

**Oklahoma Institute for Child Advocacy
2008 Legislative Agenda for Children and Youth
Requests to Appropriations Subcommittees / Agencies / Programs**

Appropriations Subcommittee / Agencies	Agenda Item No.	Program	2008 Children's Agenda Request	Agency Total	Subcommittee Total
Subcomm on Health/Social Services					\$ 16,700,000
Department of Health	#1	Children's Behavioral Health Collaborative Workforce Development	\$ 300,000	\$ 5,300,000	
	#4	Child Care Mental Health Consultants	1,500,000		
	#6	Child Abuse Prevention Children First & Strengthening Families Reducing Childhood Obesity through Afterschool programs	3,000,000 500,000		
Dept. of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services	#1	Children's Behavioral Health Collaborative Suicide Prevention	\$ 800,000	\$ 8,900,000	
		Underage Drinking Initiative	1,500,000		
		Workforce Development	100,000		
		Adolescent Substance Abuse Services	1,500,000		
		Systems of Care	2,000,000		
		Community-Based Substance Abuse Ser.	1,000,000		
		Inpatient Mental Health Treatment Residential Substance Abuse Treatment	1,000,000 1,000,000		
Oklahoma Health Care Authority	#1	Children's Behavioral Health Collaborative Workforce Development	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 2,500,000	
		Residential Substance Abuse Treatment	1,500,000		
		Subcommittee on Human Services			
Department of Human Services	#1	Children's Behavioral Health Collaborative Expansion of home-based interventions	\$ 1,714,000	\$47,175,000	
	#7	Child Care			
		Increase rates / improve quality	12,583,000		
		Minimum wage increases for 2007	4,837,000		
	#9	Minimum wage increases for 2008	8,608,000		
Child Welfare					
Foster Care rate increase to \$18/day Adoption Assistance rate increase Child Welfare Services – 68 new workers		6,697,000 9,439,000 3,297,000			
Subcommittee on Education					\$ 10,827,000
Department of Education State Regents for Higher Education	#4	Child Abuse Prevention/Parents as Teachers	\$ 3,000,000	\$ 3,000,000	
	#3	Health Care Workforce Development	7,827,000	7,827,000	
Total Appropriations Requested					\$ 74,702,000