Our Head Start Annual Report is a critical tool in promoting transparency and keeping our stakeholders—including parents, community members, and policymakers—fully informed about the program's progress, goals, and accomplishments. Below are the strategies we use to ensure that the report is accessible and widely distributed:

- Website Posting
- Email Distribution
- Advisory Committee Meetings
  - (Education/Transition; Health/Mental Health/Nutrition)
- Board and Policy Council Meetings
- Office of Head Start
- PCI Early Learning Centers
- Administrative Offices

These strategies ensure that our Head Start Annual Report is widely accessible to the public, thus enhancing transparency and community engagement.



# ANNUAL REPORT

PARENT/CHILD INCORPORATED (PCI)
OF SAN ANTONIO & BEXAR COUNTY
February 18, 2025



PRESENTATION PRESENTER:

**Dr. Sharon Small**Chief Executive Officer/HS/EHS
Director, MEd, MA, PhD



"Growing San Antonio's Tomorrow...Today!"



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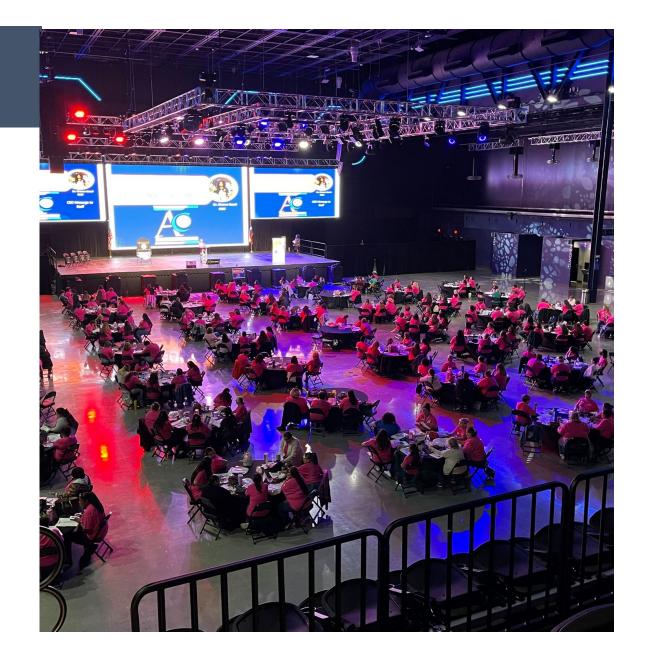
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# ABOUT US

#### Target Oriented

Parent/Child Incorporated, most often referred to as PCI, is a non-profit organization with the focus on the whole child, the whole family and the whole community. PCI offers several options for children that include, Early Head Start, Head Start, Early Head Start/Childcare Partnership and in the Licensed Child Day Care Homes program. PCI's extensive CACFP program, serve Early Head Start, Head Start, and unaffiliated child-care centers. We're very proud of the many programs we offer to our children and families in San Antonio and Bexar County.



# Mission

• The mission of Parent/Child Incorporated is to provide high-quality early childhood developmental and educational services in order to empower our children and their families, to become responsible citizens who value education and community.

# Vision

• Our vision is to provide the best quality child development program for all eligible children using the Head Start /Early Head Start Model which enables families, children, and staff to be empowered by creating a caring, safe and healthy environment that encourages learning and wellness.



# CEO MESSAGE

Dr. Sharon Small Chief Executive Officer/HS/EHS Director MEd, MA, PhD



# CEO MESSAGE



# CEO Message

Greetings and welcome to Parent/Child Incorporated's (PCI) Annual Report to the Public. As the Chief Executive Officer of Parent/Child Incorporated, I am honored to present our 18th Annual Report. This year, we also celebrate the 46th Anniversary of our agency. This year, our theme, *Accountability with Commitment*, underscores the foundation of our work and the guiding principles that shape everything we do at Parent/Child Incorporated.

As we reflect on the past year, we are filled with gratitude for the continued success of our Head Start and CACFP programs, which play a pivotal role in shaping the future of the children and families we serve. Together, we have made significant strides in providing quality early childhood education and ensuring that children receive nutritious meals to foster their growth and development.

In light of the attention placed on Head Start by the current administration, we are pleased to report that the state of our program is strong. We have not only maintained but also enhanced our commitment to providing exceptional services to our children and families. Our Head Start program has empowered young learners by offering comprehensive educational opportunities, health screenings, and family support services, all designed to create a strong foundation for lifelong success. Over the past year, we have reached new milestones in our efforts to increase access to early childhood education, fostering an environment of inclusivity and excellence.



# CEO Message

Though often understated, our CACFP program remains a cornerstone of our mission. It continues to nourish our children with balanced meals that promote both physical and cognitive growth. Through providing nutritious food and nutrition education, we are laying the groundwork for healthier lifestyles while reducing food insecurity within our community.

These accomplishments are the result of the dedicated efforts of our staff, volunteers, community partners, and the families who trust us to care for and educate their children. We are incredibly proud of what we've achieved together and are excited to continue building on this success in the year ahead.

In this report, you will find detailed information on the following:

- The total amount of public and private funds received
- An explanation of budgetary expenditures and the proposed budget for the fiscal year
- The total number of children and families served, the average monthly enrollment, and the percentage of eligible children served
- Results of the most recent review by the Secretary (2021) and the financial audit
- The percentage of enrolled children who received medical and dental exams
- Parent Involvement/Engagement activities
- Efforts to prepare children for kindergarten
- Other information required by the Secretary

# CEO Message

Thank you for your continued support and commitment to the health, education, and well-being of our youngest learners. We look forward to working with you to create even more opportunities for success in the future. The state of Parent/Child Incorporated is strong.

