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### **MISSION**

To provide the leadership, advocacy and resources necessary to enhance children's lives and empower them to become responsible, productive adults through collaborative planning and funding of a continuum of care.

### **VISION**

The children of Broward County shall have the opportunity to realize their full potential, their hopes and their dreams, supported by a nurturing family and community.

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# **FAMILY** STRENGTHENING Family Strengthening programs provide county-wide collaborative and innovative programming that reaches families at risk for child abuse and neglect, families at risk for out of home placement, and families in crisis.

### GENERAL POPULATION

### Children's Harbor

childrensharbor.org

Felicia Pittman fpittman@childrensharbor.org 954-252-3072, ext.265

In-home parenting education provided once per week by Bachelor's or Master's level staff using the Nurturing Parenting Program (NPP) curriculum and/or the Circle of Security Model to serve families at risk of abuse and neglect.

Length of program: **3-5 months** 

### Gulf Coast Jewish Family & Community Services

gcjfcs.org

Fabiola Gutierrez Fabiola.gutierrez@gcjfcs.org 954-252-6413

In-home counseling, case management and parenting curriculum provided an average of two times per week by Master's level clinicians using the Family Skill Builders model to serve families at risk of abuse and neglect.

Length of program: **3-4 months** 

### **Henderson Behavioral Health**

hendersonbh.org

Farah Lavasseur flavasseur@hendersonbh.org 954-735-4530, ext.141

Intensive, in-home therapeutic program provided for up to 10 hours per week by highly-trained Multi-Systemic Therapy Master's level clinicians to serve families with youth at risk of delinquency or youth with a history of delinquent behavior.

Length of program: 3-5 months

### **Jewish Adoption & Foster Care Options** (JAFCO)

jafco.org

Trahern LaFavor trahern@jafco.org 954-315-8694 Intensive, in-home therapeutic program provided for up to 10 hours per week by highly-trained Multi-Systemic Therapy Master's level clinicians to serve families with youth at risk of delinquency or youth with a history of delinquent behavior.

Length of program: **3-5 months** 

### **Juliana Gerena & Associates**

erena-associates.com

Juliana Gerena, Psy.D jgerena@gerena-associates.com 954-340-0560

Family-based, in-home therapeutic program provided by Master's level therapists using Cognitive Behavioral Therapy to serve families with children with sexual behavioral conditions residing in their home. Services include comprehensive assessments, the development of a safety plan, individual and family counseling, case management, and therapeutic parent and youth group sessions.

Length of program: 9-12 months

### **Kids In Distress/KID FIRST**

Manuel Guzman manuelguzman@kidinc.org 954-903-7654, ext.1376

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In-home program provided weekly to serve families at risk of abuse and neglect. Program comprised of three components: 1) Case Management,

2) Supportive Counseling and3) Parent Education using theStrengthening Families curriculum.

Length of program: Up to 4 months

### Memorial Healthcare System Family Ties Program mhs.net

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In-home therapy provided weekly by Master's level clinicians using Solutions Focused Brief Therapy and/or the Circle of Security parenting model. Services include case management, life skills training, parenting groups and father-focused groups to families with youth ages 0-18 years old.

Length of program: **3-4 months** 

### Memorial Healthcare System Teen Reach Program

mhs.net

Christine Coronado Chcoronado@mhs.net Office 954-276-9815

In-home bi-weekly teen parenting services, ages 19 or younger, that will use a combination of evidence-based models such as Wraparound Case Management; Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (TF-CBT); EFT Tapping; Nurturing Parenting Program and (NPP)/ Nurturing Fathers (NF); and Life SkillsTraining (LST).

Length of program: 6 months

### **Pace Center for Girls Broward**

pacecenter.org

Shamni Dougall Shamni.Dougall@PaceCenter.org Office: 954-561-6939, ext.3825

Family Counseling program for families in crisis and/or at risk of child abuse and neglect with a minimum of one adolescent girl between the ages of 8-17 years old living within the family.

Length of program: **4-6 months** 

### **Smith Community Mental Health**

Eduardo Marrero eduardo.marrero@smithcmh.com 954-321-2296, ext.229

In-home therapy and case management services provided 1-2 times per week by Master's level therapists with specific ability to work with families with youth having behavioral problems. Program uses the Alternatives for Families-

Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (AF-CBT) approach.

Length of program: **3-4 months** 

## FS-PARENTING EDUCATION PROGRAMS

### **Boys and Girls Club** of Broward County

Candice Smith csmith@bgcbc.org 954-537-1010

Weekly group-based parent and youth education program using the Strengthening Families Program (SFP) curriculum for families with children ages 6-11 years old. Program provided at various clubs throughout the county.

Length of program: 14 weeks

### **Boys Town South Florida**

boystown.org

Cecilia Baez Cecilia.baez@boystown.org 754-222-8451

Intensive, in-home parenting and case management provided for up to 20 hours per week by Bachelor's level staff using the In-Home Family Services (IHFS) model. For families with children ages birth - 18 years old.

Length of program: **Up to 8 weeks Community Based Connections** 

Sherise Gregory sgregory@ communitybasedconnections.com 954-908-5249, ext.1003

In-home parenting education provided weekly by Bachelor's level staff using the Effective Black Parenting National Best Practice model supplemented with the Confident Parenting curriculum to serve families at risk of abuse and neglect. Two value-added components include a mentoring program and a program seeking to engage fathers. The program serves

Central and South Broward County, primarily West Park and adjacent areas.

Length of program: **3-4 months** 

### **Family Central**

familycentral.org/nurturing-broward-intake-form

Monica Pena MonicaPena@familycentral.org 954-724-3907 Nurturing Parenting Intake/Information

In-home parent education provided by Bachelor's level staff using the Nurturing Parenting Program (NPP) curriculum. Services provided in English, Spanish and Creole.

Length of program: Up to 4 months

### **Healthy Families Broward**

brhpc.org

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Healthy Families Broward is the local affiliate of Healthy Families Florida and Healthy Families America. It is the leading child abuse prevention program targeting new parents assessed at high-risk for child abuse.

Length of program: **Up to 5 years** 

### **Hispanic Unity of Florida**

Yonela Carusi ycarusi@hispanicunity.org

Weekly group-based parent education program using the Nurturing Parenting Program (NPP) curriculum. Services are provided in English and Spanish.

Length of program: 12 weeks

### **■ FS-SPECIAL NEEDS**

### Advocacy Network on Disabilities

advocacynetwork.org

Amanda Ley, LMHC office 954-406-1234 aley@advocacynetwork.org

Counseling and parenting education program addressing universal and specialized needs of families who have children with disabilities, presumptive disabilities or who are headed by a parent with a developmental disability.

Length of program: 6 months

### **Arc Broward**

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Specialized, in-home parent education provided at least bimonthly by Certified Behavioral Analysts, Bachelor's and paraprofessional staff using the "Parents As Teachers" curriculum, modified to support parents of children with special needs.

Length of program: **Up to 3 years** depending on family needs

#### **Broward Children's Center**

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Weekly, in-home parenting using the NPP Special Needs Curriculum. Services are provided by Bachelor's level staff. Model serves families with chronic or life-threatening medical challenges, developmental delays, visual or auditory disabilities, and/or behavior disorders.

Length of program: **3-6 months** 

### **Center for Hearing and Communication**

chchearing.org

Natalie Basna nbasba@chchearing.org 754-444-3084

In-home program provided a minimum of once per week by Master's level staff using Cognitive Behavioral Therapy and the Nurturing Parenting Program (NPP) curriculum to serve families at risk of abuse and neglect impacted by hearing loss.

Length of program:

An average of 6 months

### FS-INTENSIVE IN-HOME SERVICES

(BSO REFERRALS ONLY)

### Henderson Behavioral Health HOMEBUILDERS Program

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Karen Strauss kstrauss@hendersonbh.org 954-735-4530, ext.118

Intensive, in-home interventions provided for an average of 10 face-to-face hours per week using the best practice model HOMEBUILDERS\* Program. The families referred to this program must be referred by BSO CPIS and must be families at high risk of having their children removed from their home. Prior to making the referral, the BSO CPIS Supervisor and Service Provider Specialist must be consulted. Referrals cannot be faxed.

Length of program: Up to 4 weeks

### **Kids In Distress HOMEBUILDERS Program**

Genieve Sterling GenieveSterling@kidinc.org 954-390-7654, ext.1282

Intensive, in-home interventions provided for an average of 10 face-to-face hours per week using the best practice model HOMEBUILDERS® Program. The families referred to this program must be referred by BSO CPIS and must be families at high risk of having their children removed from their home. Prior to making the referral, the BSO CPIS Supervisor and Service Provider Specialist must be consulted. Referrals cannot be faxed.

Length of program: **Up to 4 weeks** 

### **Mothers Overcoming Maternal Stress** (MOMS)

CSC funding supports initiatives to address the risks associated with maternal emotional distress (depression and/or anxiety), a high risk, complex problem. These programs provide in-home support.

