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# Carelon Behavioral Health in CT (formerly Beacon Health Options)

### CT Behavioral Health Partnership

- Administrative Service Organization (ASO)
- Serves individuals who have Medicaid that need mental health, behavioral health, or substance use services
- Partnership with DCF, DSS, and DMHAS
- Covered Services: Management of services covered under Medicaid and other grant-funded community services



#### **Child & Family Division**

Contracts with DCF & DMHAS

- Shapes the CBHSOC by putting families at the center
- Serves over 10,000 youth and family members annually
- Serves families across the state, regardless of insurance
  - Tiered care coordination & peer support
  - Access to mental health and substance use services
  - System of care development
  - Doc to doc psychiatric consultation

#### Carelon BH Commercial Division

- Serves as Behavioral Health clinical and network lead for Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield in Connecticut
- All staff, leadership and resources are separate and distinct from the CTBHP and Child and Family Divisions

## **Connecticut Insured by Market Segment (estimated)**







## **Connecticut Commercial Market by Segment (estimated)**







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### **Timeline Highlights:**

**2006:** The first ASO contract began for child services. **2011:** ASO expansion to Adult Services

**2020**: Child & Family Division was launched with Integrated Family Care & Support and

Voluntary Care Management

**2023:** Preventive Care Management Entity and assumption of BH clinical and network management for Anthem



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