With appreciation,

Dr. Sharon Small
Chief Executive Officer
Parent/Child Incorporated
"PCI...Growing San Antonio's Tomorrow...Today!"



### THEME...

# Accountability with Commitment

**Accountability** refers to our responsibility to the children, families, and communities we serve. It means that we are committed to being transparent, evaluating our progress, and holding ourselves to the highest standards. We take responsibility for the outcomes of our programs, ensuring that the services we provide are effective, impactful, and aligned with our mission.

**Commitment** highlights the unwavering dedication of our staff, volunteers, and partners to making a positive difference in the lives of those we serve. It reflects our long-term vision for continuous improvement, even in the face of challenges. Our commitment is to provide the best possible care and education to our children, support their families, and contribute to the overall well-being of our community.

Together, *Accountability with Commitment* represents our promise to work diligently and with purpose to create opportunities for the success of every child and family in our programs. It's a reminder that we are not only responsible for what we do but are deeply devoted to the people we serve and the lasting impact we aim to make.



"PCL ACCOUNTABILITY WITH COMMITMENT!

# MILESTONES

# MILESTONES

- Promoted a Growth Mindset among staff, fostering continuous learning and adaptability.
- Reaffirmed our commitment to our Mission and Vision.
- Secured and maintained funding for five vital programs: Early Head Start, Head Start I, Early Head Start/Child Care Partnership, CACFP, and Head Start II.
- Implemented a Cost-of-Living Adjustment.
- Established a Safety Hub at Mainland and appointed a Safety Officer.

- Led recruitment initiatives to increase and maintain enrollment.
- Launched Mom-Net for parents, offering vital support and resources.
- Introduced an agency box truck for recruitment events and three transport vans for field trips.
- Graduated the Sixth Year Class of Leadership PCI and welcomed the Seventh Year Class for 2024-2025.
- Achieved a successful financial audit with no exceptions.
- Continued impactful initiatives such as Parents Ask – Understanding Disabilities One Question at a Time.
- Green Oak Learning Center obtained their Texas Rising Star accreditation, and we were able to enhance their toddler playground to include new structures

- Hosted a highly regarded CEO Convocation and Pre-Service event.
- Welcomed Green Oak Learning Center as the newest partner in our Early Head Start/Child Care Partnership program.
- Facilitated ongoing staff development, parent training, and transition meetings.
- Led community initiatives like the "Coats for Kids" program and the "We Are Not Mum for Head Start and Early Head Start" campaign.
- Male initiative Sign Up Tailgate Party
- Upcoming Science...Explore, Discover, and Play—Science Comes to Life Today at the Bandera Operations Facility!"



# Notable Moments

Rodeo for PCI







Happy 60th Birthday Head Start Signature Drive



Male Initiative Tailgate party/sign up drive

**UIW** Partnership







PCI Cookbook!



**Bingo Night** 

Parent Initiative Card



Male Initiative **Turkey Donations** Operations Thanksgiving **Trimming Donations** 





Cardboard Challenge



**HS Chess** Enrichment



Literacy Fall Festival at Kiddie Park



**Coats For Kids** 







**PCI Broadcast** 

**PCI KITE** 



Kite Festival

**Art Gallery** 

Solar Eclipse Week

**FESTIVAL** 









# Program Governance

#### **Governance Group**

PCI's Governance Group consists of the Board of Directors, the body that is legally and financially responsible for the agency; the Policy Council that is made up of parents and community members that are responsible for the direction of the Head Start and Early Head Start programs. The Chief Executive Officer/HS/EHS Director is responsible for the day-to-day operations for the Agency.



#### Formal Structure

The agency ensures a Formal Structure of Shared Governance through which parents can participate in policy making and other decisions about the program, to include membership on the policy council and the governing body. The Policy Council members are elected by their Parent Center Committees and the Policy Council elects a member from each Head Start Program represented to serve a one-year term on the Board of Directors.

#### **Composition Requirements**

The Board of Director's meets Head Start Performance Standards by meeting the composition requirements of having a licensed attorney familiar with issues that come before the governing body, members with a background and expertise in fiscal management or accounting, member with a background and expertise in early childhood education and development and a member that reflects the community to be served to include parents of children who are currently enrolled in PCI's Head Start programs.

#### Financial

The agency is financially sound in all programs and the Governance Groups are provided financial statements and audits as conducted and completed, in addition to reviewing and approving the submission of funding applications.

# Board Of Directors



**Michael Latimer** 

**Board President** 



Rafael Rodriguez

Secretary Treasurer



**Ernest Mendoza** 

Nora Rodriguez

Board Member/Head Start Parent Representative

Kieshon Duncan

Board Member/Early Head Start Parent Representative



Board Member- Education/ Community

### POLICY COUNCIL

#### **Policy Council Members**

Monica Aranda, President Leianna Bell, Secretary Nora Rodriguez, Treasurer Kieshon Duncan, Parliamentarian/Chaplain The Policy Council is a governing body comprised of parents of children enrolled in each program option. In addition, the council also includes community representatives who are recommended by the CEO and voted in by the Policy Council.







