

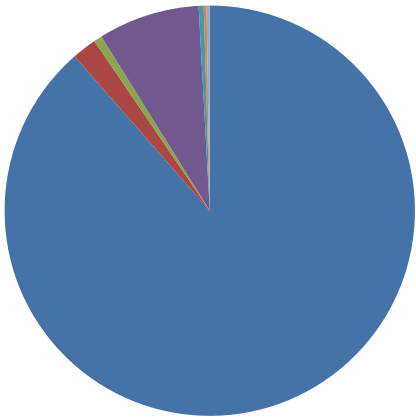
At CCAC we make every penny count!

Child Care Action Council works to ensure that all of our programs improve the quality of delivery and result in changes to the lives of those who participate. We do this by collecting feedback from participants and measuring outcomes through a variety of ongoing evaluation activities.

WHERE DOLLARS COME FROM

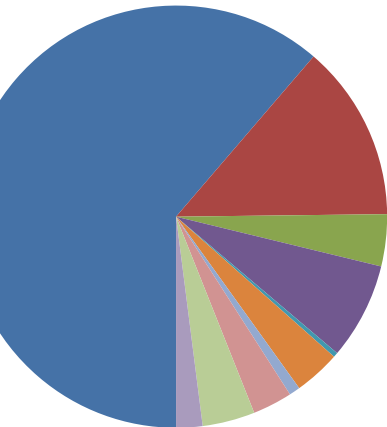
TOTAL \$1,852,222

Government Contracts	\$1,640,075
Training Fees	\$36,040
Individual Contributions	\$12,003
Corporate & Foundation	\$148,051
United Way Grants	\$7,332
Other income	\$4,106
Interest income	\$4,616



WHERE DOLLARS ARE SPENT

TOTAL \$1,885,774



Early Achievers	\$1,155,833
Child Care Aware & Parent Education	\$254,944
Training & Consultation	\$75,051
Infant Toddler Consultation	\$139,459
Margie's Crisis Nursery	\$6,745
Raising A Reader	\$66,821
BlockFest/Community Education	\$15,828
Safe Kids Coalition	\$57,283
Management & Support	\$75,806
Fund Development	\$38,005

Major Funders

- Boeing
- Child Care Aware of Washington
- Community Foundation of South Puget Sound
- Community Investment Partnership
- Confederated Tribes of the Chehalis River
- Discuren Foundation
- Educational Service District 113
- Grays Harbor Community Foundation
- Junior League
- Lucky Dog Casino
- Mary P. Dolciani Halloran Foundation
- Molina Healthcare of WA
- Nisqually Tribal Council
- Olympia Federal Savings
- Providence St. Peter Foundation
- Raising a Reader Foundation
- Rotary Club of Lacey
- Rotary Club of Olympia
- Safe Kids Worldwide
- Shelton Elks Lodge
- Shelton Skookum Rotary Club Foundation
- Squaxin Island Tribe
- Thomas Family Foundation
- Thrive Washington
- Thurston County Early Childhood Coalition
- Thurston County Medic One
- United Way of Clallam County
- United Way of Mason County
- United Way of Thurston County
- Visions In Early Learning Regional Coalition
- WA Department of Early Learning
- Washington State Regional EMS Council
- Washington Traffic Safety Commission
- WSECU
- Zonta Club of Olympia



Serving Clallam, Grays Harbor, Jefferson, Kitsap, Mason, and Thurston counties

ANNUAL REPORT

JULY 2015 – JUNE 2016

Ensuring access to quality early learning opportunities for all children

Child Care Action Council promotes and nurtures early learning communities where families and children thrive.

