

Chicago Children's Health Project



The Chicago Children's Health Project (CCHP) provides services to children living in medically underserved neighborhoods on Chicago's South and West Side. The program works to bring student health into compliance with school requirements, providing services such as school and sports physicals and immunizations. Patients in CCHP's service area largely identify as Black or African-American, and the majority of patients are on Medicaid or uninsured. Community residents often have limited access to medical care due to accessibility issues such as a lack of transportation and lack of insurance, as well as limited community resources. The program serves many children and families with a history of chronic asthma, diabetes, obesity, elevated blood pressure, and teen pregnancy.

Service Delivery

- Mobile medical
- Mobile mental health
- School-linked

Services Provided

- Health and nutrition education
- Mental health counseling
- Primary care

Demographic Snapshot

- 78% Black
- 18% Hispanic/Latinx
- 14% Children 0-5 years
- 51% Adolescents
- 51% Female

Partner Institution

University of Chicago
Medicine

Partners Since

2003

2025 Total Visits

1,302

2025 Patients

1,101

Ages Served

0-24

