

How to Contact Us

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Parent Leadership/ Advisory Group

We believe that the community and its families share responsibility for designing, operating and overseeing the center through and advisory board. Parents and caregivers form part of our Advisory group and offer guidance and leadership.

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The Mission of The Children's Home Society of NJ

Founded in 1894, The Children's Home Society of New Jersey is a nonsectarian, not-for-profit private agency that promotes the welfare of infants, children, adolescents and parents throughout New Jersey and Bucks County, Pennsylvania. As a comprehensive counseling, placement, parenting educational, and child care agency, CHS of NJ touches the lives of 21,000 children and families each year.

Mission

Saving children's lives and Building healthy families

Values

We value services that work, that are all evaluated, and that help children and parents to help themselves. Our services are delivered with dignity, cultural sensitivity and respect for our clients.

Vision

Every child is in a safe, caring, and permanent family. All children and parents have the skills and knowledge they need to help themselves long after our active case involvement has ended.

Major Service Areas

- ♥ Child Welfare/Permanency services
- ♥ Clinical/Mental Health services
- ♥ Early Childhood and Parent Education services
- ♥ Community/Neighborhood based services
- ♥ School based services
- ♥ Child Care services

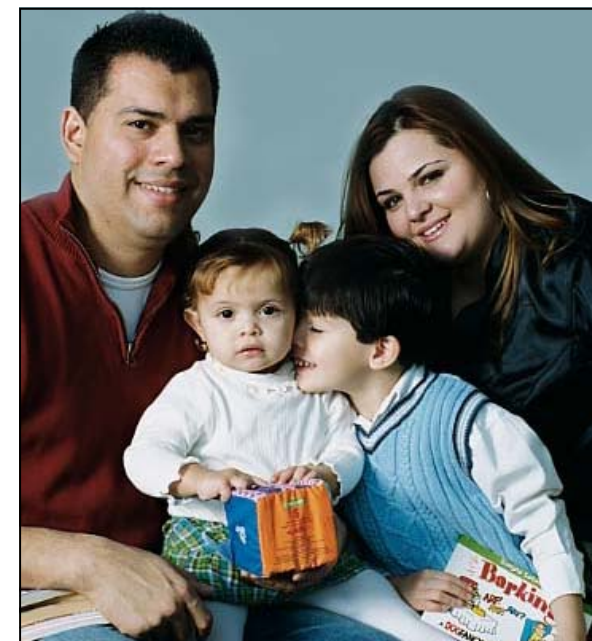
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Family Success Parent Child Center South Ward



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What is a Family Success/ Parent Child Center?

Family Success/Parent Child Centers are community-based, family-centered neighborhood gathering places where **any community resident** can go for family support, information and services. All services are **Free and Confidential**.

The purpose of Family Success/Parent Child Centers is to enrich the lives of children and adults by making families and neighborhoods stronger. We welcome grandparents raising grandchildren as well as caregivers.



Goals

The goals of Family Success Centers are to:

- ♥ Promote family well-being
- ♥ Link families to community services
- ♥ Empower and support families
- ♥ Provide culturally sensitive programs
- ♥ Help families identify and build on their own strengths

Programs & Services

Our Family Success/Parent Child Center adheres to the Principles of Family Support Practice for the delivery of all core and expanded services.

Nurturing and Attachments

- ♥ Bebés Unidos Resultados Positivos (BURP) Program
- ♥ Fun with Books and Music Program
- ♥ Baby Care Basics
- ♥ Community peer lactation consultants
- ♥ Breast feeding support group
- ♥ Mother's nursing Room
- ♥ Prenatal nutrition classes

Parenting & Child Development

- ♥ CUNA Prenatal Health Education & Support Group Program
- ♥ Community safety workshops
- ♥ Parent Support Group
- ♥ Linkages to prenatal clinics and social service agencies
- ♥ Father Enrichment Program
- ♥ Childbirth Classes

Parental Resilience

- ♥ Mujeres, Amigas y Apoyo (MAYA) Mentoring Program
- ♥ Financial Literacy Workshops
- ♥ FACES mental health services (parents, child, teacher)
- ♥ Individual & family counseling
- ♥ Adult Literacy Program & Referrals

Social Connections

- ♥ Latino Parenting Conference
- ♥ Latino Advisory Committee
- ♥ Parent Advisory/Leadership Committee

Concrete Support/Services for Parents

- ♥ Family Resource Lounge
- ♥ FREE Home LEAD Testing Kits
- ♥ FREE Pregnancy Tests
- ♥ Computer Classes
- ♥ Food and Clothing Donations
- ♥ Interpretation and Translation
- ♥ Transportation & Meals during Group Activities

Commitment to Quality Services

- ♥ Parents are empowered to advocate for their families and assume leadership roles
- ♥ Families will receive support in dealing with the stress of parenting and everyday issues
- ♥ Family Success Center will promote positive outcomes for children, youth, and families
- ♥ There is an increase in parent, family and community involvement through formal and informal support networks



Referral Sources

- ♥ Self-referrals
- ♥ Word of Mouth (Friends/Family/Coworkers)
- ♥ Prenatal Clinics and Hospitals
- ♥ Community Providers
- ♥ Clergy
- ♥ Local county and state government