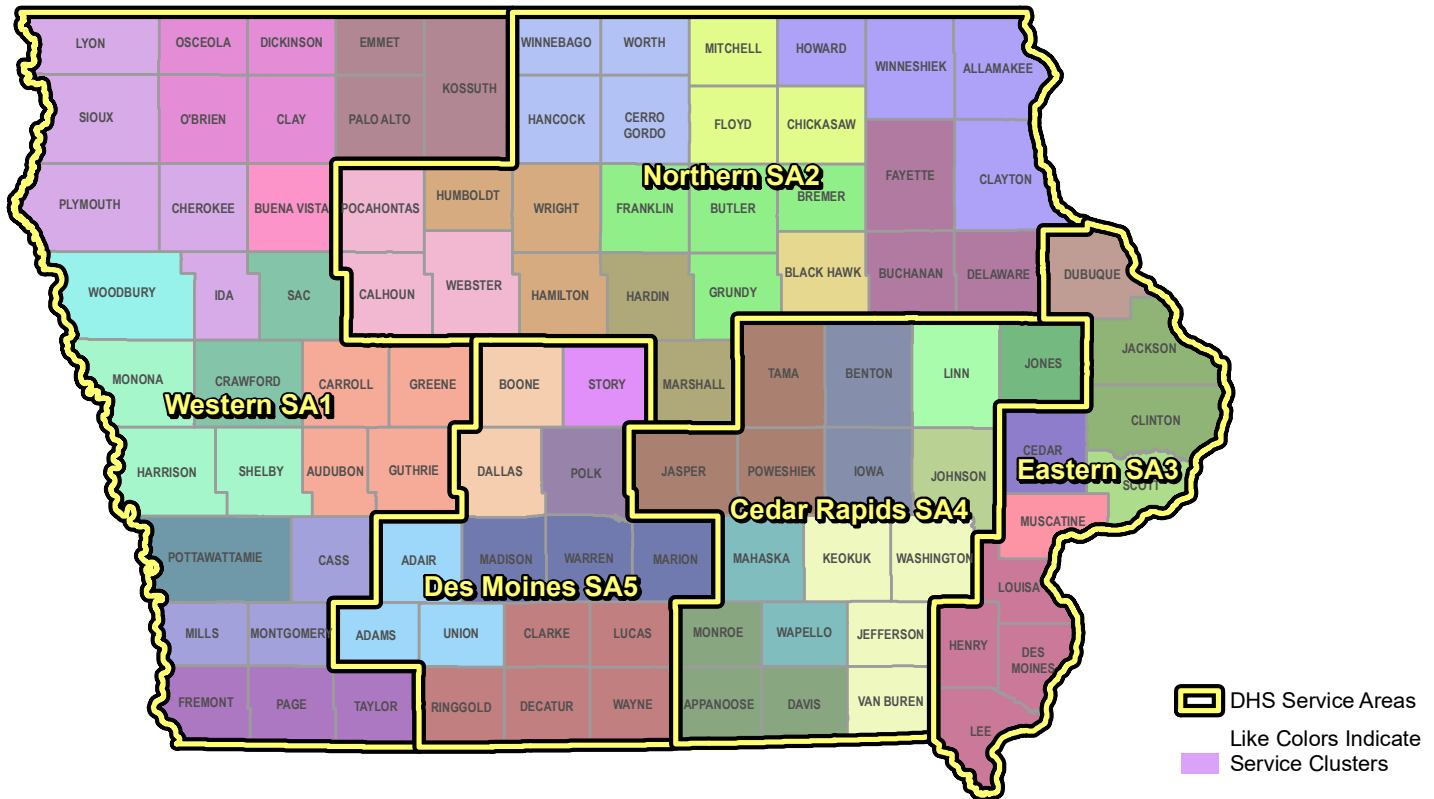


# Child Welfare Decategorization Program — 2018

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.



## Iowa Department of Public Health Funding Summary

July 1, 2017, through June 30, 2018 (SFY 2018)

Region	Unduplicated Clients Served	Total Funding
Central	3,091	\$ 3,848,180
North Central	1,278	2,450,530
Northeast	2,609	5,263,836
Northwest	1,734	4,363,636
Southeast	1,970	5,265,319
Southwest	1,015	1,870,485
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,697</b>	<b>\$ 23,061,986</b>

NOTE: Funding includes state and federal funds.