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- Forma Construction
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- GHB Insurance
- HomeStreet Bank
- Steamboat Physical Therapy
- Tammy's Ceramic Shop
- Spuds Produce Market
- Tags Awards and Specialties



"I think that we have been more intentional in our planning. This translates into more quality learning experiences for the children." EA Participant

"I am so grateful for the mentoring and instruction I have received. This is a very high quality program with very organized and knowledgeable staff." EA Participant

CCAC MAKES AN IMPACT

Early Achievers

Early Achievers is our state's effort to build a higher quality licensed child care system. Child care centers and licensed family homes receive support from CCAC staff to understand and achieve high quality standards. Our consultants go on-site to provide advice and model best practice. A primary focus this year was outreach and marketing. As of June 30, 2016, our efforts resulted in a 48% participation rate for our region. Our dedicated consultants support providers in their journey towards improving environments, interactions and practices. We are very proud of our provider success in rating at quality levels. Independent evaluators rated 94% of our providers at a quality rating of Level 3 or higher, the highest in the state! Child care centers and homes Early Achievers' participation and ratings are listed on the Department of Early Learning website, giving parents information on the quality of settings as they are seeking child care arrangements.

WHAT OTHERS SAY

"The Early Achiever program has helped me in many ways. Yvette encourages me & helps me prepare for my upcoming data collection. She also helps me get the Needs Based Grant for \$500 that I used in upgrading my environment. Ms. Terri did a CCQB in my facility. She used the tools in pointing out areas that I need to work on. The Early Achiever program definitely helps & guides childcare providers in giving a quality child care program." EA Participant

"The kids get so excited every Tuesday when they get new books for the week! I think the excitement spreads to the whole family and they all can't wait to go home and read." -Raising A Reader Program Parent

"The items that the health department has supplied our family are such a blessing in many forms. Not only does it benefit our toddler, but also our preschooler/kindergartner with developmental delays. The children can play while we can feel secure that they are safe." Safe Kids Thurston County Program recipient



Child Care Aware Professional Development Academy

- 90 classes were offered, and attended by 1,262 providers who gained new knowledge and skills through 253.5 hours of training.
- 27 infant toddler rooms received on-site consultation and financial support.
- 93 providers attended the Carousel Conference in Aberdeen, receiving 6 hours of training each.

Safe Kids Thurston County

More than 5,000 families were provided with safety information and supplies. Here are a few examples:

- 414 car seat inspections, with 35 car seats distributed.
- 315 bike helmets distributed.
- 1000 home and infant safety supplies (choke testers, safe sleeping sacks, etc., distributed.
- Numerous life jackets loaned via 13 loaner cabinets at community parks and lakes.
- Hundreds of children participated in International Walk To School Day to promote Youth Pedestrian Safety.

Margie's Crisis Nursery

Children ages 3 months to 6 years were nurtured in safe, healthy child care environments while their parents received respite and referrals to resolve their current crisis. 134 homeless children received free child care while their parents worked to find housing and jobs.

Family, Friends & Neighbors

- 4 Kaleidoscope Play & Learn groups, serving 92 families, occurred in Olympia, Port Angeles, and Yelm.
- Participants reported improved interactions with their children while building positive connections to other adults and community resources.
- One-time events connected families to CCAC/CCAWA information including choosing quality child care, call line, and community parent education events.

Raising A Reader

Raising A Reader bags, filled with books, were carried home by 1,241 children participating at 42 sites in Grays Harbor, Mason, and Thurston counties. Our evaluations demonstrate that children asked their parents to read to them more frequently and parents responded by increasing how often and how long they spent reading with their children. Parents engaged in more dialogue with their children, increasing language development that directly relates to preparing children for learning to read and kindergarten success.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

CCAC nurtured and promoted early learning in communities so parents and children could thrive!

1644

Connections were made for families to the Family Call Center

4882

Homeless child-care hours provided

134

Homeless children received free child care

129

Days of free crisis care provided

1241

Children received books to read daily through Raising A Reader

5000

Children are safer after receiving Safe Kids services

1741

Families learned about early math with BlockFest

1262

Providers received professional development training

92

Families joined Play and Learn groups