Central & North County Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition of Broward County

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South County Memorial Healthcare System Gloria Villalobos gvillalobos@mhs.net 954-276-9812 mhs.net

# KINSHIP INITIATIVES FOR SUPPORTIVE SERVICES (KISS)

Kinship programs provide support services to maintain a stable home for children being raised by relative or non-relative caregivers when the biological parent(s) are unable to do so. In collaboration with The Jim Moran Foundation, these CSC-funded kinship programs provide comprehensive case management services in the home and at convenient community locations to strengthen families and reduce risk factors for children in kinship care throughout Broward County.

### **Harmony Development Center**

Gloria Gonzalez ggonzalez@harmonydc1.org 954-766-4483

County-wide services with groups offered in Cooper City, for kinship families.

#### **Kids In Distress**

Janet Gunn janetgunn@kidinc.org 954-390-7654, ext.1283

County-wide support services for kinship families with children ages 0-17, and for children and youth with special needs ages 0-22. Groups are offered in Fort Lauderdale.

#### **Legal Aid of Broward County**

Ericka Peoples epeoples@legalaid.org 954-736-2430

County-wide services for legal advocacy and support services to families providing kinship care for children and youth. Referrals are limited to CSC Kinship providers.

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### **Memorial Healthcare System**

Gabriela Pilarte GPilarte@mhs.net 954-701-5232

County-wide support services for kinship families with children ages 0-17, and for children and youth with special needs ages 0-22. Groups are offered in Hollywood.

### **Mental Health America**

Liz Meyers liz@mhasefl.org 954-746-2055, ext.105

County-wide support services for kinship families with children ages 0-18. Groups are offered across Broward County.

### **Vulnerable Populations Financially Assisted Child Care**

Early Learning Coalition of Broward County Fikisha Harris Fharris@elcbroward.org 954-377-2188 ext. 2110

This program offers subsidized quality child care slots for children from birth to 5 living in exceptionally vulnerable families in Broward. Eligible families receive child care quickly to prevent further breakdown of what may already be difficult family situations, to help families becoming or remaining economically self-sufficient, and to prepare preschool aged children for success in school.

### **FOSTER CARE** & ADOPTION

### **Forever Family**

foreverfamily.org 954-303-5802

Gia Tutalo-Mote gia.foreverfamily@gmail.com

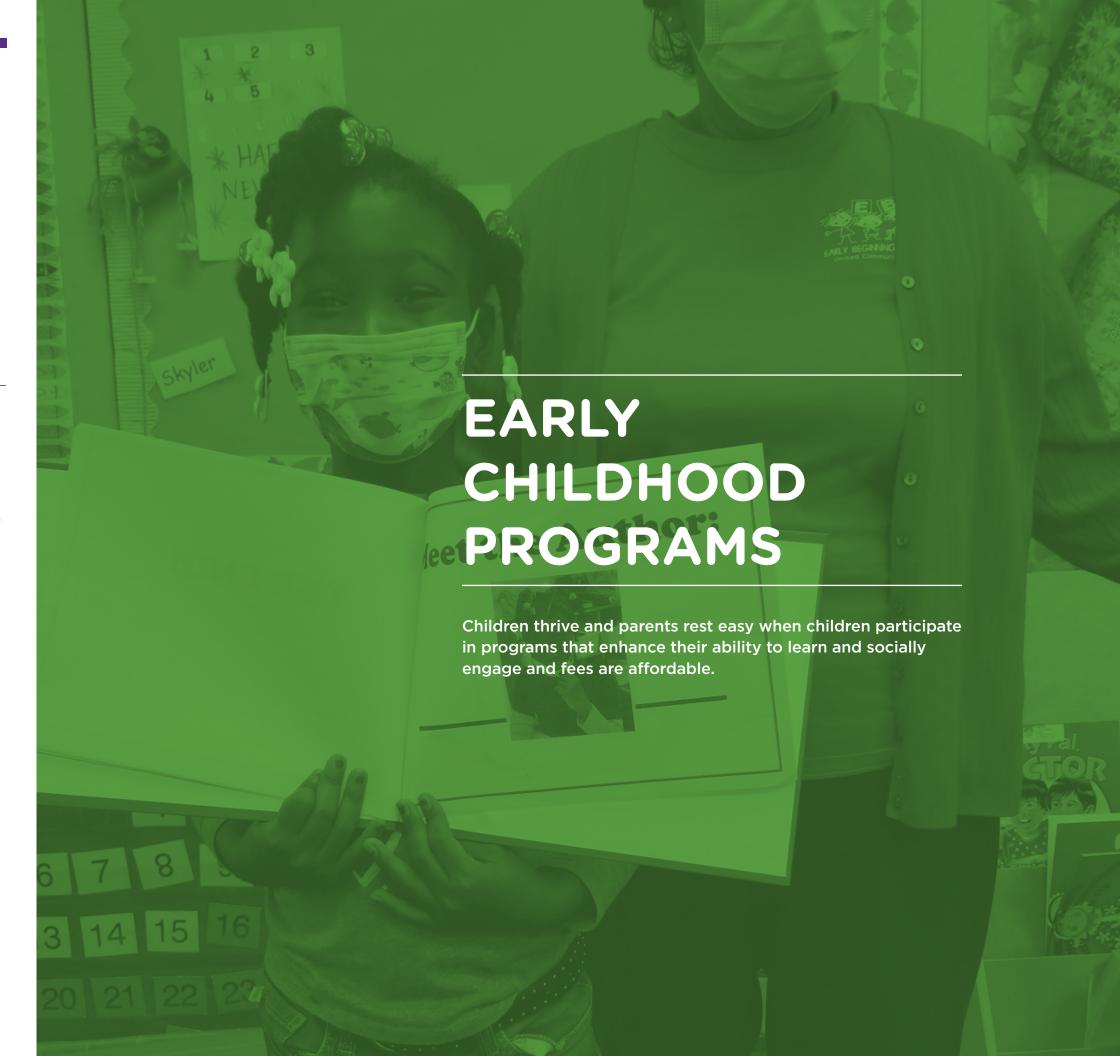
Weekly segments on the NBC-6 local news feature Broward children in need of a permanent, caring home. On occasion, Forever Family will highlight related issues, such as foster parent recruitment, Guardian ad Litem recruitment, and foster/relative care youth transitioning to independent living.

### **Heart Gallery of Broward**

Yvette DuBose yvette@heartgalleryofbroward.org 954-918-3008

A traveling exhibit of professional portraits and biographies of children available

for adoption. The photographic and kiosk-based gallery is displayed in many public places, such as shopping centers and libraries that can reach hundreds of prospective parents.



### **Early Literacy Interventions**

### Reading & Math, Inc.

786-347-3667

Reading & Math, Inc., through a partnership with Broward County Public Schools, is implementing the Reading Corps program in Broward County. Florida Reading Corps tutors serve children in PreK classrooms in underperforming schools with targeted early literacy interventions. Reading Corps screens all students at designated schools to identify children who are behind on early literacy skills, and develop individualized tutoring plans to meet each child's needs.

### **Financially Assisted Child Care Services**

### **Early Learning Coalition** of Broward County

954-377-2188

This program provides subsidized child care for low-income families residing in Broward County based on income eligibility. The intent of this program is to prevent child abuse and neglect; assist families in becoming or remaining economically self-sufficient; and prepare preschool-aged children to enter school ready to learn.

### **Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports**

Family Central/KID 954-720-1000

This initiative strengthens current Early Care and Education programming in an effort to meet the comprehensive needs of child care programs, teachers, and families. The program uses a cadre of Quality Coaches who provide training and quality improvement support to participating child care providers. Some activities include providing training and technical assistance using the Positive Behavioral Interventions and

Supports (PBIS) approach specific to preschool inclusion, family involvement, cultural sensitivity, and developmentally appropriate curricula.

### **Vulnerable Populations Financially Assisted Child Care**

### **Early Learning Coalition of Broward County**

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This program offers subsidized quality child care slots for children from birth to 5 living in exceptionally vulnerable families in Broward. Eligible families receive child care quickly to prevent further breakdown of what may already be difficult family situations, to help families becoming or remaining economically self-sufficient, and to prepare preschool aged children for success in school.

### THE CAMPAIGN FOR GRADE-LEVEL READING

### **Children's Services Council** of Broward County

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The CSC is the lead organization in Broward for the Campaign for Grade-Level Reading (CGLR). CGLR is a collaborative effort by foundations, nonprofit partners, business leaders, government agencies and communities to ensure that more children succeed in school and graduate prepared for life - college, a career, and active citizenship. This initiative focuses on ensuring children read at grade-level by the end of third grade. Research demonstrates that proficiency in reading by the end of third grade enables students to shift from "Learning to Read to Reading to Learn." Schools cannot do this alone; engaged communities are needed to remove barriers, expand opportunities, and assist parents in fulfilling their roles and responsibilities in the success of their children.