#### **Program Performance Summary Report**

To: Authorizing Official/Board Chairperson

Mr. Michael Latimer Parent Child Incorporated 7815 Mainland Dr

San Antonio, TX 78250 - 5150

From: Responsible HHS Official

Date: 05/10/2021

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On behalf of Dr. Bernadine Futrell Director, Office of Head Start

From March 15, 2021 to March 19, 2021, the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) conducted a Focus Area Two (FA2) monitoring review of the Parent Child Incorporated Head Start and Early Head Start programs. This report contains information about the grantee's performance and compliance with the requirements of the Head Start Program Performance Standards (HSPPS) or Public Law 110-134, *Improving Head Start for School Readiness Act of 2007*.

The Office of Head Start (OHS) would like to thank your governing body, policy council, parents, and staff for their engagement in the review process. Based on the information gathered during this review, we have found your program meets the requirements of all applicable HSPPS, laws, regulations, and policy requirements.

Please contact your Regional Office for guidance should you have any questions or concerns. Your Regional Office will follow up on the content of this report and can work with you to identify resources to support your program's continuous improvement.

# **Executive Team**





Debra Bedoy

**Executive Assistant** 



Natalie Diaz

**Chief Financial Officer** 



Joe Segura

Compliance Officer/Special Service Coordinator

# Executive Team



Diana Vogt

**Human Resource Coordinator** 



Janie Castillo

CACFP Nutrition Service Manager



Lisa Walker

**Education Coordinator** 

### Interim Operations Coordinators



**Candace Collins** 



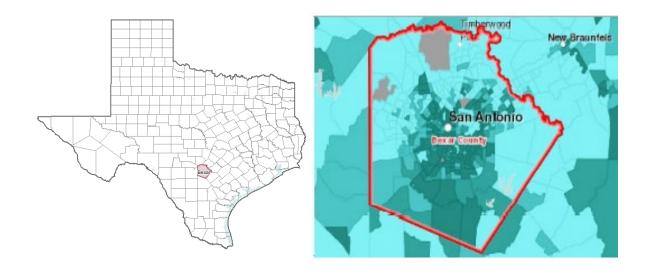
Catherine Padilla-Ortas

# Community Assessment

# Community Assessment

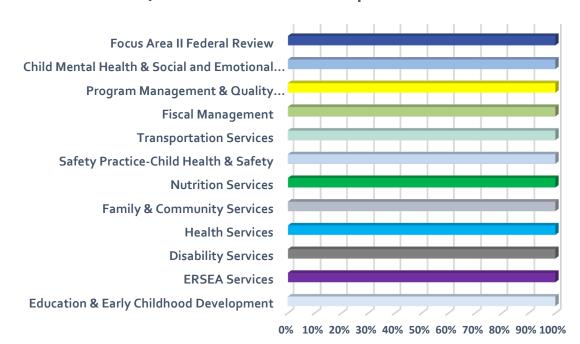
#### SPECIAL PROJECTS COMMUNITY ASSESSMENT

Parent/Child Incorporated Community Assessment utilizes data that highlights that the areas in which Parent/Child Incorporated is providing services are high need areas when it comes to poverty levels, health and environmental factors and poor early childhood educational opportunities.



# Self Assessment

#### 2024 Self-Assessment Compliance Results

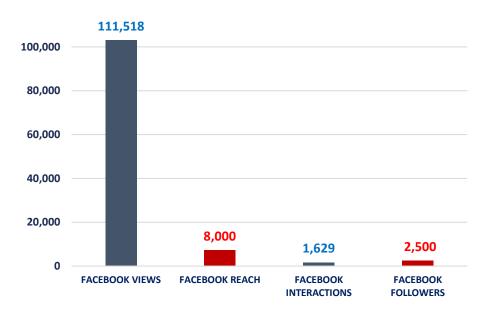


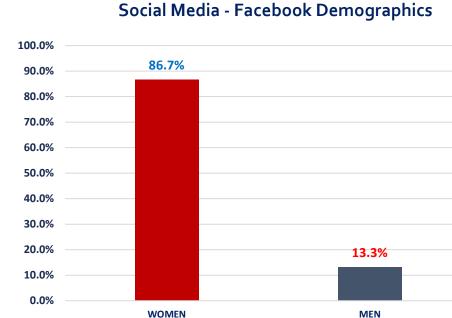


# Communications/ Technology

# Communication







#### Website

• No Data Analytics

#### Instagram

• Followers - 137

#### YouTube

- 82 Subscribers
- 216 Videos
- Views: 191

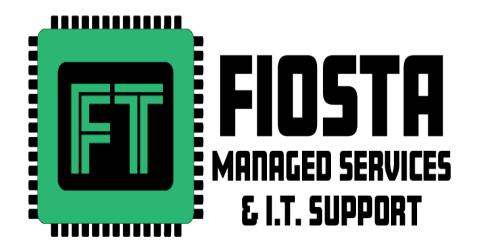
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• Followers - 61

#### **EZ Texting**

• 997

# Technology



Windows Workstations: 180



Employees: 257

Employee Demographic/ Gender:

