

Child Abuse Prevention Center Year in Review 2020





Dear Friends,

I am honored to have collaborated for over 20 years with my talented colleagues at The Child Abuse Prevention Center, who have dedicated their lives to preventing child abuse and neglect. The results of their work are impressive as you will see in this report.

Our programs are working. We are saving the lives of children and strengthening families and communities. It is my honor and privilege to be the President & CEO of this organization. I am proud of our impact, and grateful to all of you for helping us be successful by your participation, funding, support, and advocacy. Here's to many more years of making a difference in the lives of our children!

For the life of a child,

Sheila Boxley President & CEO

Last year, our funders helped us:

Conduct 12,500 home visits to high-need parents

Provide over **40,000** hours of training to AmeriCorps members, parents, caregivers, and community-based organizations Enroll **250** AmeriCorps members statewide who provided over **335,000** service hours.

Mentor **500** foster youth in valuable life skills, raising their high school graduation rate **24%** above the state average

Reduce sleep-related deaths of African American infants by **57%** from 2012-2017*

Train **900** parents and caregivers in infant safe sleep practices

Distribute **450** cribs to parents and caregivers

Provide **700** trainings to **600** unique agencies in **55** counties across the state

Train **6,000** family-strengthening workers statewide



Support **early education** and childhood development

Over **1,200** economically disadvantaged children started early childhood education programs. Over **900** showed gains in literacy skills.



National Recognition

The Child Abuse Prevention Council of Sacramento was selected by the **Department of Justice's** Office for Victims of Crime to **serve as one of only five** sites throughout the country participating in a three-year project aimed at reducing child abuse and neglect fatalities. The Child Abuse Prevention Council of Sacramento will engage in an analysis of ten years of child fatality and near fatality data to identify and respond to systemic challenges.

New Legislation

With support from the California Family Resource Association, **CA Senate Bill 436 was passed unanimously** by the state legislature and signed into law last year. The new law **formalizes Family Resource Centers** as a key delivery network of services that prevent child abuse and strengthen families throughout the state.

*Via the Safe Sleep Baby program

Child Abuse Prevention Center's Statewide Reach



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