### **■ KIDVISION/WPBT**

### **WPBT Channel 2**

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With WPBT's KidVision VPK. teachers watch, learn, play and integrate the Florida Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Education Standards through entertaining and educational virtual field trips that appeal to both adults and children. Teachers learn the standards and then use the web-based field trips to add another dimension to their classroom curriculum. Also provided are lesson plans and student assessment forms.

The program's goal is that adults will be knowledgeable about what children need to be learning to prepare them for kindergarten and life. KidVision is fun. free and provides a reason to celebrate learning and growing together!

### **AFTERSCHOOL** & SUMMER **PROGRAMS**

These year-round and summer programs provide a safe, positive environment for elementary school children from economically-disadvantaged areas in Broward County, for children and youth ages 3-22 with behavioral health and other special needs. High-quality and enriching activities expose children to art and culture, music, science and community service while boosting academic achievement, supporting social and physical development, and strengthening children's relationships with adults and peers within their families, schools and communities. A sliding fee scale is used to determine program fees.

### MOST (MAXIMIZING OUT-OF-SCHOOL TIME)

**SCHOOL YEAR SITES** 

### GENERAL POPULATION

### The Advocacy Network on Disabilities

305-596-1160

The Advocacy Network on Disabilities provides two experienced Inclusion Specialists to work collaboratively with staff from our MOST sites to increase their capacity to create positive, nurturing, and developmentally appropriate programs that welcome all children. Project activities begin with the provision of the training, An Administrator's Overview of the Americans with Disabilities Act. Then, the Inclusion Specialist meets with the executive staff to help the organization identify where it is on the pathway to inclusion.

### **After School Programs**

954-596-9000

Broward Estates Elementary

Collins Elementary

Croissant Park Elementary

Cypress Elementary

Lake Forest Elementary

Lauderhill Paul Turner Elementary

Martin Luther King Elementary

Meadowbrook Elementary

Miramar Elementary

North Lauderdale Elementary

Oriole Elementary

Palmview Elementary

Park Lakes Elementary

Park Ridge Elementary

Pompano Beach Elementary

**Tedder Elementary** 

Village Elementary

Walker Elementary

Watkins Elementary

Westwood Heights Elementary

### **Boys & Girls Club**

954-537-1010

Carver Ranches Club

Jim & Jan Moran Club

Lauderhill Club

Levine Slaughter Club

Nan Knox Club

Thomas D. Stephanis Club

### **City of Hallandale**

954-457-1460

Hepburn Center

### City of Hollywood

954-921-3404

McNicol Community Center

Kay Gaither Community Center

### **City of Miramar**

954-602-4797

Fairway Park

#### **Community After School**

954-461-6998

Atlantic West Elementary

Liberty Elementary

### **Kids in Distress**

954-390-7654

Leo Goodwin Foundation Campus

#### **New Mirawood**

954-983-4321

New Mirawood Academy

### **Soref JCC**

954-792-6700

Morrow Elementary

### **Sunshine After School Child Care**

954-236-8850

Bennett Elementary School

Colbert Elementary

**Endeavor Primary Learning Center** 

Fairway Elementary

Oakridge Elementary

**Broadview Elementary** 

Royal Palm Elementary

### **YMCA of South Florida**

954-334-9622

A.C. Perry Elementary

Bethune Elementary

Castle Hill Elementary

Charles Drew Elementary

Charles Drew Family Resource

Deerfield Park Elementary

Dillard Elementary

Early Learning Center

of Sunland Park

Hollywood Park Elementary

Larkdale Elementary

Markham Elementary

North Fork Elementary

North Side Elementary

Oakland Park Elementary

Dakiana i ark Elementary

Plantation Elementary

Riverland Elementary

Rock Island Elementary

Thurgood Marshall Elementary

West Hollywood Elementary

### **SCHOOL YEAR SITES**

### SPECIAL NEEDS

### **After School Programs**

954-596-9000

Dania Elementary

Lauderhill Paul Turner Elementary

**Quest Center** 

#### **Ann Storck**

954-584-8000

Ann Storck Center Preschool

### **Arc Broward**

954-746-9400

Main Campus

### **Broward Children's Center**

A Place to Grow - North Campus 954-946-7503

A Place to Grow - South Campus 954-416-2444

### **Center for Hearing and Communication**

954-601-1930

Peters Elementary

### **Smith Community Mental Health**

954-321-2296

Cypress Run Education Center Smith Community Mental Health

Whispering Pines Center

### **United Community Options**

(Formerly UCP)

954-315-4053

**Bright Horizons School** 

**UCP Early Beginnings** 

### **YMCA of South Florida**

954-334-9622

Atlantic West Elementary

Bethune Elementary

Castle Hill Elementary

Country Isles Elementary

Cypress Hammock Park

David Park Community Center

Deerfield Park Elementary

Hollywood Park Elementary

Larkdale Elementary

Maplewood Elementary
Oakland Park Elementary

Park Springs Elementary

Pasadena Lakes Elementary

Pinewood Elementary

Silver Lakes Elementary

Silver Ridge Elementary

Thurgood Marshall Elementary
Walter C. Young Middle

West Hollywood Elementary

Wingate Oaks Center

### SUMMER SITES

### GENERAL POPULATION

#### **After School Programs**

954-596-9000

Collins Elementary

Cypress Elementary

Lake Forest Elementary

Meadowbrook Elementary

Oriole Elementary

Palmview Elementary

Park Ridge Elementary

Tedder Elementary

Walker Elementary

Westwood Heights Elementary

### **Boys & Girls Club**

954-537-1010

Carver Ranches Club

Jim & Jan Moran Club

Lauderhill Club

Levine Slaughter Club

Marti Huizenga Club

Nan Knox Club

NFL/Lester White Club

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Thomas D. Stephanis Club

City of Hallandale 954-457-1460

Hepburn Center

City of Hollywood 954-921-3404

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McNicol Community Center

Kay Gaither Community Center

Martin Luther King, Jr. Comm. Center

Washington Park Community Center

### **City of Lauderdale Lakes**

954-535-2801

Willie L. Webb Senior Park

### **City of Miramar**

954-602-4797

Fairway Park

Miramar Youth Enrichment Center

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### **City of West Park**

954-985-1990

Mary Saunders Park

### **Community After School**

954-461-6998

Atlantic West Elementary

Liberty Elementary

### **Kids in Distress**

954-390-7654

Leo Goodwin Foundation Campus

### **New Hope World Outreach**

954-463-3818

New Life Charter Academy

#### **New Mirawood**

954-983-4321

New Mirawood Academy

### **Soref JCC**

954-792-6700

Morrow Elementary

### **Sunshine After School Child Care**

954-236-8850

Colbert Elementary

Fairway Elementary

**Broadview Elementary** 

Royal Palm Elementary

### **Urban League** of Broward County

954-584-0777

William Dandy Middle

#### **YMCA of South Florida**

954-334-9622

Bethune Elementary

Castle Hill Elementary

Deerfield Park Elementary

Lauderdale Lakes Middle

Plantation Elementary

### **SUMMER SITES**

### **SPECIAL NEEDS**

#### **After School Programs**

954-596-9000

Dania Elementary

Lauderhill Paul Turner Elementary

**Quest Center** 

### **Ann Storck**

954-584-8000

Ann Storck Center Preschool

### **Arc Broward**

954-746-9400

Main Campus

### **Broward Children's Center**

954-943-2253

A Place to Grow - North Campus

A Place to Grow - South Campus

### **Center for Hearing** and Communication

954-601-1930

Margate Elementary

### **City of Pembroke Pines**

954-986-1582

Pembroke Pines Charter School Central Campus

### **JAFCO**

954-315-8667

Children's Ability Center

### **Smith Community Mental Health**

954-321-2296

Cypress Run Education Center Smith Community Mental Health

### **United Community Options**

(formerly UCP)

954-584-7178

**Bright Horizons School** 

UCP Early Beginnings

### **YMCA of South Florida**

954-334-9622

Bethune Elementary

Deerfield Park Elementary

Park Springs Elementary

**Pinewood Elementary** 

Walker Elementary

Walter C. Young Middle

West Hollywood Elementary



### **■ YOUTH FORCE**

Youth FORCE programs provide middle school students with yearround out-of-school-time services that include: case management, cultural enrichment activities, counseling, employability skills training, academic services and supports, pregnancy and drug prevention education, and community service learning activities. Additional program components may include mentoring, employability skills training, health and fitness activities, life skills instruction and violence prevention.