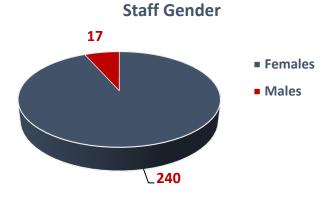
Females 240 Males 17

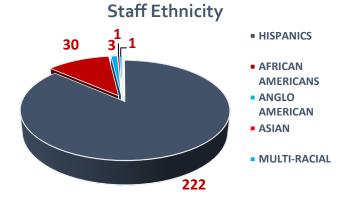
#### **Ethnicity:**

222 Hispanics

30 African Americans

- 3 Anglo Americans
- 1 Asian
- 1 Multi-Racial





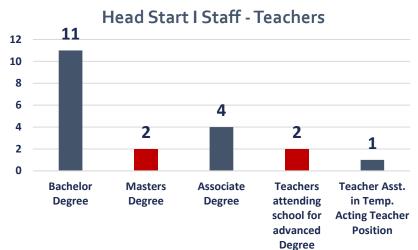




#### **Teachers**

- 11 Teachers with a Bachelors' Degree
- 2 Teachers with a Master's Degree
- 4 Teachers with an Associate Degree
- 2 Teachers attending school for an advanced degree
- 1 Teacher Assistant in temporary acting Teacher position



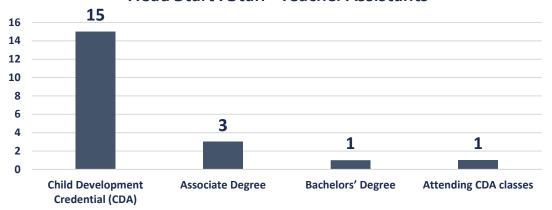




#### **Teachers Assistant**

- 15 Teacher Assistants with a Child Development Associate (CDA)
- 3 Teacher Assistants with an Associate Degree
- 1 Teacher Assistants with a Bachelors' Degree
- 1 Teacher Assistants attending CDA classes

#### Head Start I Staff - Teacher Assistants

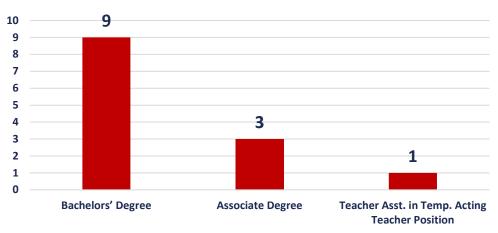


#### **Head Start Grant II Staff**

#### Teachers

- 9 Teachers with a Bachelors' Degree
- 3 Teachers with an Associate Degree
- 1 Teacher Assistant in temporary acting teacher position

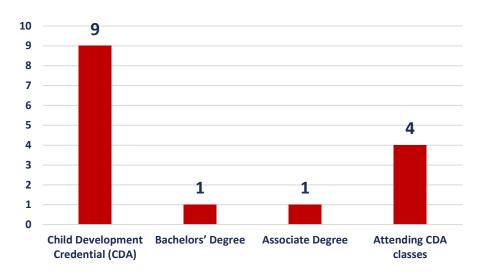
#### **Head Start II Staff - Teachers**



#### **Teachers Assistant**

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- 1 Teacher Assistant with a Bachelors' Degree
- 1 Teacher Assistant with an Associate Degree
- 4 Teacher Assistants attending CDA classes

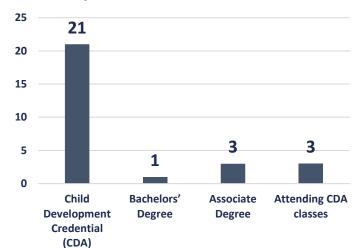
#### **Head Start II Staff - Teacher Assistants**



#### **Early Head Start Staff**

- 21 Teachers with a Child Development Associate (CDA)
- 1 Teacher with a Bachelors' Degree
- 3 Teachers with an Associate Degree
- 3 Teachers attending CDA classes

#### Early Head Start I Staff - Teachers

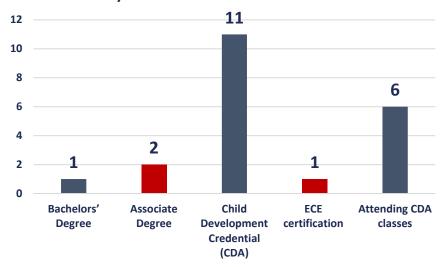




#### **Early Head Start II**

- 1 Teacher with a Bachelors' Degree
- 11 Teachers with a Child Development Associate
- 2 Teachers with an Associate Degree
- 1 Teacher with an ECE certification
- 6 Teachers attending CDA classes

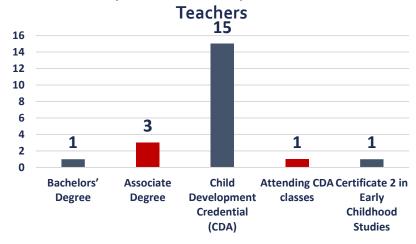
#### Early Head Start II Staff - Teachers



#### Early Head Start Expansion/CCP

- 15 Teachers with a Child Development Associate (CDA)
- 3 Teachers with an Associate Degree
- 1 Teacher with a Bachelors' Degree
- 1 Teacher with a Certificate 2 in Early Childhood Studies
- 1 Teacher attending CDA classes

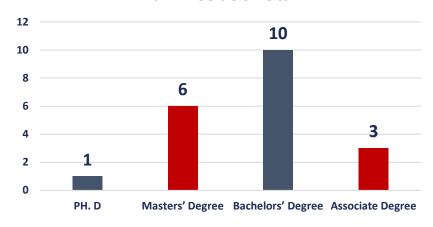
#### Early Head Start Expansion/CCP



#### **Administration Staff**

- 1 Administrator with a PH. D.
- 6 Administrators with a Masters' Degree 10 Administrators with a Bachelors' Degree
- 3 Administrators with an Associate Degree

