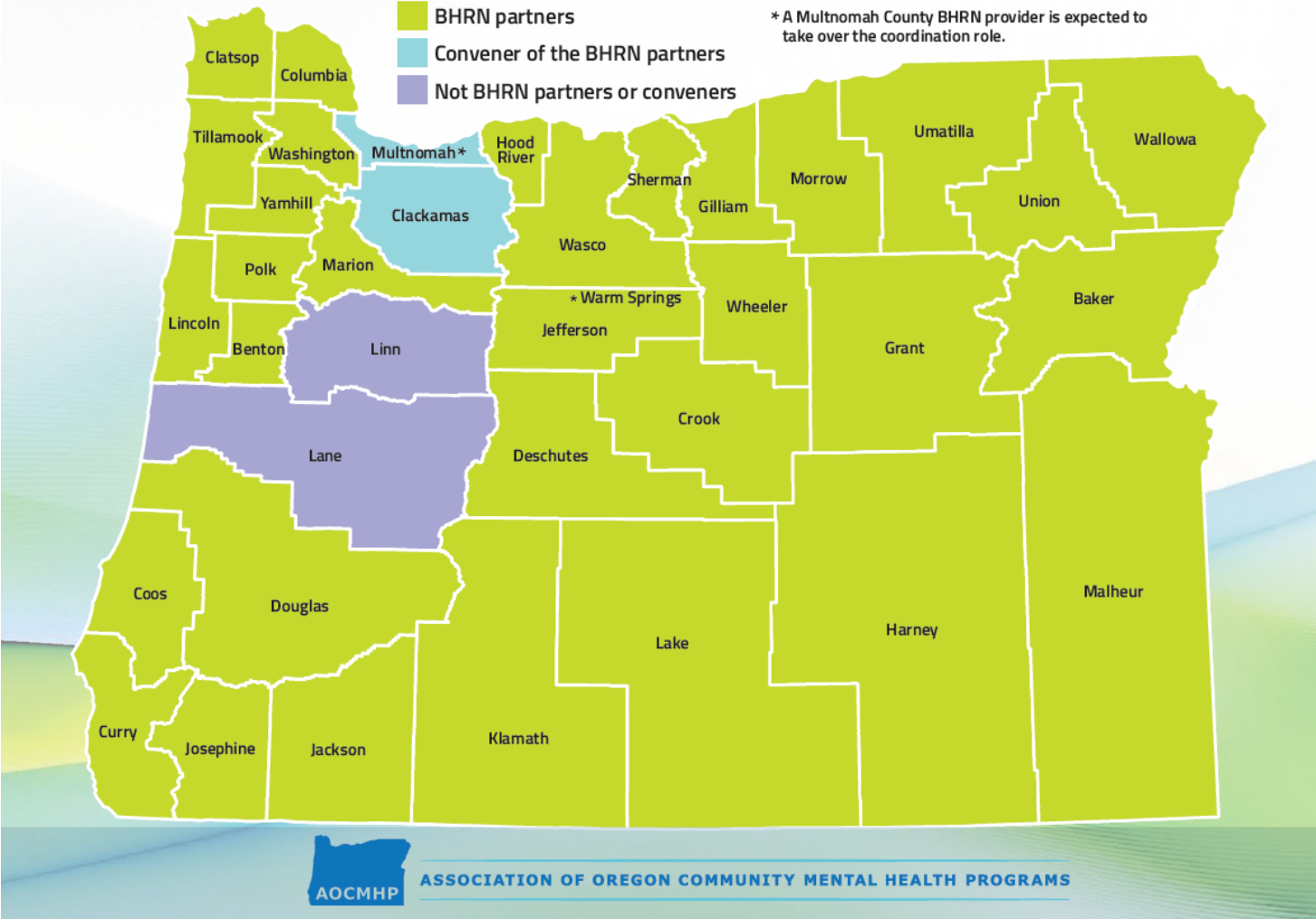
(d) Care coordination and warm handoff processes

(e) Assist with a follow-up visit within seven days of discharge from an acute care psychiatric hospital.