### **Center for Hearing** & Communication

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### City of West Park

Mary Saunders Park 4750 SW 21st St., Hollywood, 33023

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### **Community Access Center**

cacfl.org

Miramar Youth Enrichment Center 7000 Miramar Parkway Miramar, 33025

Magaly Prezeau mprezeau@cacfl.org 954-534-9113

### **Community Reconstruction Inc.**

Apollo Middle School 6800 Arthur St., Hollywood, 33024

Crystal Lake Middle School 3551 NE 3rd Ave, Pompano Beach, 33063

Giancarlo Simpson gsimpsoncrh@gmail.com 954-239-4297

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crockettfoundation.org

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Margate Middle School 500 NW 65th Ave, Margate, 33063

New River Middle School 3100 Riverland Rd, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33312

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#### **Firewall Centers**

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Bair Middle School 9100 NW 21st Manor, Sunrise, FL 33322

Janeth Fernandez janeth@firewallcenters.org 954-530-1871

### **Hanley Foundation**

The Hanley Center Foundation serves both middle school and high school youth by implementing the evidence-based Alcohol Literacy Challenge and SPORT Marijuana Awareness programs, as well as providing Youth Summit, serving middle and high school age youth during the school year. The provider uses evidence-based Active Parenting Program to provide instruction to parents/caregivers in various local communities using a "Train the Communities" approach. It is anticipated that the cumulative effect of these initiatives will achieve the following:

- Reduce underage drinking among Broward County youth;
- Reduce the increasing prevalence of Broward County youth reporting marijuana use; and
- Build community capacity to promote behavioral health wellness.

The goal of the Hanley Center is to

provide a comprehensive approach to reducing underage drinking and marijuana use in Broward County while promoting positive youth development and effective parenting.

Diamond Howard-Stevens Diamond@hanleyfoundation.org 561-268-2346

### **Harmony Development Center**

harmonydc1.org

Rickards Middle School 6000 NE 9th Ave., Oakland Park, 33334

Village Park Mobile Home Estates 5401 NW 37th Avenue. Fort Lauderdale, FL, 33309

Gloria Gonzalez ggonzalez@harmonydc1.org 954-766-4483

### **Helping Abused Neglected Disadvantaged Youth (HANDY)**

Eagle's Nest Charter 3698 NW 15th St., Lauderhill, 33311

Pompano Beach Middle School 310 NE 6th St., Pompano Beach, 33060

Karlie Richardson & Anthony Cox krichardson@handyinc.org acox@handyinc.org 954-522-2911

### **Hispanic Unity of Florida**

Apollo Middle School 6800 Arthur St., Hollywood, 33024

Attucks Middle School 3500 N. 22nd Ave.. Hollywood, 33020

McNicol Middle School 1602 N. 27th Ave., Hollywood, 33020

Olsen Middle School 330 SE 11th Terr... Dania Beach, 33004

Blanca Gamez bgamez@hispanicunity.org 954-342-0410

### **Memorial Healthcare System**

Gulfstream Academy 120 SW 4th Ave., Hallandale, 33009

New Renaissance Middle School 10701 Miramar Blvd, Miramar 33025

Annabel C. Perry 6850 SW 34th St., Miramar, 33023-6008

Marilyn Camerota mcamerota@mhs.net 954-276-0822

### **OIC of South Florida**

oicsfl.org

Silver Lakes Middle School 7600 Tam O'Shanter Blvd. North Lauderdale, 33068

Driftwood Middle School Hollywood, 33025

Frandy Jean-Baptiste fiean-baptiste@oicfl.org 954-563-3535

### Our Children Our Future, Caring for Our Leaders of Tomorrow

Olsen Middle School 330 SE 11th Terrace Dania Beach, 33004

Veronica James vjames@ocof-florida.org 954-959-7515

### **Urban League** of Broward County

ulbroward.org

William Dandy Middle School 2400 NW 26th St. Fort Lauderdale, 33311

Millennium 6-12 Collegiate Academy 5803 NW 94th Ave, Tamarac, FL 33321

Mark Reyes mreyes@ulbcfl.org 954-625-2598

### **YMCA of South Florida**

Dillard 6-12 32501 NW 11th St., Ft. Lauderdale, 33311

Lauderdale Lakes Middle 3911 NW 30th Ave., Lauderdale Lakes, 33309

Parkway Middle School 3600 NW 5th Ct., Lauderhill 33311

Westpine Middle, 9393 NW 50th St, Sunrise, FL 33351

Lisa Clements Iclements@ymcasouthflorida.org 754-551-7147

### (HEALTHY YOUTH TRANSITIONS)

HYT's county-wide programs

provide holistic life coaching and counseling services, using the Transition to Independence Process, to promote the development of life skills, academic and employability skills to help youth transition successfully into healthy, young adults. In collaboration with The Jim Moran Foundation, these CSC-funded programs work with dependent youth aging out of formal or informal foster care, youth with delinquency involvement and/or lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender or questioning (LGBTQ) youth, and high school-aged youth who are at high risk of not graduating or are neither in school nor working. The HYT programs offer handson activities that address the social, emotional and behavioral needs of youth and help them to connect to appropriate resources in the community.

#### **Camelot Community Care**

camelotcommunitycare.org

Casiopia Daly cdaly@camelotcommunitycare.org 954-958-0988

Program serves youth ages 15 to 22 with significant behavioral

and emotional difficulties who require extensive support and individualized services in order to transition successfully to adulthood and independence. Through the use of a team approach, program staff advocate and coach youth in independent living skills.

### **FLITE Center**

flitecenter.org

Christine Frederick christine@flitecenter.org 954-530-4686

The FLITE Center is a collaboratively funded agency that provides coordination, resources and direct services to the Transitional Independent Living (TIL) population in Broward County. It serves as a One-Stop Resource Center that offers TIL youth access to housing, education, and employment services. Additional supports for TIL youth include caring adults, a safe "hang out" spot and access to a computer

### **Gulf Coast Jewish Family** & Community Services

gulfcoastjewishfamilyandcommunity services.org

Tania Hamilton thamilton@gcjfcs.org 954-630-4181

Program serves youth ages 15 to 22 with behavioral health issues and/or special needs to achieve independent living skills and reach their fullest potential. Youth are encouraged to explore their interests and futures in areas such as employment and career, education, housing, personal effectiveness/ well-being, and community-life functioning.

### **Helping Abused Neglected Disadvantaged Youth (HANDY)**

handyinc.org

Nordege Laforest nlaforest@handyinc.org 954-982-2450

Program serves youth ages 15 to 22 to assist with their transition

into adulthood providing life skills training and life coach support services with an emphasis on educational, vocational, and transitional living success, and social/recreational outlets.

### H.O.M.E.S., Inc.

homesfl.org

Rashani Boynton rboynton@homesfl.org 954-563-5454

H.O.M.E.S., Inc., is a collaboratively funded agency that provides subsidized housing slots to youth transitioning out of foster care and/or other non-traditional living arrangements. H.O.M.E.S., Inc. provides employment eligibility assessment, employability skills training, and job placement services to the Independent Living population. To ensure cohesive and holistic delivery of youth services, H.O.M.E.S., Inc., staff collaborate with Life Coaches and Aftercare Specialist who support youth living at H.O.M.E.S., Inc., in addition to collaborating with the FLITE Center for housing coordination services.

#### **Henderson Behavioral Health**

hendersonbh.org (954) 677-3113

Stephanie Delice sdelice@hendersonbh.org 954-735-4530, ext.6223

Program serves youth ages 15 to 22 who have a mental health diagnosis and are aging out of the foster care system with a safety net during their time of transition into adulthood. The program is designed to meet each youth's individual needs including housing, and to support them in their transition to adulthood with the highest potential for success.

### **Memorial Healthcare System Community Youth Services**

mhs.net

Cammie Cacace ccacace@mhs.net 954-276-0869 954-276-0841

Program assists youth ages 15 to 22 in drafting a FUTURES PLAN, which includes vocational, educational, social, psychological, behavioral, spiritual, and personal goals. Transitioning youth are educated and given career path training, youth leadership skills, and assistance in getting affordable housing and other independent living skills.

### **Museum of Discovery** & Science (MODS)

mods.org 954-476-6637

Sandy McCarthy Sandra.McCarthy@mods.net 954-713-0910

MODS provides a yearlong paid internship for transitional youth with insufficient familial supports, or youth who identify as LGBTQ+ between the ages of 16-22. MODS partners with community based organizations to identify and prescreen eligible young adults to secure employment. Young adults can earn a wage for approximately 11-14 hours per week.

### **PACE Center for Girls**

pacecenter.org 954-561-6939

Juliana Santos Juliana.santos@pacecenter.org 954-561-6939, ext.3832

The program serves middle and high school girls ages 11-19 by providing life coaching and counseling to increase protective factors and mitigate risk factors associated with delinquency as well as assisting girls transitioning to adulthood. The program helps girls develop healthy interpersonal relationships, coping skills, self-esteem, and future planning.

### **SunServe**

sunserve.org 954-764-5150

Sobourney Barnes sbarnes@sunserve.org 954-764-5150, ext.207

Program serves middle and high school youth ages 11-19 who identify as LGBTQ by providing professional assessment, counseling, and life coaching to promote successful life outcomes. The program promotes the development of skills, academic, and employability skills to help youth transition successfully into healthy young adulthood.