#### **Administration Staff**





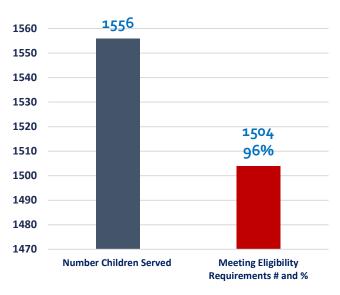




# Operations

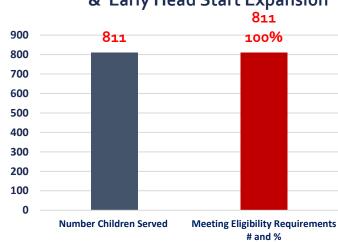
# Operations Family Service

#### Head Start I and Head Start II

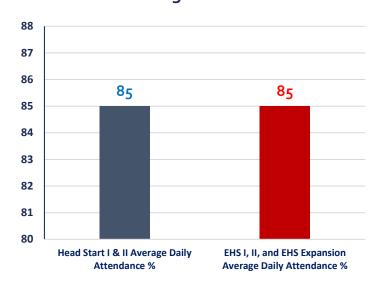


Early Head Start I, Early Head Start II

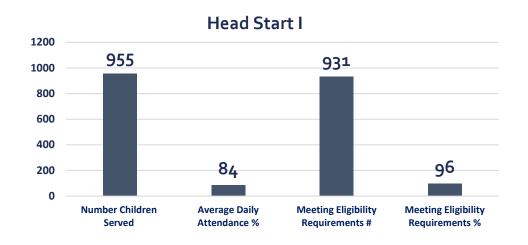




#### Average Daily Attendance Per **Program**

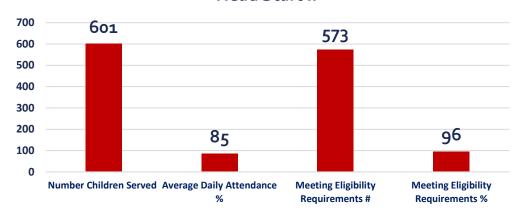


### Operations Family Service



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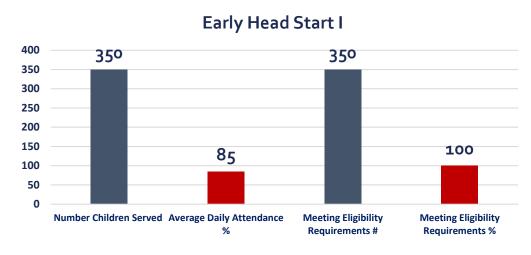
#### Head Start II

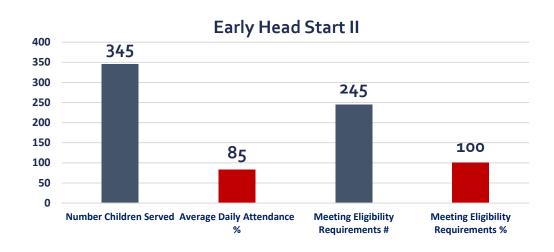


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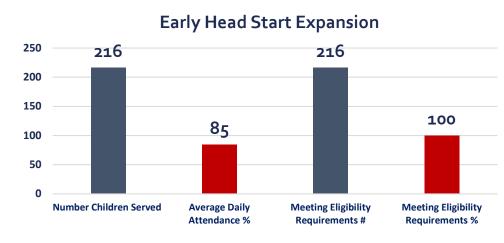


### Operations Family Service



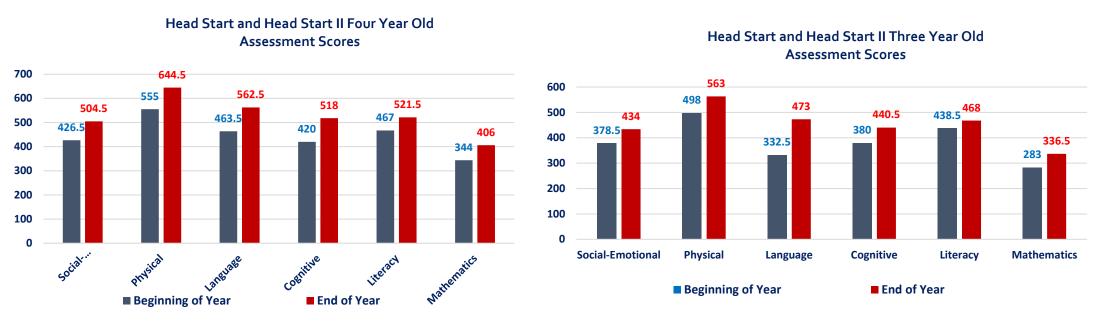






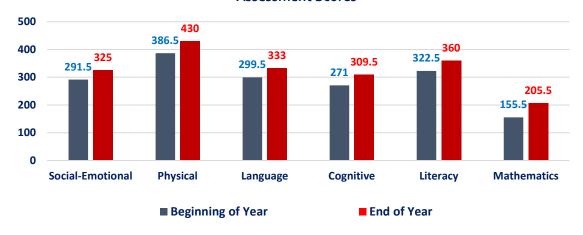


Head Start/Head Start Grantee II/Early Head Start/Early Head Start Grantee II/Early Head Start Expansion/Childcare Partnership

