Early Childhood

Our Community Outcome: Increase the developmental readiness of children with low incomes (ages 0-5) so they can succeed in school at the time of school entry.

COMMUNITY TRENDS
- The number of economically disadvantaged children participating in early learning programs increased between 2011 and 2015.
- The poverty rate for children under 5 in Washtenaw County is 19.6%; HOWEVER the poverty rate for African-American children is 58% and 29% for Hispanic children.
- The percentage of children meeting socio-emotional expectations (based on the Kindergarten Entry Assessment piloted in Ypsilanti Township) increased by more than 50% between 2014 and 2015.
- The number of babies born on Medicaid has decreased from 1155 to 921 annually between 2010 and 2015.
- Substantiated victims of abuse/neglect, ages 0-8 has risen from 443 in FY11 to 750 in FY16.

ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED CHILDREN IN WASHTENAW COUNTY

Babies Born on Medicaid

POPULATIONS SERVED ACROSS ALL PRIORITY AREAS

Below are the boundary- and priority area-spanning populations that WCF are prioritizing across the funding portfolio. Percentages are estimates based on data from programs electing to track the information—they do not represent totals for all WCF participants.

Community Dashboard

JULY 2018–JUNE 2019

PROGRAM LEVEL OUTCOMES

This section illustrates the total number of participants who reported achieving specified outcomes, and the corresponding percentage of achievement for all participants working on that outcome.

Parent Engagement & Education

Caregivers that engage in activities and parental supports to encourage learning.

Access to High-Quality Early Learning

Children with high needs participating in high quality early learning programs.

Strengthen Parenting & Home Environments

Children showing age-appropriate progress, as demonstrated by assessments.

Breakdown by INCOME

Breakdown by RACE

Breakdown by GENDER

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