### Harmony Development Center harmonydc1.org

Christine Fabrico

cfabrico@harmonydc1.org 954-766-4483 Program serves middle and high school youth ages 11-19 with

school youth ages 11-19 with delinquency involvement. The program provides life coaching and counseling to support youth in becoming successful and responsible young adults. The program teaches youth anger management skills, social responsibility, character building and employability skills to ensure youth are exposed to positive activities as a way to divert them from the juvenile justice system.

### PEACE

PEACE programs provide middle and high school at-promise youth with year-round out of-school-time services that provide opportunities for academic remediation and enrichment, career exploration, community service learning, and other skill-building activities designed to promote positive youth development, and school and future success.

### **Community Based Connections**

Deerfield Beach Middle School 701 SE 6th Ave. Deerfield Beach, 33441

Sherise Gregory sgregory@ communitybasedconnections.com 754-236-1574

### **Crockett Foundation**

Pompano Beach Middle School 310 NE 6th St., Pompano Beach 33060

Shanice Traylor straylor@crocketfoundation.org 786-617-4673

### Harmony Developmental Center, Inc.

harmonydc1.org

Rickards Middle School 6000 NE 9th Avenue, Oakland Park, 33334

Gloria Gonzalez ggonzalez@harmonydc1.org 954-766-4483

### **Motivational Edge**

Motivational Edge provides structured support services that foster positive social-emotional youth development; create engaging activities that increase youth attendance/participation; offer cultural arts experience that empower youth and give them a voice; provide ongoing youth mentoring; reduce bullying, youth crime and violence; and assist youth in developing the skills and abilities to successfully transition to post-secondary opportunities.

lan Welsh ian@themotivationaledge.org 786-269-9831

### **Memorial Healthcare System Community Youth Services**

mhs.net 954-276-0841 Cammie Cacace ccacace@mhs.net 954-276-0869

Program assists youth ages 15 to 22 in drafting a FUTURES PLAN, which includes vocational, educational, social, psychological, behavioral, spiritual, and personal goals.

Transitioning youth are educated and given career path training, youth leadership skills, and assistance in getting affordable housing and other independent living skills.

### **Smith Community Mental Health**

smithcmh.com

Smith CMH Headquarters 601 South State Road 7 Plantation, 33317

Cypress Run Education Center 2800 NW 30th Ave. Pompano Beach, 33069

Whispering Pines 3609 South 89th Ave. Miramar, 33025

Donna Lavalle donna.lavalle@smithcmh.com 954-321-2296, ext. 203

### **■ LEAP HIGH**

LEAP Programs are offered at eleven (11) Broward County Public high schools, and services include:

- Structured academic support services via project based activities focusing on literacy, science and healthy living.
- Credit Recovery, End-of-Course Exam and ACT/SAT preparation services delivered by certified teachers so students can meet their state mandated graduation requirements.
- Adult and Family Services that focus on literacy and referring parents to the human services they need to thrive.
- Personal enrichment activities to improve school engagement and attendance, while reducing substance abuse and teen violence.

- Case Management services to help youth set and achieve individual goals to improve graduation rates.
- College and Career Readiness activities that help youth tie their interests, aptitudes and abilities to meaningfully career pathways, while helping them navigate the college application and financial aid process.

### **Blanche Ely High School**

1201 NW 6th Ave. Pompano Beach, 33060

Rocie Smith Clark rocie.smithclark @browardschools.com, 754-322-0950

### **Choose Peace Stop Violence**

The Choose Peace/Stop Violence initiative teaches violence prevention strategies, which are both school and community-based, and continues to educate and empower youth and families to expose bullying, affirm differences, and make healthier, drug free choices.

Mabel Colón mcolon@unitedwaybroward.org 954-462-4850

### **Boyd Anderson High School**

3050 NW 41st St. Lauderdale Lakes, 33309

Marie Duperval marie.duperval @browardschools.com 754-322-0200

### **Coconut Creek High School**

1400 NW 44th Ave, Coconut Creek, FL 33066

Tiffany Soto tiffany.soto@browardschools.com 754-322-0350

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### **Deerfield Beach High School**

910 SW 15th St.. Deerfield Beach, 33441

Joshua Smith joshua.smith@browardschools.com

Miderland Delance miderland.delance@ browardschools.com 754-322-0650

### **Dillard High School**

2501 NW 11th St Fort Lauderdale, 33311

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### **Hallandale High School**

720 NW 9th Ave. Hallandale, 33009

Sonja Sherman Sonja.sherman@browardschools.com 754-323-0900

### **Hollywood Hills High School**

5400 Stirling Rd, Hollywood, 33021

Sara Pierce sara.pierce@browardschools.com 754.323.1050

#### Lauderhill 6-12

1901 NW 49th Street. Lauderhill, 33303

Leslie Farr leslie.farr@browardschools.com 754-322-3600

### **McArthur High School**

6501 Hollywood Blvd. Hollywood, 33024

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### **Miramar High School**

3601 SW 89th Ave. Miramar, 33025

Shelly Winter shelly.winter@browardschools.com 754-323-1350

### **Northeast High School**

1700 NE 56th St. Oakland Park, 33334

Erin Thompson erin.thompson@browardschools.com 754-322-1550

### **MODS Everglades EcoExplorer**

mods.org (954) 467-6637

Lance Cutrer (954) 467-6637. ext. 206

The Everglades EcoExplorers program at the Museum of Discovery and Science (MODS) is a new collaboration with the Everglades Foundation of Palmetto Bay, Florida and AECOM of Fort Lauderdale. The museum-based program offers eligible youth summer. after school, and weekend environmental education and workforce development training.

### **Plantation High School**

6901 NW 16th St. Plantation, 33313

Nichola Stephenson Gayle nichola.stephenson@ browardschools.com 754-322-1850

### **Piper High School**

8000 NW 44th St. Sunrise, 33351

Tara Rolle tara.rolle@browardschools.com 754-322-1700

#### **Stranahan High School**

1800 SW 5th Pl.. Fort Lauderdale, 33312

Samantha Brown samantha.brown @browardschools.com 754-323-2100

### **SunEd High School** of North Broward

1117 Banks Rd. Margate, FL 33063

**Sherise Gregory** sgregory@ communitybasedconnections.com 754-236-1574

### **STEP**

(SUPPORTED TRAINING & EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM)

This year-round program offers comprehensive employability skills training to help prepare youth with disabilities, ages 16-21, for future success in post-secondary education and the work place. Services offered through STEP include: case management, career counseling, life skills training, community service learning, leadership development, prevention education, transition planning, as well as paid supported summer employment.

#### **Arc Broward**

10250 NW 53rd St., Sunrise, 33351

### **Arc Broward Headquarters**

Lilliana Ballesteros 954-746-9400

### **Christi Academy**

3495 N. Hiatus Road. Sunrise, FL 33351

#### **Coral Springs High School**

7201 W. Sample Rd. Coral Springs, 33065

### **McArthur High School**

6501 Hollywood Blvd. Hollywood, 33024

### **Center for Hearing** & Communication

chchearing.org

Olivia Angeli 954-601-1930, ext. 319

### **South Plantation High School**

1300 Paladin Way Plantation, 33317

### **Smith Community Mental Health**

smithcmh.com

Donna Lavalle (954) 321-2296, ext. 203

### **Cypress Run Education Center**

12800 NW 30th Ave. Pompano Beach, 33069

### **Whispering Pines Center**

3609 South 89th Ave. Miramar, 33025

### **United Community Options**

unitedcommunityoptionssfl.org 954-315-4058

Cathea Comiskey 954-315-4053

### **Boyd Anderson High School**

3050 NW 41st St. Lauderdale Lakes, 33309

### **Blanche Ely High School**

1201 NW 6th Ave. Pompano Beach, 33060

### **Coconut Creek High School**

1400 NW 44th Avenue Coconut Creek, 33066

### **Deerfield Beach High School**

910 Buck Pride Way Deerfield Beach, 33441

### **Dillard High School**

2501 NW 11th St. Fort Lauderdale, 33311

### **Northeast High School**

700 NE 56th St. Oakland Park, 33334

**Plantation High School** 

### 6901 NW 16th St.

Plantation, 33313

### **South Broward High School**

1901 N Federal Highway Hollywood, 33020

### **YMCA of South Florida**

ymcasouthflorida.org 954-334-9622

Susan Feldman 954-623-5555, ext. 1132

### **American Preparatory Academy**

4850 S Pine Island Road Davie, 33328

### **Cypress Bay High School**

18600 Vista Park Blvd. Weston, 33332

### JP Taravella High School

10600 Riverside Dr. Coral Springs, 33071

### Stranahan High School 1800 SW 5th Pl.

Fort Lauderdale, 33312

### **SYEP**

(SUMMER YOUTH **EMPLOYMENT** PROGRAM)

#### **CareerSource Broward**

Latema King lking@careersourcebroward.com 954-202-3830

SYEP provides Broward youth ages 16-18 with summer work experience at local non-profit and government agencies. Youth earn a minimum wage and may be eligible to receive support services, such as transportation assistance and childcare.