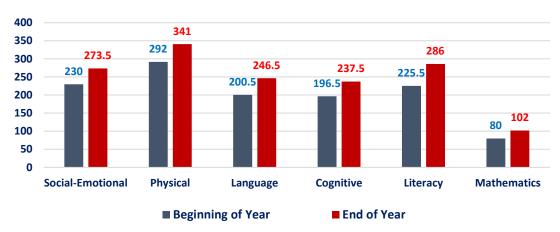


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Early Head Start, Early Head Start II, Early Head Start Expansion, and Child Care Partnership Two Year Old Assessment Scores

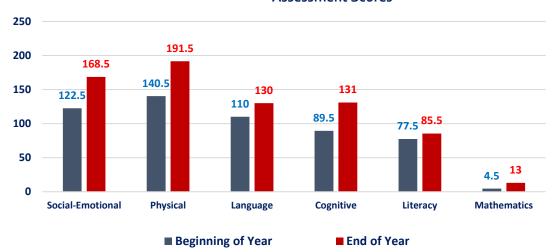


#### Early Head Start, Early Head Start II, Early Head Start Expansion, and Child Care Partnership One Year Old Assessment Scores



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#### Early Head Start, Early Head Start II, Early Head Start Expansion, and Child Care Partnership Birth to One Year Old Assessment Scores



The graphs show data for the 2023-2024 school year for our Birth to One-Year-Old children, comparing the Beginning of the Year and End of the Year results for all children assessed. They display the average percentage of children identified as "PROFICIENT" at both points in time. The biggest improvement in PROFICIENCY was seen in **Physical Development** from Birth to One-Year-Olds. **Physical Development** emphasizes both fine and gross motor skills, helping children develop coordination, strength, and physical health. However, **Mathematics** is the area that **Needs Improvement** though progress was made. This domain supports the development of early math skills such as counting, pattern recognition, and understanding shapes and measurements. These scores identify training needs for ongoing training for teaching staff. There isn't a specific Beginning of the Year benchmark because children join the program at different times during the year. The program's strong point is maintaining fidelity in assessment procedures to ensure that all children are evaluated properly.







# EHS/CC Partnership

## EHS/CC Partnership

Total Number of partnership sites: 3

Total number of Children served: 189

Total number of Teacher Trainings Conducted: 9

Percentage of Eligible Children Served: 100%

Total number of teachers with bachelors: 1, with CDA: 18, and 10 teachers working on a CDA

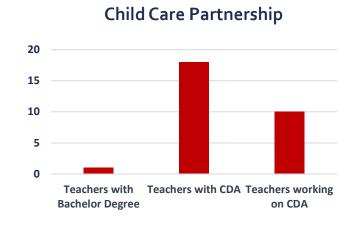
Average Daily Attendance for February 2024-January 2025: 84%

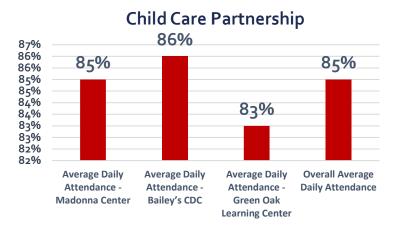
Madonna Center: 85%

Bailey's Child Development Center: 86%

Green Oak Learning Center: 83%

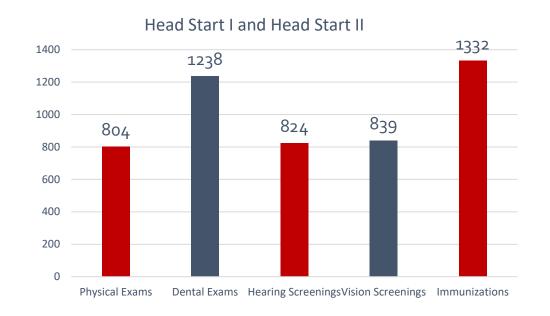


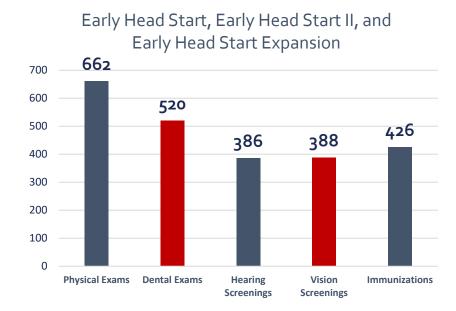




# Compliance

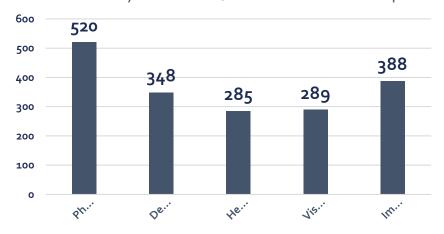
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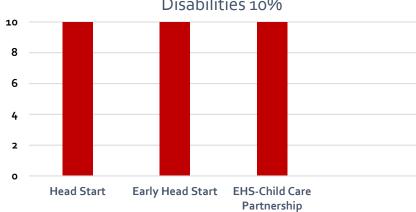


