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Senator Bilyk asked:

What age do Communities for Children youth services go to? Is that for people up to 18?

Answer:

Communities for Children participants and clients include vulnerable children and families in disadvantaged communities, with a particular focus on children at risk of poor outcomes or at risk of abuse and neglect.

The primary focus is on children 0-12 years and their families. However for some support services the age may be increased to include adolescents up to 18 years of age.