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Frequently Asked Questions

Wolves Wellness School Based Health Center provides primary medical, vision, and mental health services to West Clermont School District students, staff, and eventually the entire community through a partnership with HealthSource of Ohio and Child Focus, Inc. Wolves Wellness is open Monday through Friday and will remain

open during school breaks, including summer break.



Where is Wolves Wellness School Based Health Center Located? Who provides the transportation?

Wolves Wellness School Based Health Center is located inside West Clermont Middle School, 1341 Clough Pike, Cincinnati, 45103. Transportation provided by West Clermont Schools is available to take students from the elementary schools and high school to the Health Center.

How are Child Focus, Inc. services designed?

Services in the health center are designed to address the whole person by integrating physical and mental wellness to begin to address the fragmentation that often exists in our health care system. Integrated care is designed to treat mental health conditions like any other health conditions that children experience.

Individual counseling services vary according to the needs of the client. The intent is to help the individual and/or family to change behavior, stabilize mood or make decisions that will improve their quality of life. Before treatment can begin, the guardian must participate in an intake assessment, provide consent and provide input in establishing goals for treatment.



What services does Child Focus, Inc. provide?

Providers determine the need, level and type of service that is most appropriate for an individual through their initial contact with a student and the referral source.

- Assessment
- Community Psychiatric Supportive Treatment (CPST)
- Treatment

How does using mental health services at Wolves Wellness School Based Center benefit me and my child?

Community Mental Health Services are provided in the health center to meet students in an environment that is convenient for students and their families, minimizing the amount of time students must be away from school and parents away from work. Services in the Health Center eliminate the barrier of transportation that often prevents youth from receiving the services they need.





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What types of insurance does Child Focus accept at the School Based Health Center?

Child Focus, Inc. accepts most insurance plans, including Medicaid, Caresource, Molina, Buckeye, Paramount, United, and private insurance. We also accept uninsured patients.





Who is the clinician my child will see for Mental Health services at the School Based Health Center?

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How does School Based Health work?

- School or Health Center staff make a referral for mental health services
- Intake assessment is scheduled with the guardian and the student
- Goals are established with the student and their guardian
- Regular appointments are scheduled and the district provides transportation during school hours
- Ongoing communication with the guardian will occur via phone and in person visits as necessary
- Insurance is billed for services



How do I contact the School Based Health Center?

You can contact the School Based Health Center by calling **513.732.5082**. For more information about mental health services or Child Focus, Inc. and the services we provide call 752-1555 or go to <u>www.child-focus.org</u>.

