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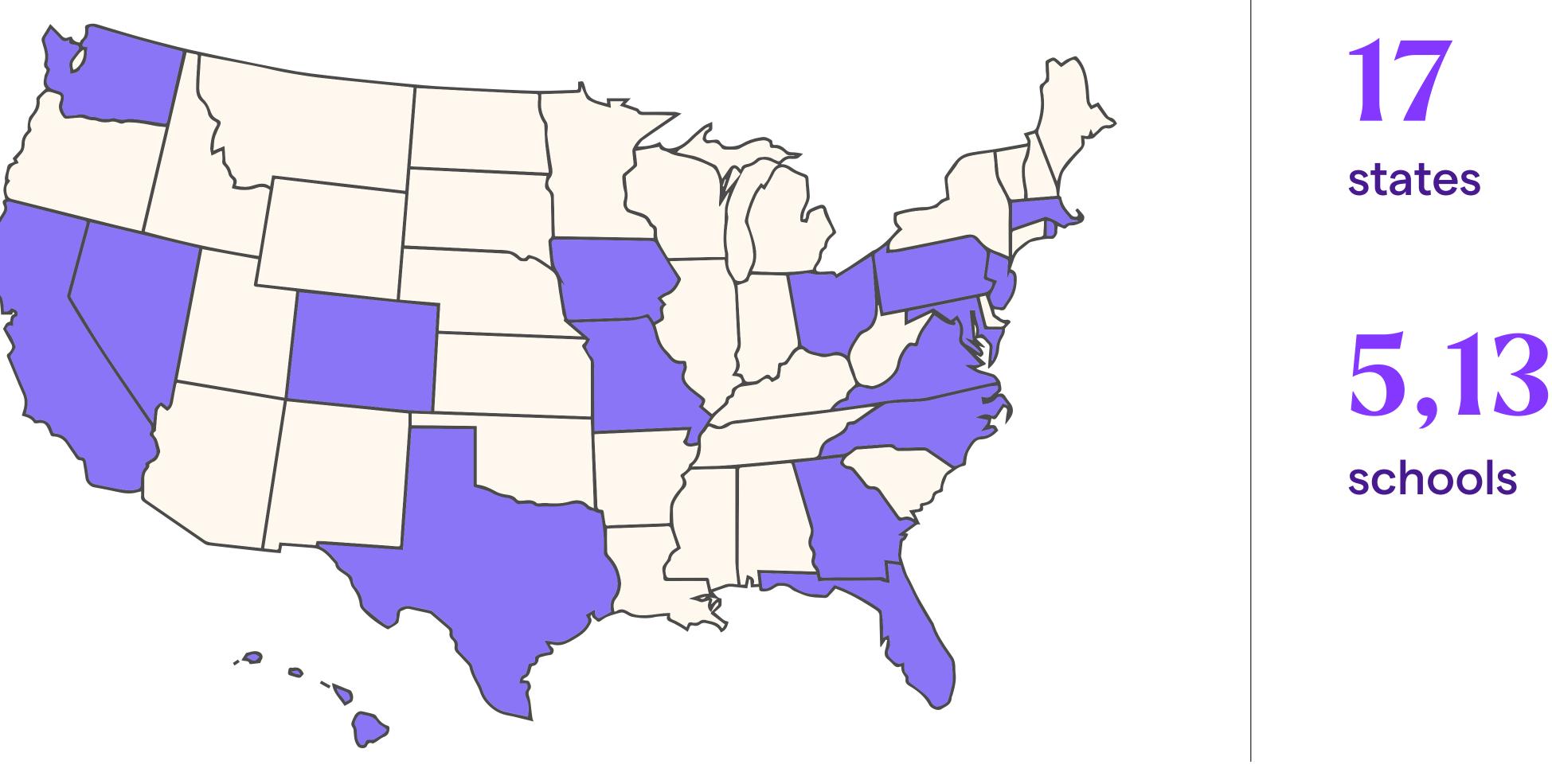
# **Empowering Oregon's Future Leaders** with School-Centered Telehealth Services

Hazel Health is the nation's largest and most trusted school-centered telehealth provider. We bridge schools, families, and healthcare to put

### opportunity where it belongs: within reach of every child.

## The Most Accessible Care for All Students

Our services are provided at no out-of-pocket cost to all students in our school districts -regardless of insurance coverage.



schools

on-staff providers that reflect the communities they serve and speak 21+ languages

5.1M+

students

## **Empowering Learning Outcomes**

Our services help keep students in class and engaged.