### **NEW DAY**

(NEW DIVERSION **ALTERNATIVES** FOR YOUTH)

New DAY programs incorporate family support services, counseling, youth development activities, community service and restitution to divert low-risk juvenile offenders from the delinquency system and reduce recidivism. Programs provide highly-structured civil citation and diversion alternatives to protect public safety and decrease likelihood of re-offending. Youth must be referred through the Juvenile Division of the State Attorney's Office Circuit 17. Civil citation referrals must be referred through the Office of Justice Services Juvenile Civil Citation.

Additionally, PROMISE youth must be referred through the School Board of Broward County.

### STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICE PROMISE. AND CIVIL CITATION REFERRALS ONLY

#### **Broward Sheriff's Office**

sheriff.org 954-765-4838

2600 SW 4th Ave. Fort Lauderdale, 33315

Community Justice Program receives referrals to serve diversion, civil citation and PROMISE Program youth throughout Broward County. Services include Restorative Justice Conferencing, youth competency groups, victim empathy classes, gender specific learning projects and supervised community service. Program incorporates Active Parenting of Teens Parent education curriculum.

### **Camelot Community Care**

camelotcommunitycare.org 954-958-0988

1925 S. Perimeter Rd. Fort Lauderdale, 33309

Diversion and civil citation program that serves male and female youth with special needs and/ or behavioral health conditions residing throughout Broward County. Services include intensive in-home counseling and family support services that reduce risk factors leading to maladaptive behaviors.

### **Harmony Development Center**

harmonydevelopmentcenter.org 954-766-4483

12233 SW 55th St. Suite 801 Cooper City, FL 33330

FOCUS program receives referrals to serve diversion, civil citation and PROMISE Program youth throughout Broward County. The project provides, restorative justice conferencing, youth groups, supervised community service, parent workshops, and individual/ family counseling.

#### **Henderson Behavioral Health**

hendersonbh.org 954-731-5100, ext.6001

4700 N. State Rd. 7 Building A, Suite 201 Lauderdale Lakes, 33319

Provider facilitates diversion and civil citation services for male and female youth with special needs and/ or behavioral health conditions using a Wraparound model. Services and supports provided are tailored to the unique values and cultural needs of the youth, with a strong emphasis on parental/family engagement.

### Juliana Gerena & Associates

gerena-associates.com 954-340-0560

1280 SW 36th Ave., Suite 206 Pompano Beach, 33069

Program provides diversion and civil citation services to male and female youth exhibiting sexual misbehavior and youth with special needs and/or behavioral health conditions.

Additionally, programs provides cyber safety education. Services include psychosexual assessments; individual, family, and group sessions that are age/gender specific, and intellectually appropriate for participants and their families.

Program integrates community based and in-home treatment to provide a holistic and convenient approach.

### **Memorial Healthcare System**

jdch.com/about/community/ community-youth-services 954-276-0820

7031 Taft St. Hollywood, 33024

New Directions is an integrated diversion and civil citation program for male and female youth. Services include individual/group counseling, family therapy, parenting skills education, community service and restitution. Program incorporates Staying Connected with Your Teens and a Restorative Justice Conferencing component.

### **PACE Center for Girls**

pacecenter.org 954-561-6939

2225 N. Andrews Ave. Wilton Manors, 33311

The PACE Reach Diversion Program provides gender-responsive diversion, civil citation and PROMISE Program services to girls addressing risk factors that include victimization due to physical or sexual abuse; domestic and dating violence, academic underachievement, family management issues and poverty.

#### **Smith Mental Health Diversion**

smithcmh.com 954-321-2296

601 S. State Road 7 Plantation, 33317

Program provides diversion and civil citation services to youth with special needs and behavioral health conditions utilizing the Brief Strategic Family Therapy and Cognitive Behavior Therapy models. Individuals and family counseling as well as case management services are provided in the home on a weekly basis.

### **Urban League** of Broward County

ulbroward.org 954-584-0777

560 NW 27th Ave. Fort Lauderdale, 33311

Project Embrace provides diversion and civil citation programming for male and female youth throughout Broward County. The project provides restorative justice conferences with trained community volunteers and staff, weekly life skills development classes, restorative justice conferencing, community service, and social and cultural enrichment activities.

### LEGAL SUPPORTS & LEGAL HELPLINE

### **Legal Aid of Broward County**

Walter Honaman whonaman@legalaid.org 954-736-2404

The program serves legal advocacy services to low-income youth, up to age 18, who are dually involved in the dependency and delinquency systems and/or youth in either the dependency or delinquency system at risk of dual involvement. Youth served may be referred by the Juvenile Division of the State Attorney's Office, the Public Defender's Office, or Dependency Court.

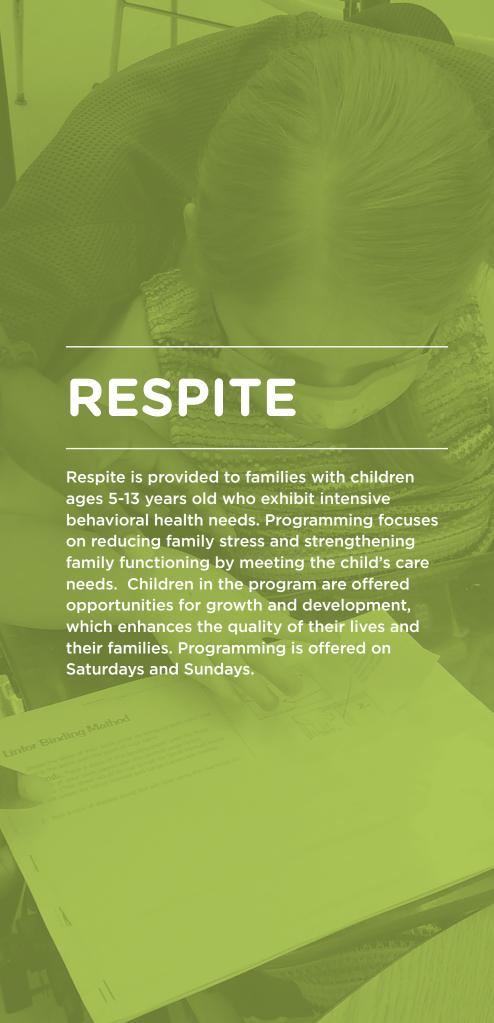
### YOUTH ADVOCACY

### Florida Youth SHINE

floridaschildrenfirst.org

Geori Berman geori.berman@floridaschildrenfirst.org 954-796-0860

The Children's Services Council provides advocacy on behalf of Broward's children and families and works collaboratively during government committee weeks and legislative sessions to provide a voice for issues relating to children and families at the local, state and national level. The CSC supports youth advocates from Broward County. This effort advances a children's policy agenda at the state and national levels. The Broward chapter of Florida Youth SHINE involves traditionally disconnected youth and provides them with advocacy skills, training and a supervised trip to the Florida Capitol in Tallahassee.



### Jewish Adoption and Family Care Options (JAFCO)

Wendy Jenkins wendy@jafco.org 954-749-7230

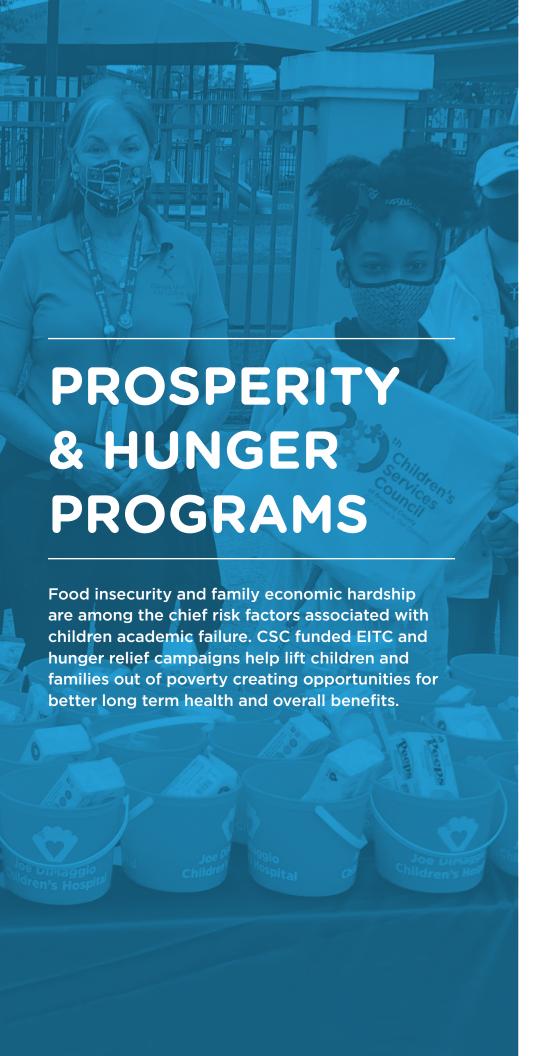
#### **Memorial Healthcare System**

Marilyn Camerota mcamerota@mhs.net 954-985-7000, ext.241

#### **Smith Community Mental Health**

Donna Lavalle donna.lavalle@smithcmh.com 954-321-2296, ext.203

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### **EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT**

### **Hispanic Unity of Florida**

hispanicunity.org

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#### **HandsOn Broward**

handsonbroward.org

Kathy Wint kathy@handsonbroward.org 954-233-1296

The Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) is a federal anti-poverty program that provides financial assistance for working families. In 2002, the Children's Services Council began promoting EITC through a countywide public awareness campaign. Since then, over \$500 million has been returned to Broward residents. With the onset of the COVID-19 Pandemic this program has shifted to offer EITC recipients the choice of filing their returns at various, dedicated, on the ground Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) sites, entirely online, or through a hybrid drop off method, allowing participants to have flexibility. The program now also offers a free VITA hotline to answer any general questions that pertain to the program. Additionally, volunteer opportunities through Hands on Broward exist for those who wish to become IRS-certified volunteer tax preparers.