## Compliance

#### Early Head Start/ Child Care Partnership



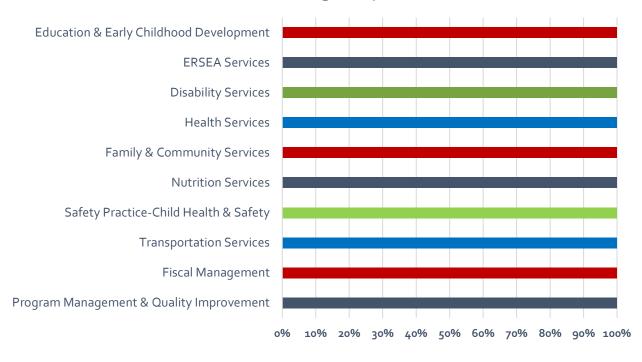
Disabilities/Mental Health Services 2/2024-1/2025 Disabilities 10%





### Compliance Services

#### 2024-2025 Monitoring Compliance Results





# CACFP/DAY HOMES

#### Fiscal Year February 1, 2024 - January 31, 2025

#### **Head Start Meals**

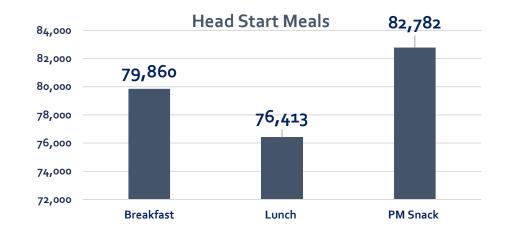
 Breakfast
 79,860

 Lunch
 76,413

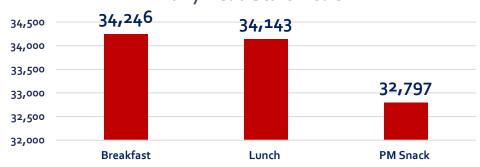
 PM Snack
 82,782

#### **Early Head Start Meals**

Breakfast 34,246 Lunch 34,143 PM Snack 32,797



#### **Early Head Start Meals**

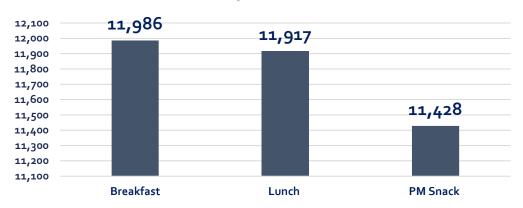




#### **EHS Expansion Meals**

Breakfast 11,986 Lunch 11,917 PM Snack 11,428

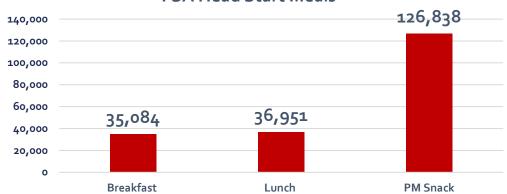
#### **EHS Expansion Meals**



#### **FSA Head Start Meals**

Breakfast 35,084 Lunch 35,951 PM Snack 126,838

#### **FSA Head Start Meals**



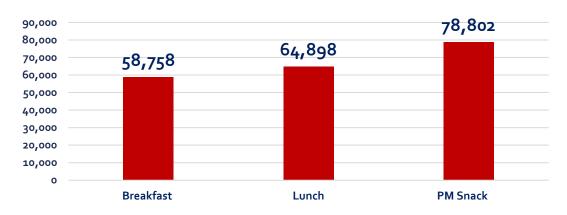
#### **Unaffiliated Meals**

 Breakfast
 58,758

 Lunch
 64,898

 PM Snack
 78,802

#### **Unaffiliated Independent Child Care Centers**



\*\*PCI currently serves nutritious meals to 40 sites throughout the San Antonio area.

#### Day Care Homes Total meals Served for Year

 Breakfast
 57,425

 AM Snack
 6,665

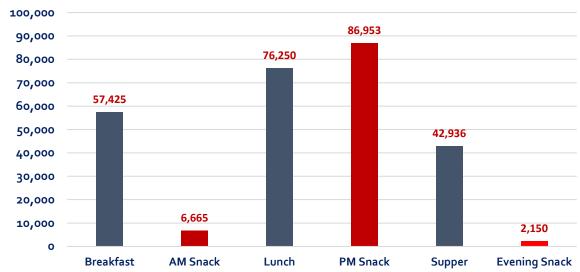
 Lunch
 76,250

 PM Snack
 86,953

Supper 42,936

Evening Snack 2,150

#### Day Care Homes Total Meals Served for Year





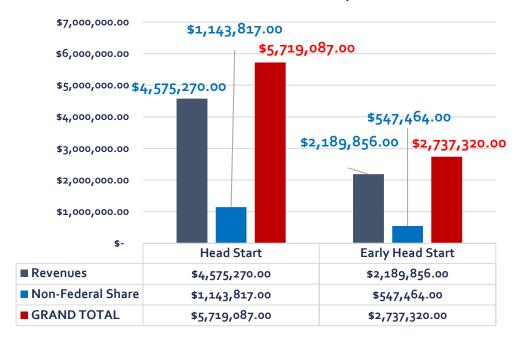
### DAY HOMES

Month	Breakfast	AM Snack	Lunch	PM Snack	Supper	Evening Snack
February 2024	4,999	545	6,317	7,698	3,730	188
March 2024	4,885	550	6,520	7,389	3,625	208
April 2024	5,349	546	6,491	7,929	3,757	221
May 2024	5,328	631	6,713	8,083	4,024	207
June 2024	4,956	595	7,579	7,348	3,364	175
July 2024	5,304	642	8,276	7,857	3,614	197
August 2024	5,174	596	7,110	7,557	3,726	221
September 2024	4,454	449	5,275	6,819	3,543	213
October 2024	4,806	568	5,917	7,574	3,910	120
November 2024	3,994	464	5,122	6,196	3,263	143
December 2024	4,161	555	5,530	6,372	3,264	123
January 2025						
(projected)	4,015	524	5,400	6,131	3,116	134
TOTALS	57,425	6,665	76,250	86,953	42,936	2,150

