

Civil Rights & Judiciary Committee Trueblood Update



Washington State
Health Care Authority



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Phased Approach

Phase 1: 2019-2021

- Southwest region (Clark, Klickitat, and Skamania counties)
- Pierce County
- Spokane region (Adams, Ferry, Lincoln, Pend Oreille, Spokane, and Stevens counties)

Phase 2: 2021-2023

- King region (King county – Washington’s most populous)

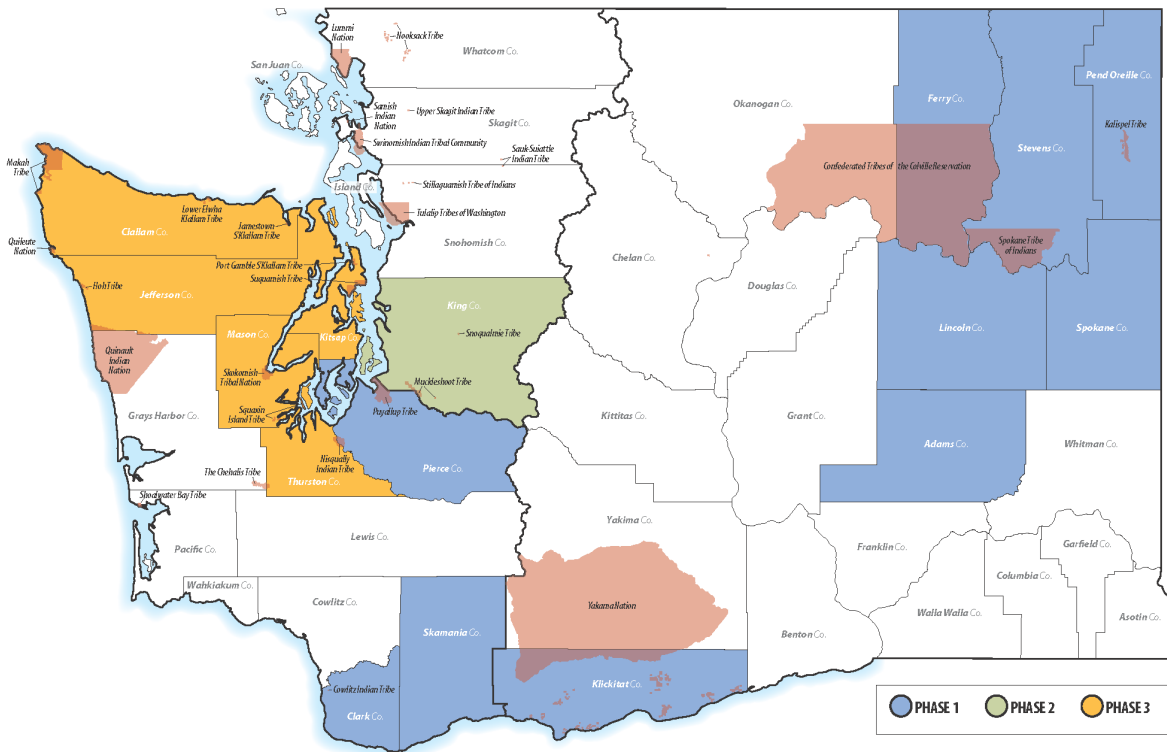
Phase 3: 2023-2025

- Thurston/Mason region (Thurston and Mason counties)
- Salish region (Kitsap, Jefferson, and Clallam)

Phase 4: 2025-2027

- No geographic expansion
- Significant FPATH, FHARPS, and OCRP program enhancements
 - FPATH: Forensic Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness
 - FHARPS: Forensic Housing and Recovery through Peer Services
 - OCRP: Outpatient Competency Restoration Program

Trueblood Settlement Agreement Regions



HCA Trueblood Programs

- Forensic PATH (FPATH)
- Forensic HARPS (FHARPS)
 - Crisis Housing Vouchers
- Outpatient Competency Restoration (OCRP)
- Crisis Enhancement Funds
- Increased Crisis Bed Capacity
- Misdemeanor Diversion Funds
- Trueblood Diversion Programs
- Global (Master) Leasing

Trueblood Settlement Agreement Programs Served:

Forensic PATH programs have enrolled and served almost **700** participants.

Forensic HARPS programs have enrolled and housed more than **1000** participants.

Crisis Housing Vouchers have provided temporary housing to more than **650** people who experienced a behavioral health crisis and were experiencing homelessness.

OCR has enrolled and provided out-of-custody restoration services for **243** people.

HCA's OCR programs have exceeded the national averages for the number of people served in a new out-of-custody restoration program.

Trueblood Diversion Programs:

HCA contracts with 6 Trueblood Diversion Programs

- Kitsap Mental Health
- Frontier Behavioral Health
- Community Integrated Health Services
- Comprehensive Healthcare
- Catholic Charities
- King County Behavioral Health and Recovery

A robust community behavioral health system

A system that is well connected between crisis system and outpatient services, supports peoples' needs early and decreases the need for inpatient and forensic behavioral health services.

This connection helps to keep people out of the criminal legal system.

- Strengthening the crisis response system
 - Investments to someone safe to talk to, someone to respond, and a safe place for help
- Strong community-based outpatient services
 - Investments in rate increases
 - Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinics (CCBHC)

Questions?

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