### **HUNGER RELIEF EFFORTS**

### **BreakSpot Mobile Feeding Program**

### Meals On Wheels of South Florida

Mark Adler madler@mowsoflo.org 954-714-6940

**South Florida Hunger Coalition** southfloridahungercoalition.org

Michael Farver mfarver@sfhc.org 954-792-3852

As part of USDA's Summer Feeding Program, a collaboration of Broward nonprofits operate the Summer BreakSpot Mobile Feeding Program, under the umbrella of the South Florida Hunger Coalition. Children under the age of 18 receive lunch and snack five days a week through Meals on Wheels of South Florida at multiple Broward locations, including various cities, housing authorities and park and recreation departments. The aim of the program is to continue reaching out to and feeding more children in need where they live and play throughout the summer months.

### **Community Enhancement** Collaboration, Inc. (CEC)

cecwashpark.org

Nadine McCrea ceccollaboration@gmail.com 954-987-0625

One agency focusing its services in the Central/South East part of Broward, is the Community Enhancement Collaboration, Inc. Established in 2005 and lead by respected community activist Nadine McCrea, CEC is addressing food insecurity in that area by supporting 200 families a month by providing them with 35 pounds, each, of food and supplies such as fresh fruits and vegetables, chicken, dry goods, toilet paper and laundry detergent. CEC partners with local community serving agencies as well as CSC funded programs to distribute the over 84.000 lbs. of food and household supplies in drive-thru settings to help offset the impacts of COVID-19 on families.

### **Deliver Lean Cares**

cscbroward.org

Danielle Bachelder CSC Deliver Lean Cares Contract Manager dbachelder@cscbroward.org 954-377-1116

To help address ongoing food insecurity in the NE quadrant of Broward County, CSC has partnered with Deliver Lean Cares as well as CSC funded programs in that area. During the Winter and Spring Break school holidays, when children are less likely or unable to access school and afterschool meals, this program provides two healthy meals per day to children and their families. Meals are customized for families and are nutritious, prepared, ready to heat and eat. Meals are delivered directly to the homes of families that are likely to have difficulty accessing other types of distribution efforts.

### **FLIPANY**

flipany.org

### **Food Recovery and Food Pantry Program**

**FLIPANY** Lynne Kunins Lkunins@FLIPANY.org 954-354-7269

Florida Introduces Physical Activity and Nutrition to Youth (FLIPANY) was awarded an Aetna Foundation Healthiest Cities and Counties Grant to Wellness Initiatives for students and parents at Deerfield Beach Middle School. Through the grant FLIPANY's Healthy Student-Healthy Community (HSHC) Team will implement two priority objectives identified by the HSHC Youth Advisory Board and the Parent Advisory Board: A Food Recovery and Food Pantry Program through onsite youth leadership and community volunteers, and the use of Feeding South Florida's mobile app, MealConnect, to connect families needing additional food resources with locations where those resources are available for distribution.

#### **Harvest Drive**

harvestdriveflorida.com

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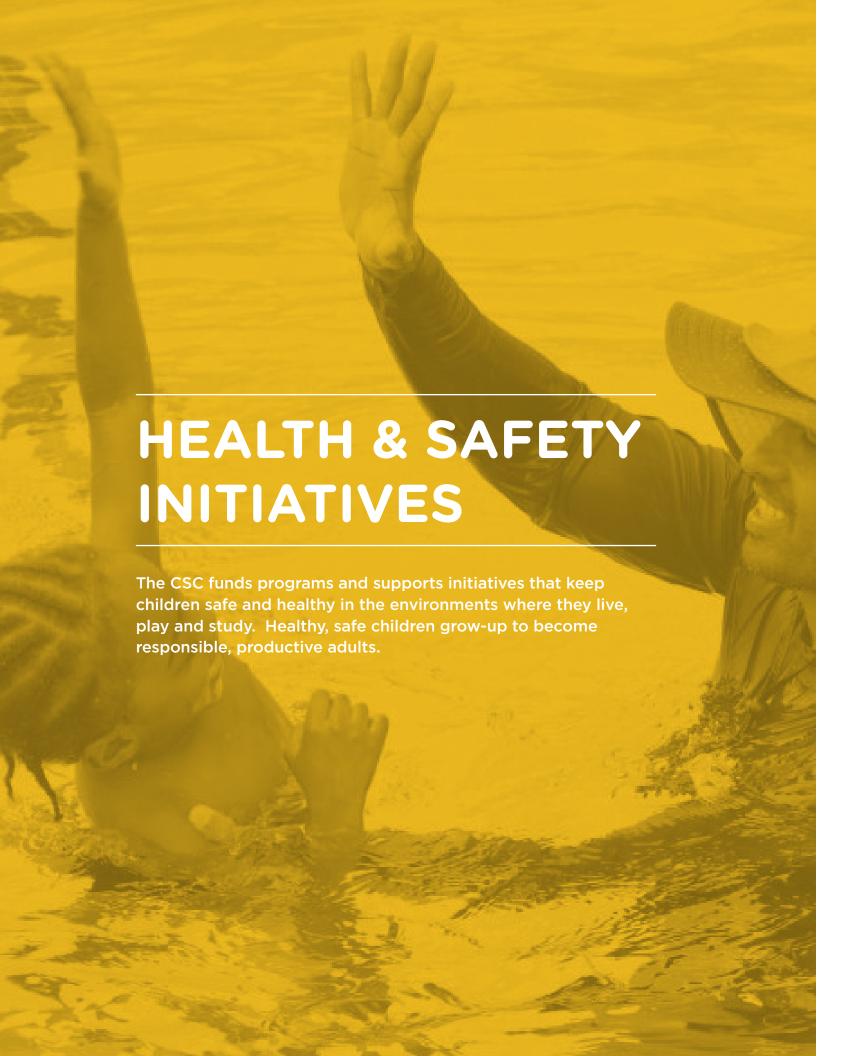
The Harvest Drive is based on the premise of children helping children and adults working hand in hand to offer needy families in Broward County gifts of food and other necessities during the Thanksgiving holidays. Students from public and private schools, churches, temples and neighborhoods hold drives and supply the Harvest Drive with nonperishable food that is distributed to families. In addition to helping others, the purpose of the Drive is to teach children at an early age that their contributions can make a difference in the lives of others.

### **Mobile School Pantry**

mobileschoolpantry.org

Zeina Zein zeina@mobileschoolpantry.org 954-297-4929

The Mobile School Pantry Program under the umbrella of the South Florida Hunger Coalition is designed to alleviate child hunger in Broward through the monthly provision of nutritious food to children and their families at Title 1 Schools. Throughout the school-year, the program provides a way for children and their parents to meet their personal dietary needs by accessing a wide and sufficient variety of fresh nutritious food to help the students learn, grow and thrive. During the COVID emergency, drive-by grab and go efforts have continued throughout the County. In normal times the families will access this program at their school location in a farmers' market setting on a converted school bus, Sprout.



### **■ SAFE SLEEP**

### **Broward Healthy Start** Coalition, Inc. **Safe Sleep Initiative**

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In 2003, the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) published a report that estimated that the risk of infant suffocation increases 20-fold when infants and adults sleep in the same bed. In 2005, the AAP restated that co-sleeping is a growing concern and recommended that infants not share a bed during sleep.

The Safe Sleep Initiative provides low-income families with free GRACO Pack 'n Play® cribs, one crib sheet, and a safe-sleep sack, and counsels parents on the dangers of co-sleeping. In addition to educating parents on safe sleep practices, the Safe Sleep Coordinator will educate community stakeholders, such as first responders and service providers, physicians and other medical personnel who interact with families.

### **KIDCARE OUTREACH**

### Florida Department of Health **In Broward County**

(954-INSURES)

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The Children's Services Council provides support for the Broward County Health Department to deliver personalized assistance to prospective KidCare enrollees and answer the many calls to 954-INSURES. KidCare outreach staff have forged partnerships with governmental and communitybased organizations to promote the program and serves as the leading source of application distribution to Broward schools and child care facilities.