Hazel Health provides a sustainable model

91%

of severely absent students saw a reduction in absenteeism<sup>1</sup>

for increasing access and engagement with healthcare to improve outcomes across a child's lifetime. It proves what's possible when high-quality care is centered where students spend the most time—in school and at home.

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#### reduction in absenteeism post-therapy<sup>2</sup>

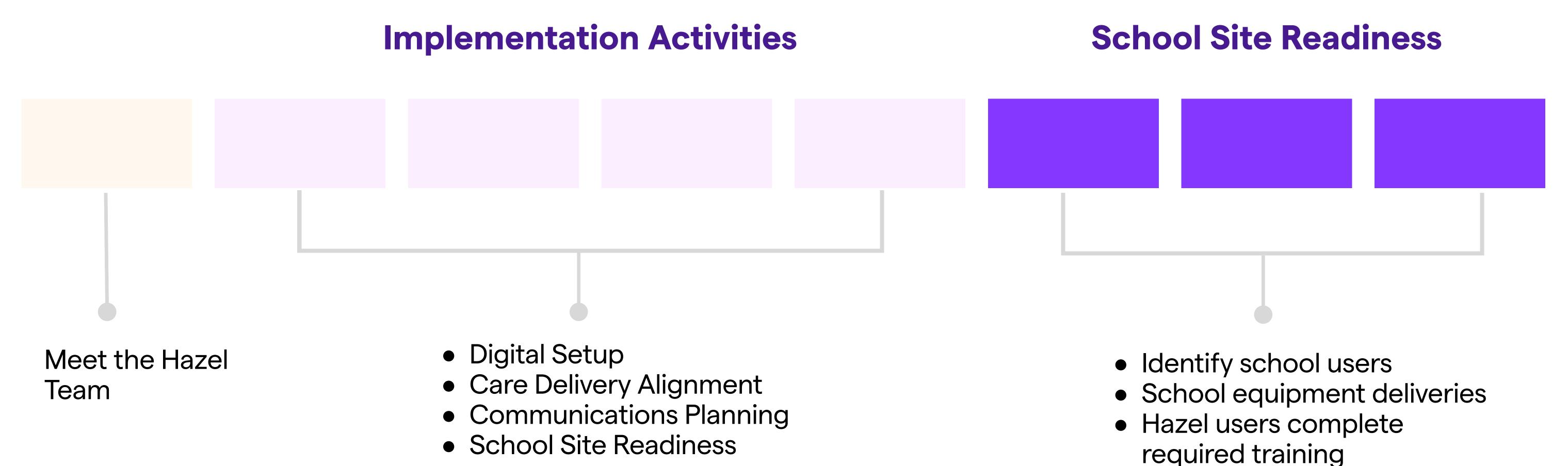


of students saw a reduction in disciplinary action post-therapy<sup>3</sup>

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# **Rapidly Scale Access to Barrier-Free Care for Over 90k Students**

Hazel's school-focused, technology-driven approach allows us to quickly expand the infrastructure needed to increase access to our proven clinical services in as little as eight weeks. Our approach ensures that students can easily receive the care they need to fully participate in learning, while also enhancing the capability of school teams to assist more students. The platform fee covers the investment in Hazel Online Clinic, technology and hardware costs, and platform access for every school. It also includes dedicated support at the district and school level, marketing materials for each school, unlimited referrals for care, unlimited clinical hours, ongoing reporting, and care provided at no cost to families.



# SB 701 and HB 2577: Appropriations Request

We urge the Oregon Legislature to invest \$2 million (\$1 million per year for two years) to expand mental health access for students across the state. This funding would support 66,666 kids annually. To show our commitment to serving the great state of Oregon, Hazel Health has a philanthropic partner committed and ready to provide funding for an additional 25,000 kids per year, bringing the total reach to 92,000 kids each year for two years.

This investment will provide timely, high-quality mental health support to Oregon's students, reducing barriers to care and ensuring more children receive the help they need to thrive.

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