ANNUAL REPORT TO THE COMMUNITY

2021



FROM THE CEO

As we kick off the new year, I look forward to the exciting new challenges and opportunities that await us as we carry out our passion for making a positive impact in the lives of those we serve. Now more than ever, our community recognizes and acknowledges the importance of timely access to quality Early Learning and Behavioral Health Care.

Here at Child Focus, we have been answering the call to help for over 40 years whether it's children needing a "head start", families needing a lift out of poverty or individuals needing help for addiction and mental health challenges.

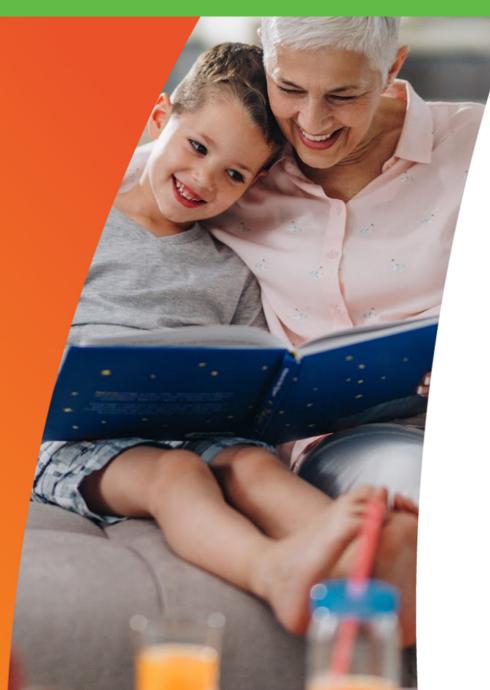
Our mission remains steadfast and our results, life-changing. This year, we will impact more community members than ever before with the implementation of our SAMHSA expansion grant, our Strong Families program and the addition of new Head Start locations in the community. I am so proud of the work we do and look forward to continuing our collective journey in 2022.

Sincerely,

Pamela Lindeman CEO



EARLY LEARNING



We ensure kids thrive at home and in school.

"They not only helped my child but they helped me as a parent, getting back to school and graduated. I'm so grateful. My son has learned so much. Thank you for all your hard work."

"The children really flourish under your care."



Family Engagement

80% of fathers/father figures were engaged in their child's developmental experience.
98% of families received services/referrals to promote family outcomes, such as crisis intervention, housing, financial, mental health, ESL training, health and nutrition.



Kindergarten Readiness

Rising Kindergartens showed improvement in all developmental areas from fall to spring and are ready to succeed in school, meaning they are physically healthy, interact well with other children and adults and have mastered. milestones.



Workforce Development We served **96 adults** by helping get first-time jobs or providing training to increase job employability and advancement.



Teacher Qualifications

76% of teachers have a bachelor's degree.
95% of classrooms exceed national benchmarks of quality teacher-child interactions.
100% of classrooms are highly rate by Step Up to Quality.



Enrollment

We served **589 children** ages birth to five in Early Head Start and Head Start. Our average monthly attendance was **89%** for Head Start and **91%** for Early Head Start.



Child Health

86% of children received a physical exam.
56% of children received a dental exam.
90% of children were up to date on immunizations.
91% of children had health insurance.



Symptom Reduction

95% of youth reported mental health services helped and the most common areas of improvement identified were feelings, anger, worries, behavior at school and home and sadness.



Symptom Prevention 3,408 students participated in prevention services in 91 preschools and schools as well as hundreds of homes and community locations.



Building Skills 1,243 professionals and community members received trainings on topics including child abuse prevention, traumainformed care, suicide prevention and industry best practices.



Improved Functioning 84%-100% of the time, consumers reported behavioral health services were effective in decreasing symptoms or increasing functioning.



Life-Saving Support 3,581 Crisis Hotline calls were received and callers were provided life-saving interventions, resources and support, a 29% increase in calls from last year.



Foster Care & Adoption 100% of children in care were satisfied with their foster home placement, evidenced passing grades and met school attendance requirements.

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

Families are strong and resilient.

"Child Focus worked with me to identify irrational fears and thoughts about myself and the world around me. They have helped me build my self-confidence and I can handle my struggles."

"I always appreciate the excellent communication and flexibility regarding shared clients!"







Federal, state and local government grant funds, Brown and Clermont County Mental Health Boards, contracts with other agency and school partners, client fees, insurance and United Way allow us to serve children and adults.

Head Start Revenues	FY 2021 Budget
HHS/ACF USDA	5,760,961 162,000
Non-Federal Share Total Revenues	<u>1.423.105</u> 7.346.066
Operating Expenses	
Wages	3,681,969
Contract Services	14,100
Fringe Benefits	1,172,043
Travel	48,000
Acct./Legal	51,250
Lease Expense	336,625
Maintenance/Repair	38,500
Utilities	7,200
Telephone	37,900
Food	167,500
Supplies	108,500
Dues/Fees/Memberships	58,700
Recruitment/Advertising	10,100
Insurance	46,700
Staff Training	73,974
Misc./Other	<u>1,423,105</u>
Total Expenses	<u>7,346,066</u>
Net Revenue Over Expense	0

Statement of Activities

<u>Total</u>

Support:
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Governmental grants	14,242,482
School district contracts	1,127,496
In-kind program revenue	354,524
United Way and other	289,360
Contributions	692,950

Revenue:

Program fees	1,372,287	
Miscellaneous income	324,736	
Special events	65,422	
Insurance fees	607,396	
Rental income	360,879	
Net investment return	753,954	
Gain on sale of property and equipment 9,827		
Release from restrictions		
Total support and revenue	20,270,177	

Expenses:

Program services	17,026,076
Management and general	2,616,462
Fundraising	48,215
Total expenses	19,690,753
Change in net assets	579,424
Net assets, beginning of year	8,076,433
Net assets, end of year	8,655,857

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United Way of Greater Cincinnati

