

San Francisco LINKAGES Program Prevention Efforts



EMPOWERING SAN FRANCISCO
FAMILIES THROUGH PARTNERSHIP
BETWEEN CALWORKS AND FAMILY
& CHILDREN'S SERVICES (FCS)

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LINKAGES AS AN ANTI-POVERTY INITIATIVE: WHO ARE INVOLVED?



EARLY INTERVENTION

- ❖ **CalWORKs flyer included in ER packets containing forms provided by Family and Children's Services investigating PSWs/Protective Services Workers to parents during the 1st meeting**
- ❖ **Linkages coordinator copied on Referrals with Screener Narratives from CPS Hotline Clerical Staff**

LINKAGES CASE IDENTIFICATION

- ❖ **Linkages coordinator copied on Foster Care Placement emails sent from Foster Care Eligibility to CalWORKs Eligibility section**
- ❖ **involvement of Planning department and FCS Data team on data matching between CWS/CMS and CalWIN systems for identification of Linkages cases and Linkages Dashboard automation project**

CALWORKS

INITIATIVES, PROGRAMS, SUPPORTIVE SERVICES

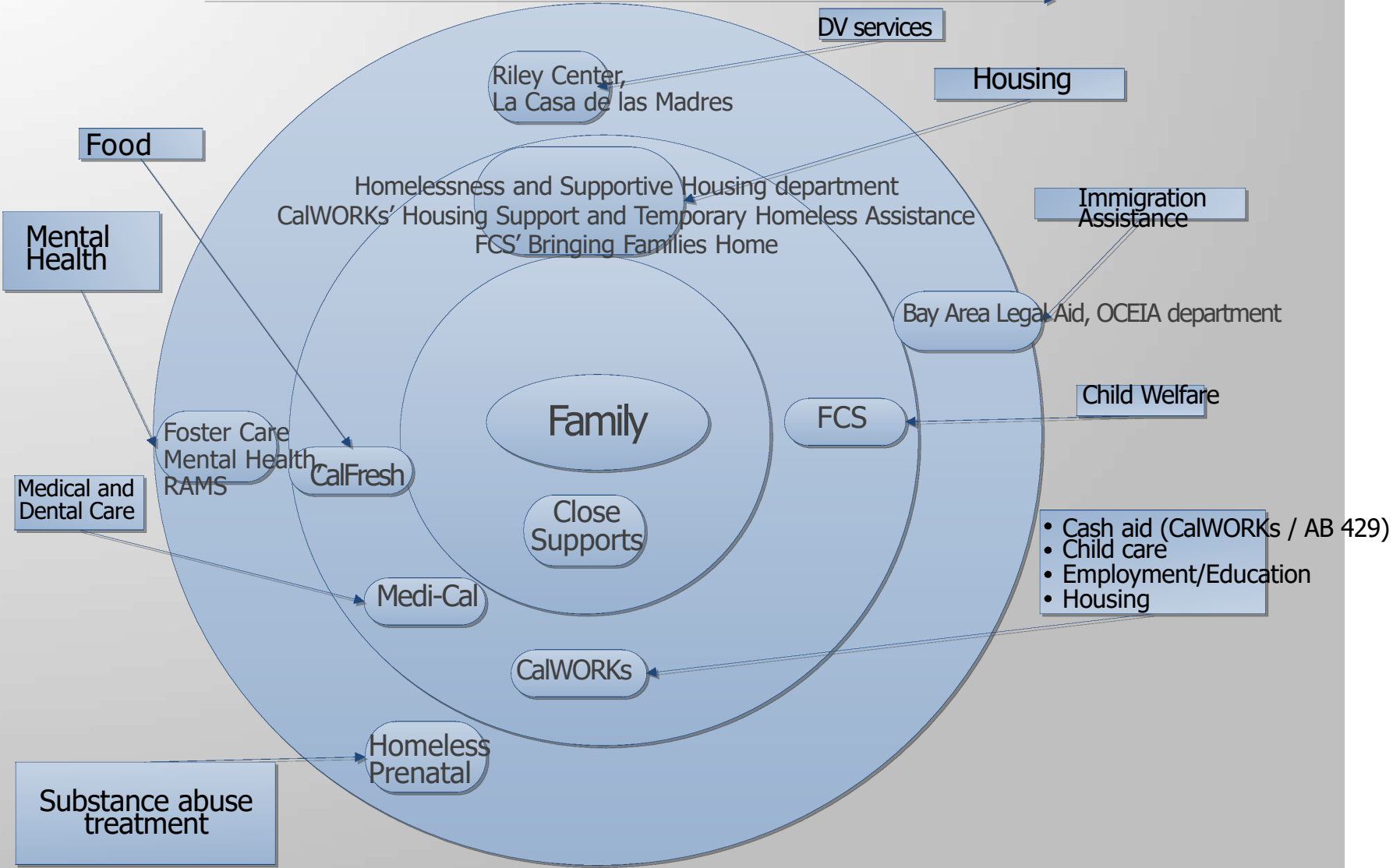
- ❖ **Cal-OAR (Outcomes and Accountability Review)**
- ❖ **CalWORKs 2.0**
- ❖ **Families Rising/Home Visiting (HVP)**
- ❖ **Family Stabilization program (FSP)**
- ❖ **Housing Support program (HSP) &
Temporary Homeless Assistance (THA)**
- ❖ **SSI Advocacy (Social Security SSI/SSDI)**

* CalWORKs and/or other eligibility criteria apply to abovementioned programs.

Linkages Family Support Team

Family Ecomap

Team Framework



QUESTIONS?