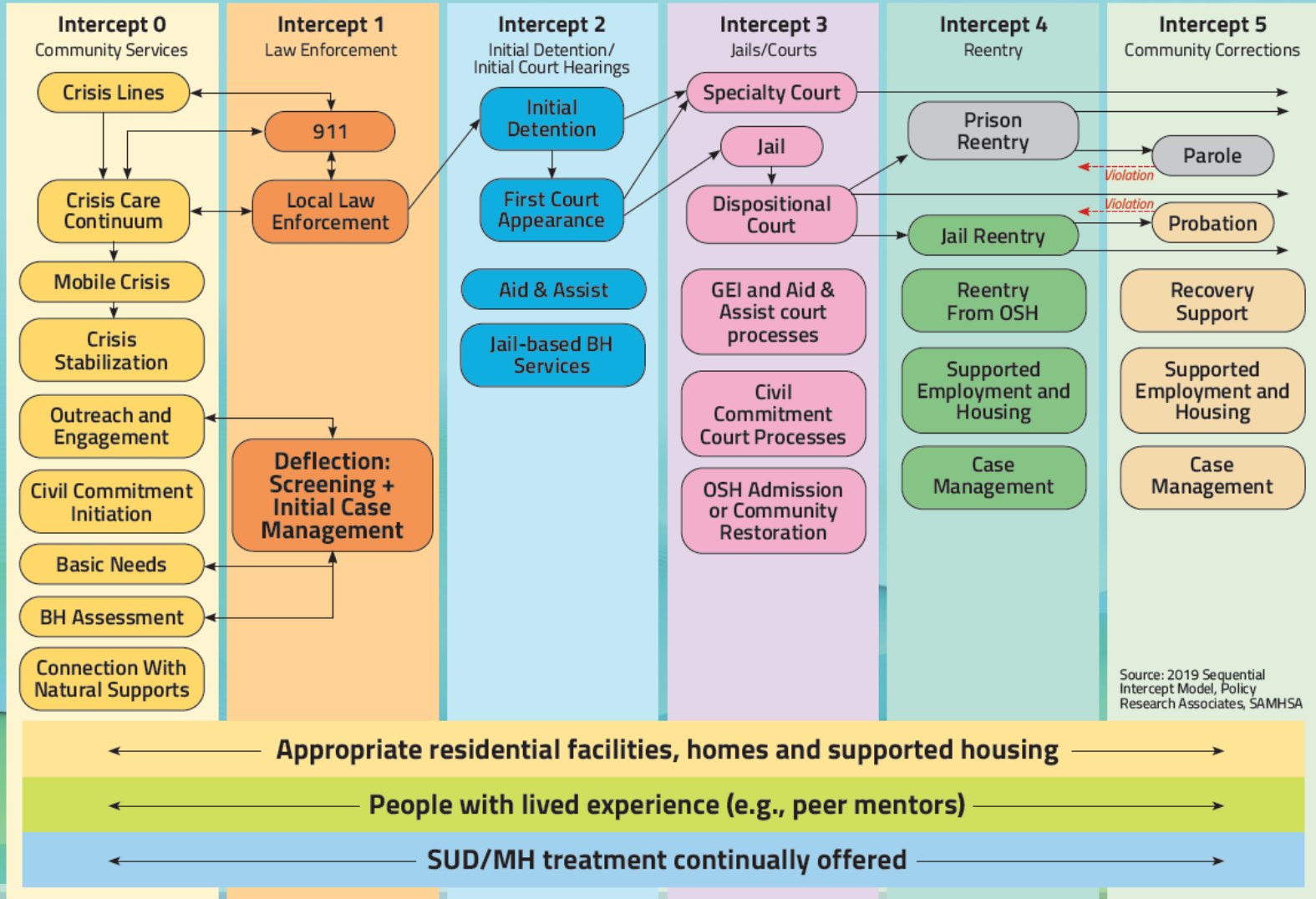
CMHPs already work with Law Enforcement and other key system partners

- Mobile Crisis and Crisis Stabilization
- Aid & Assist and Psychiatric Security Review Board processes
- Civil Commitment processes
- Jail Diversion
- Certified recovery mentors and other peers
- Contract with peer-run organizations and other community-based organizations to provide outreach and navigation, outpatient and social services

CMHP Participation in Behavioral Health Resource Networks



Jail Diversion Continuum





Resource Needs Post-Deflection

- Crisis Stabilization, Withdrawal Management, and other ‘Shovel Ready’ Facilities
- Community Restoration for those who are charged with a crime and are unable to aid & assist in their defense
- Workforce Development – Recruitment, Retention, Living Wages and Gratitude



Multi-system partnership is essential to
combat addictions crisis