

**Massachusetts Special Commission on
Access to Behavioral Health Supports for Children and Families
Working Group #3 – Survey Questions**

The following survey is meant to be completed by members of the Massachusetts Special Commission on Access to Behavioral Health Supports for Children and Families, to help define the scope for charge (ee) for working group #3.

Charge (ee): analysis of the feasibility and effects of creating a single integrated children's behavioral health agency

Please answer the following questions for how this working group should be thinking about the scope of a single integrated children's behavioral health agency:

- 1. What should be the primary focus of a single integrated children's behavioral health agency?**
 - a. Care for youth with the highest-acuity needs
 - b. Front door to care for any youth with behavioral health needs
 - c. Other:
- 2. Should there be an age cutoff for children served by a single integrated children's behavioral health agency?**
 - a. If yes, what age?
- 3. In addition to mental health conditions, which of the following primary diagnostic conditions should be considered "in scope" for a single integrated children's behavioral health agency?**
 - a. Substance use disorder
 - b. Autism spectrum disorder
 - c. Intellectual disability
 - d. Other?
- 4. Which systems of care are the most important to include within the scope of a single integrated children's behavioral health agency, check all that apply:**
 - a. State-funded mental health supports for youth
 - b. Mental health licensing
 - c. Child welfare system
 - d. State-funded supports for youth with developmental disorders
 - e. Medicaid-funded supports for youth
 - f. Juvenile justice system
 - g. Child care system

- h. Public school system
- i. Educational licensing
- j. Public health supports for youth
- k. Care coordination supports for children with complex medical conditions
- l. Hospital/facility licensing
- m. State-funded substance use supports for youth
- n. Substance use licensing
- o. Other