



IRIS Sectors

Definitions and Examples

SECTOR	SHORT DEFINITION	EXAMPLES
Advocacy and Legal Services	Specialized services supporting families in need.	Corrections Diversion Domestic violence support Immigration Legal and court services Sexual assault programs
Aging Care	Services specifically supporting the needs of senior citizens.	Alzheimer's Association Area Agency on Aging Assisted living facilities Senior home health services Senior outreach programs
Behavioral Health	Services supporting mental health and substance use treatment needs.	Behavioral health case management Mental health support groups Mental health treatment providers School-based mental health Substance use treatment providers
Community Support	Programs and services promoting family and community well-being.	Big Brothers/Big Sisters Boys and Girls Club Family preservation Libraries Parenting education Recreation and leisure YMCA/YWCA programs
Concrete Supports	Services that support basic needs such as housing, employment, and food security.	Employment services Financial support Food and other necessities Homeless liaison Housing support and shelters Managed care/Medicaid Rent and utility assistance Transportation

Developmental Disabilities	Services and supports for community members with disabilities.	Adult disability and home health programs Early childhood special education services Respite care Supported housing Transition programs
Early Childhood	Educational services and programs for young children.	Childcare Early Head Start Early Intervention Head Start Parents as Teachers Preschools
Education	K-12, post-secondary, and other adult educational programs.	Adult education programs GED programs K-12 schools and school-based programs
Health Services	Health prevention and treatment services that do not include maternal and child health services.	Disease prevention Hospice care Medical care Public health services Vision/dental
Maternal and Child Health	Services that support reproductive, maternal, newborn, and child health.	Family planning Healthy Families/Healthy Start OBGYNs Pediatricians Prenatal classes Public health MCH Teen pregnancy case management Universal MCH home visiting WIC
Resource Navigation	Programs designed to connect families to needed resources.	211 Care coordinators Child Care Resource and Referral Community health workers Community navigators Coordinated intake