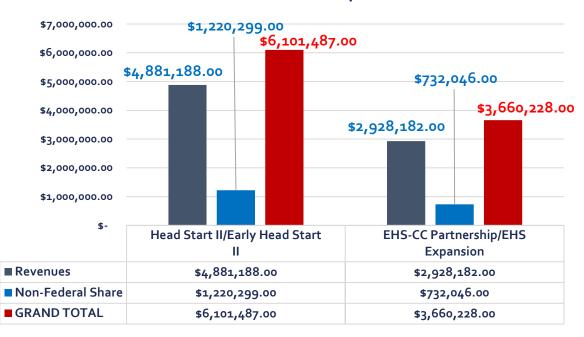
Parent/Child Incorporated currently provides nutritional services to children from birth to 12 years of age enrolled in Day Care Homes throughout San Antonio and counties surrounding Bexar County



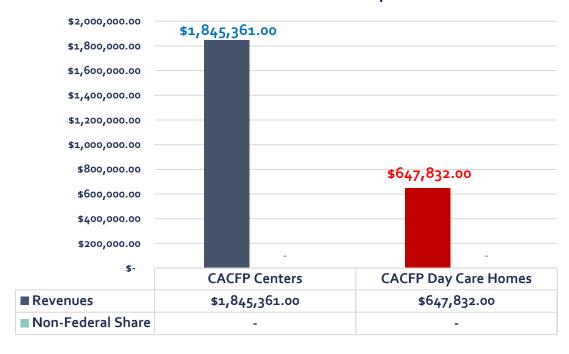
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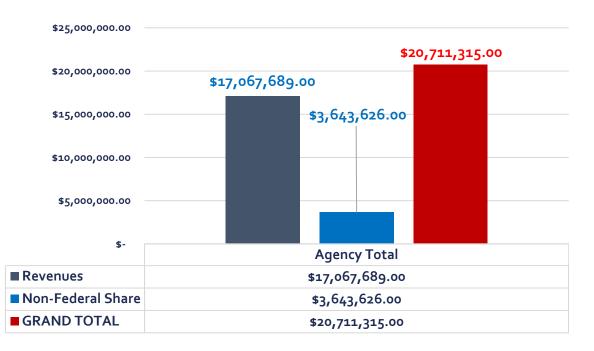
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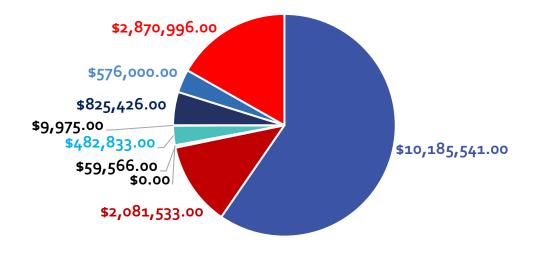
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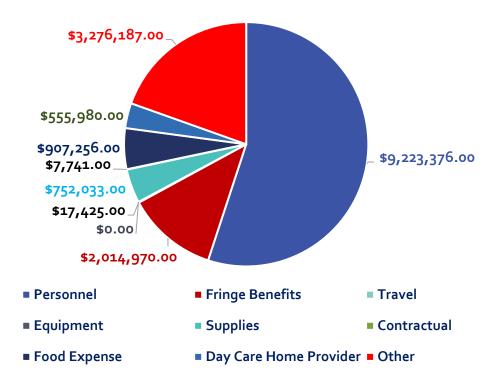




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- Equipment
- Food Expense

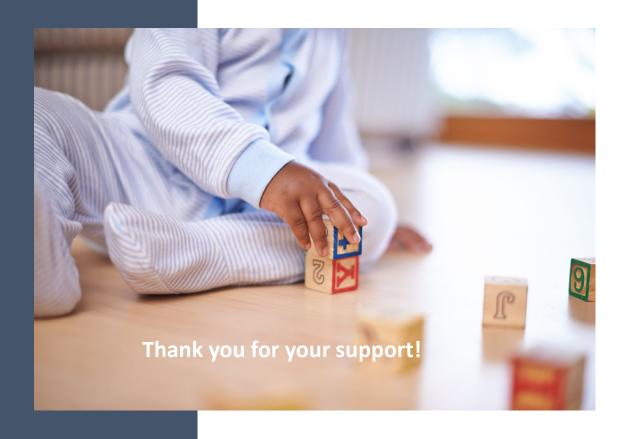
- **■** Fringe Benefits
- Supplies
- Day Care Home Provider
- Travel
- Contractual
- Other

Fiscal Annual Unaudited Report Fiscal Year
February 1, 2024 thru January 31, 2025 Expenditures - \$16,754,968



"I'm a success, and I know why my motto is to try, try, try to do and be my very best That is why, I'm a success!" – Dr. Sharon Small





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