MAYOR LIGHTFOOT'S FRAMEWORK FOR MENTAL HEALTH EQUITY

FACT SHEET



Double CDPH's mental health funding with \$9.3 million increase.

STRATEGY

Co big with a coordinated, citywide network of care to address trauma.

- Fund 20 public and nonprofit health centers to expand care in highneed neighborhoods, regardless of patients' ability to pay or insurance status.
- + Create violence prevention programming to address mental health needs in communities most impacted by violence and poverty.
- + Invest in crisis prevention and response teams for people who have additional mental health challenges and have trouble accessing brick-and-mortar clinics.
- + Coordinate the city's mental health system to ensure every resident can access the care they need, where they need it, including an enhanced 311 helpline.

BENEFITS

More access, more equity.

- + Serves tens of thousands more residents
- + Funds community organizations rooted in neighborhoods
- + Supports an array of services, not one-size-fits-all
- + Links mental health with physical health and social services to care for the whole person
- + Improves CDPH's current clinics
- + Uses data to identify where communities lack access and what services they need
- + Funds care for youth and adolescents

COMMUNITY SUPPORT

Access Community Health Network

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Ann and Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago

Bobby Wright Comprehensive Behavioral Health Center

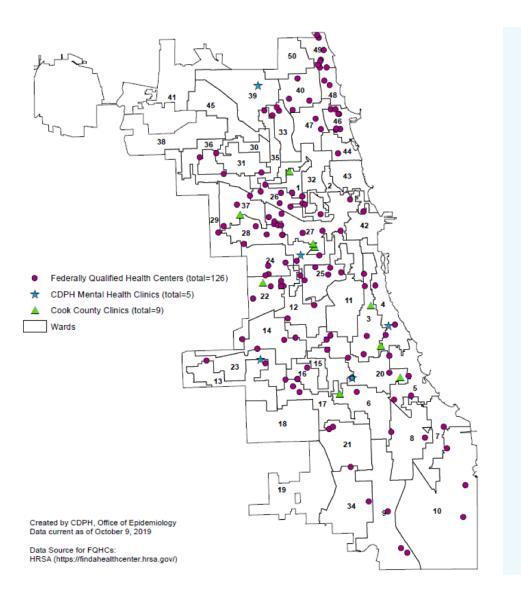
Bright Star Community Outreach (Pastor Chris Harris)

Board of Health President Carolyn Lopez Community Counseling Centers of Chicago (C4) Erie Family Health Centers Esperanza Health Centers Friend Health Habilitative Systems Inc. Heartland Health Centers Howard Brown Health Human Resources Development Institute (HRDI) The Kennedy Forum Lawndale Christian Health Center Lutheran Social Services of Illinois National Alliance on Mental Illness Chicago Thresholds Trilogy Behavioral Health

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BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES, CHICAGO, 2019 PUBLICLY FUNDED CLINICS



Chicago has well over 100 publicly funded clinics that provide mental health services across the city-plus dozens of nonprofit community mental health centers.

The Framework for Mental Health Equity will create a citywide network of care by **funding community providers** and **filling gaps in service** to ensure all Chicagoans have access to the mental health services they need, when and where they need them.

This map shows sites publicly funded at the federal, County, and City levels, including federally qualified health centers with rigorous requirements to provide care to underserved populations and charge all patients on a sliding scale down to zero.

This map does not include dozens of nonprofit community mental health centers that also serve lowincome residents in Chicago, or providers in private practice.