### SWIM CENTRAL

### **Broward County Parks** & Recreation Department

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Broward County's SWIM Central program works with Broward County Public Schools and child care centers to provide drowning prevention components, including:

- A minimum of six, and a maximum of 10, water safety lessons to participating children.
- A minimum of 25-30 minutes of water safety instruction per class with a maximum of 10 children per instructor.
- Water SMART Broward drowning prevention material, which includes water safety facts, data, and available resources. Additional educational classes are also offered to every family to provide basic water safety and drowning prevention information.
- In addition, the CSC funds coupons for free to low cost instruction for Broward's children 6-months through 4-years-old and the parent/caregiver of any child who redeems a child coupon is eligible to receive an adult coupon for themselves.

### **DROWNING PREVENTION TASKFORCE**

### Florida Department of Health In Broward County

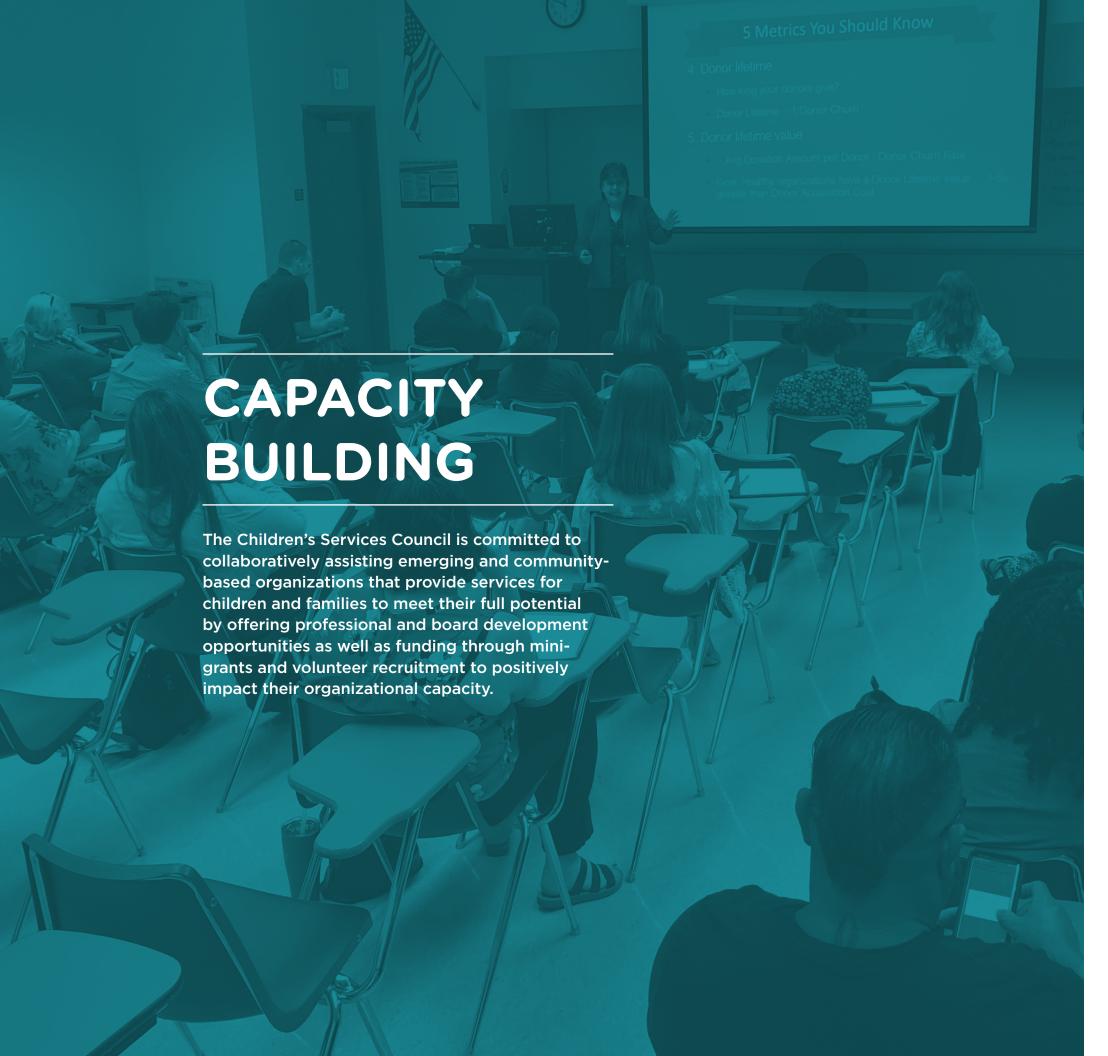
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Drowning Prevention is a collaborative community effort driven by the Drowning Prevention Task Force. In 2009, the Children's Services Council allocated funding to support a full-time coordinator housed at the Broward County Health Department who provides insight and accountability for the implementation of the Drowning Prevention Action Plan.

Task Force members create a culture throughout Broward County that infuses drowning prevention methodologies, practices, and messages throughout the community, directly impacting families with young children by:

- Coordinating and disseminating an evidence-based water safety public message: Water SMART Broward
- Hosting water safety public outreach events
- Advocating regarding local ordinances, and more.



### **CAPACITY BUILDING**

### **CSC Sponsored Trainings**

### **Children's Services Council** of Broward County

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The CSC offers quality and affordable training workshops for professionals serving children and families in Broward County. Each session is led by instructors that are highly qualified and experienced in their field to provide an optimal learning environment. CEU's are also offered for many of the completed courses.

For a training calendar and to register, please visit our website at http://training.cscbroward.org.

### **Capacity Building Grant**

### **Children's Services Council** of Broward County

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Infrastructure building support is provided to local child and family serving nonprofit organizations through our annual Capacity Building Grants. Through a competitive procurement process, local organizations are awarded funding for projects, professional business coaching, and consulting each year.

### **Agency Capacity Building Committee (ACB)**

### **Children's Services Council** of Broward County

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The CSC provides a comprehensive array of capacity building resources to support and strengthen emerging and niche child and family serving nonprofits. Agency Capacity Building Committee (ACB) members benefit from; monthly newsletters, quarterly meetings, specialized training opportunities, networking activities, one-on-one consulting and guidance, as well as access to the annual Capacity Building Boot Camp, and 24-hour access to a wealth of on-line resources.

### HandsOn **BROWARD**

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The Children's Services Council supports HandsOn Broward as a critical component in Broward's human services system of care and infrastructure. HandsOn Broward provides year-round volunteer recruitment that connects individuals and groups through meaningful service opportunities with over 600 nonprofit organizations throughout our community.

It also provides signature youth programs that empower youth to grow as leaders through service and civil engagement, and acts as a hub for high school students in need of community service hours. As a CSC agency capacity building partner, HandsOn supports nonprofit agencies in the search and recruitment of volunteers to enhance service provision.

In addition, HandsOn Browrd supports the Campaign for Grade Level Reading and Broward: Read for the Record by serving as the volunteer hub for literacy tutors, mentors and coaches.



### **2-1-1 BROWARD**

### **GENERAL HOTLINE**

2-1-1 Broward, an information & referral line, provides a 24-hour, comprehensive help line and support service for individuals seeking crisis intervention assistance and/or information and referrals to health and human services in Broward County. An impressive database of information is used to provide community callers with current, relevant information regarding a wide variety of services within the community. All calls are toll-free, confidential and anonymous from anywhere in Broward County.

### SPECIAL NEEDS and BEHAVIORAL HEALTH HOTLINE

211-broward.org Dial 2-1-1 or 954-537-0211

The 2-1-1 Hotline is Broward's single source for information and referrals for children with behavioral health needs and disabilities. The hotline's specialized staff focuses on helping parents, caregivers, agencies, and medical practitioners who serve the needs of children, find programming, support and hope. A case management component is also available for families in need of assistance accessing and navigating the special needs and behavioral health system of care.

### **EAGLES' HAVEN**

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Eagles' Haven is a community wellness center created solely and mindfully for the MSD/Eagles community giving current, future and former students, parents, family members and faculty one responsive and nurturing place to call or drop in for any supportive service or wellness needs 7 days a week, free of charge. Services include: wellness experiences, information and education, and family strengthening services.

### MOTIVATIONAL EDGE

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Motivational Edge provides structured support services that foster positive social-emotional youth development and support student learning. The services include, but are not limited to: cultural arts programming, life skills development, mentoring initiatives, job readiness and employability skills.

# BROWARD BEHAVIORAL HEALTH COALITION

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Broward Behavioral Health Coalition (BBHC) offers a Community Trauma Responsive Counseling Program that serves clients throughout Broward County that were affected by the mass shooting that occurred at Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School. To support the recovery of those impacted by the tragedy, BBHC has subcontracted with several local mental health agencies to provide in-home trauma specific therapy by trained clinicians using: Trauma Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (TF-CBT), Trauma Incident Reduction (TIR), Seeking Safety, Eye Movement Desensitization and Reprocessing (EMDR), or another Evidence-Based trauma specific therapeutic model



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