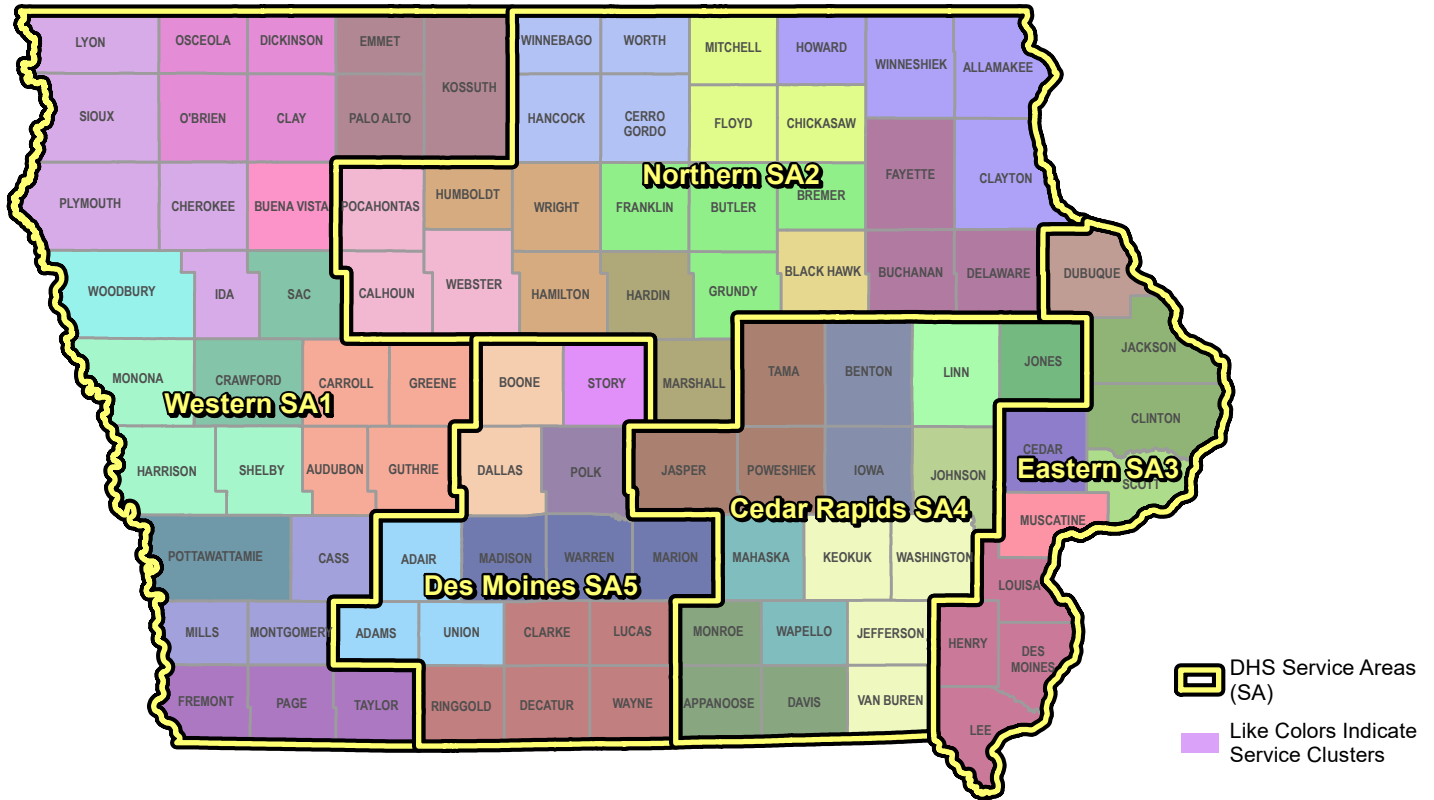


# Child Welfare Decategorization Program — FY 2020

The Child Welfare Decategorization Program is an effort to change the child welfare system to one that is need-based, family-focused, easily accessible, more intensive, less restrictive, and cost effective by “decategorizing” services from a State level to a local level. Decategorization is designed to redirect child welfare and juvenile justice funding to services that are more preventive, family-centered, and neighborhood- and community-based in order to reduce use of restrictive approaches that rely on institutional, out-of-home, and out-of-community placements.



Category of Service	FY 2020 Expenditures
Juvenile Court Services Programs	\$ 2,257,231
Parent/Family Support Programs	970,961
Coordinators and Other Contract Staff	1,937,938
Community-Based Supports	1,008,145
School-Based Programs	846,792
Mental Health Services	397,653
Community Partnership for Protecting Children	31,233
Functional Family Therapy	306,669
Substance Abuse Services	88,046
Domestic Violence Assistance	3,000
Other	518,331
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 8,365,998</b>

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