

MADISON COUNTY

CHILDREN'S POLICY COUNCIL NEEDS ASSESSMENT 2020

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501(c)3 Status	Madison County
Is this CPC a 501(c)3?	No

NEEDS ASSESSMENT

The sections below relate to the needs of children ages birth to 19 in your community as well as the families of those children. Please find below your identified top needs for your new (2020) assessment and the information about those needs.

Ranking of Needs and Corresponding Data for 2020	
Early Care and Education Rank: 1	
Number of First-Class Pre-K classrooms in county:	86
Number of licensed childcare facilities:	126
Number of license-exempt childcare facilities:	59
Home Visiting access:	Our county has some access to such programs, but not enough.
Parental Involvement and Family Engagement Rank: 2	
Number of children in foster care:	437
Are there enough available placements for foster children in your county?	No
Mental Health Rank: 3	
How many inpatient beds are available in your county for children?	0
How many inpatient beds are available in your county for adults?	73
Which population has the greatest mental health need in your county?	55 years and older

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Below, is a list of your CPC's top accomplishments.

Accomplishment	50 families including 50 children, as they are first time parents, participated in the National Children's Advocacy's Center's Healthy Families North Alabama home visitation services. Healthy Families North Alabama's home visitation services are based on the nationally recognized Healthy Families America (HFA) model, an initiative of Prevent Child Abuse America. The NCAC also served another 160 families through their parenting programs (estimated 400 parent/children).
Who benefited from this accomplishment?	Approximately 555 parents and children
Amount of funds dedicated to this accomplishment?	
Source of funds for this accomplishment?	multiple grants were utilized for funding.
Accomplishment	Census 2020 Community Leaders Forum - January 28, 2020. The CLF provided assistance to local communities to increase participation in the Census 2020, which took place on April 1, 2020. The balance of the meeting was a facilitated discussion using a community café model where attendees were assigned a station and provided input on topics including : challenges for our community/county, assets/resources, funding, who's missing from the table, messengers, and solutions. The results from this meeting will provide actionable items and a work plan for local efforts to increase participation in Census 2020.
Who benefited from this accomplishment?	Community participants that attended the forum (29 in total)
Amount of funds dedicated to this accomplishment?	
Source of funds for this accomplishment?	legislatures approved \$1million statewide for a grassroots effort

Accomplishment	2nd Annual Firetrucks and Forklifts! Saturday, January 18, 2020 12-4:00pm "Let's take a closer look at those important vehicles in our community that keep us safe and build our cities. Come explore fire trucks, police cruisers, forklifts, dump trucks, excavators, and so much more while meeting the folks that operate those vehicles. If you ask nicely, you may be able to push a few buttons! The Camp will have INCREDIBLE food and drinks available for purchase while you and family enjoy the afternoon. Alchemy Coffee will be open serving delicious hot beverages. This is a free community event and great for all ages!"
Who benefited from this accomplishment?	Children and families of Madison County

Amount of funds dedicated to this accomplishment?	
Source of funds for this accomplishment?	Alzheimer's Association, Bessie K. Russell Public Library

Accomplishment	Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia Saturday, February 29, 2020 2-3:30pm "Learn about the difference between normal aging and dementia. Join us to learn about: The impact of Alzheimer's, The difference between Alzheimer's and dementia, Alzheimer's disease stages and risk factors, Current research and treatments available to address some symptoms, and Alzheimer's Association resources. Held at the Bessie K. Russell Branch Public Library and the event was free.
Who benefited from this accomplishment?	Families and Friends of individuals with Alzheimers
Amount of funds dedicated to this accomplishment?	
Source of funds for this accomplishment?	Alzheimer's Association, Bessie K. Russell Public Library
Accomplishment	First Lego League Alabama Championship Saturday, January, 25, 2020 11:30a-4:30pm. 36 teams from across the state of Alabama will compete in the FIRST LEGO League Alabama Championship. The competition focused on team-built robots and team-designed solution
Who benefited from this accomplishment?	Community and participants in the competition
Amount of funds dedicated to this accomplishment?	
Source of funds for this accomplishment?	Hampton Cove Middle School
Accomplishment	ACT Prep Classes (Free) January 19, 2020 and February 22, 2020 4-6pm Rocket City Learning Center
Who benefited from this accomplishment?	Students needs ACT prep classes
Amount of funds dedicated to this accomplishment?	
Source of funds for this accomplishment?	Rocket City Learning Center

Accomplishment	2nd Annual Legacy Charity Kickball Tournament Saturday, May 30, 2020 9am-6pm. Saturday, May 30, 2020, the 2nd annual charity kickball tournament and Community Block Party at Stoner Field will be held. This year we will be introducing a children's bracket
Who benefited from this accomplishment?	Community, Community Kitchen, Grandparents Raising Grandkids respite program
Amount of funds dedicated to this accomplishment?	
Source of funds for this accomplishment?	The Legacy Center