

Complex Care Funding  
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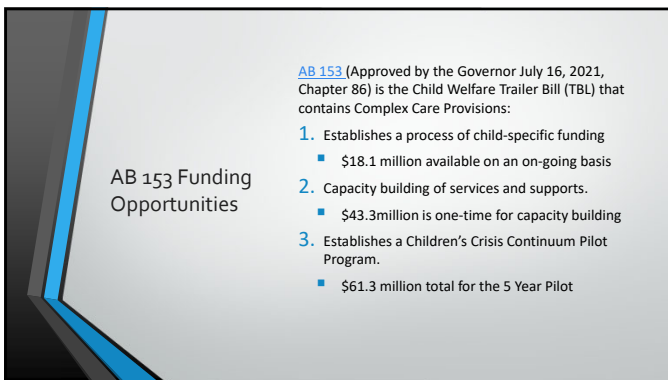
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AB 153 Funding Opportunities

[AB 153](#) (Approved by the Governor July 16, 2021, Chapter 86) is the Child Welfare Trailer Bill (TBL) that contains Complex Care Provisions:

1. Establishes a process of child-specific funding
  - \$18.1 million available on an on-going basis
2. Capacity building of services and supports.
  - \$43.3million is one-time for capacity building
3. Establishes a Children's Crisis Continuum Pilot Program.
  - \$61.3 million total for the 5 Year Pilot

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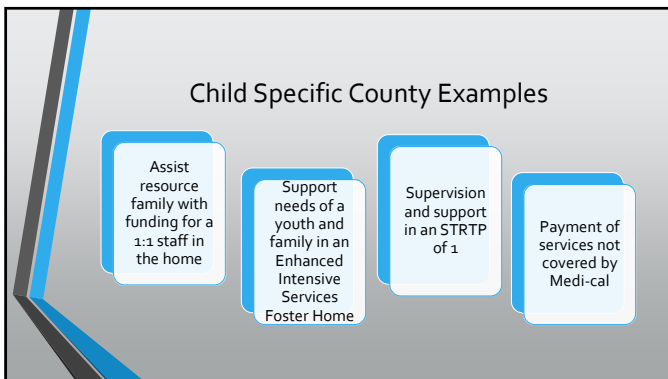
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Child Specific County Examples

- Assist resource family with funding for a 1:1 staff in the home
- Support needs of a youth and family in an Enhanced Intensive Services Foster Home
- Supervision and support in an STRTP of 1
- Payment of services not covered by Medi-cal

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Child Specific Funding  
 All County Letter 21-119

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County Capacity Building

- Required to:
  - Complete Self-Evaluation with Interagency Leadership Team
  - Identify the enhanced and specialized service models
  - Plan for intensive family finding and engagement
  - Specialized models of integrated care and support for family-based settings
  - Highly individualized short term residential program
  - Serve capacity to serve all populations
  - Aftercare services and supports

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Capacity Building Funding  
 All County Letter 21-143

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 Riverside County Probation Department

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Riverside County

- Conducted the self-evaluation with probation, behavioral health, and child welfare
- Worked with Seneca to create a model that builds out the full continuum of care
  - Intensive Stabilization Services
  - Tiered Placement Programs
  - Co-located Crisis Stabilization Unit and Crisis Residential Program

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• QUESTIONS?

• For Questions Regarding Child Specific or Capacity Building Funding email: [RatesPolicy@dss.ca.gov](mailto:RatesPolicy@dss.ca.gov)

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References

- [Child Specific Funding ACL 21-119](#)
- [Capacity Building Funding ACL 21-143](#)
- [Innovative Models of Care ACL 22-21](#)

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