Increase and adopt successful models for home-based behavioral health care services

- Support collaborations, initiatives, and services that expand the behavioral health care services (prevention, treatment, and recovery) offered in the home or through familiar and comfortable environments to decrease infrastructure barriers and support youth in successfully functioning in the home and community.

In-home programs can support and guide caregivers within the comfort and familiarity of their own homes to promote positive parenting practices and their child’s behavioral health.

- In-home programs can provide personalized and comprehensive support to youth and caregivers while allowing providers to see youth in their environment.
- In-home support can also decrease key service access barriers such as transportation and service times.

And the in-home therapy bit is also a huge waitlist for that. There’s really not many options. A few years ago, it was easier to get kids in for in-home family therapy when there’s like multiple layers of family stuff going on [now] it’s almost impossible.

~ Key informant interviewee

If there’s something wrong with a child at an early age, I think that it will be great if we could expand [home visitation] especially for the Spanish-speaking community. We only have one person that is certified to go into somebody’s home. But there is a big need - there is a huge need, and we need resources for that, and more people to be trained.

~ Key informant interviewee

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