ChildSavers’ mission is to guide our community’s children through life’s critical moments with trauma-informed mental health and child development services.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

The first few years of a child’s life are critical to his or her development and future success. Our highly qualified early childhood specialists provide a broad range of support services to the adults who care for and educate preschool children. Services include: professional development training, credentialing, mentoring, and nutrition education. Last year, 4,671 children ages 0-5 years old received quality care and learning because of mentoring and training for child care professionals.

OUTPATIENT THERAPY

Studies link poor academic performance, high dropout rates, and an increased use of public services later in life (i.e., more tax dollars spent on incarceration and criminal justice, welfare, etc.) to unresolved childhood mental health issues. Our professional trauma-informed clinicians use evidenced based tools to work with children and adolescents ages 2-17. Specialized therapies include art, sand tray, and animal-assisted play therapy. Last year, our Outpatient Therapy staff worked with 504 children and provided 6,919 hours of therapy.

IMMEDIATE RESPONSE

Responding to children's needs in the immediate aftermath of traumatic events or mental health crises can help prevent or decrease the severity of future mental health and behavioral problems. Our Immediate Response team responds to traumatic scenes as well as crises. Crisis services are supportive and short term. The goal is to make appropriate referrals, either internally or externally, to longer term care, and to prevent hospitalization. Last year, the Immediate Response staff delivered 2,493 hours of therapy to children & teens that witnessed or experienced a traumatic event.

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