

Our Philosophy

Mission

Promote, support and enhance the health and early development of prenatal through age five and their families and communities.

Values

- Evidence based strategies with measureable impact
- Collective impact efforts including coordination/collaboration, alignment and leveraging among agencies and across systems.
- Sustainability and capacity building to ensure long-term impact and lasting change.
- Community engagement



Strategic Plan 2015-2020 - Strategic Priority Area 1: Children and Families Goal 1.3 Family and Community Support and Partnerships

Families and Communities are engaged, supported, and strengthened through culturally effective resources and opportunities that assist them in nurturing, caring and providing for their children's success and well-being



Objectives

- 1.3a** Children are free from abuse and neglect
- 1.3b** Parents provide developmentally appropriate care
- 1.3c** Families are resilient

Challenges\Obstacles

Approach

Funded agency capacity

- Capacity Building Academy
- Appropriate training on implementation, data collection, fiscal invoicing etc.
- Individual & Group technical assistance

Lack of Resources

- Coordinate collective impact efforts to maximize leverage of available resources
- Support emergency needs provision through partnership with Children's Fund

Stakeholder/County Department Buy-In

- Involve stakeholders/county departments from beginning of design process
- Demonstrate benefits of FDM

Recruitment of appropriate participating families

- Provide agencies with opportunities to share best practice
- Marketing technical assistance

Action Plan

February 2015
Develop Indicators/
Interventions for FDM

April-June 2015
Finalize agency
contracts

July 2015
Train agencies
on FDM

[Ongoing]
Quarterly Convenings

Report outcomes to stakeholders
and funded agencies

Collect data for local outcomes
report annually until 2018