

Annual Report 2015-2016

The pathway to life-long learning begins with quality early education.

The **mission** of Childcare Resources is to make quality care and education of children happen by providing information, education and assistance to families, providers of child care and the community.

Our **VISION** is that quality child care will be available and affordable to all families who need it.

Resource and Referral

501 families searched for child care for 601 children

92% of families used customized listing to search for child care

45,858 child care referrals made to families

"As a single parent, putting my child in a good, safe, and great learning environment has been my first priority. I work long hours and my daughter's school is like her second home. With the help of Childcare Resources, my daughter is able to attend a quality program while I go to work each day." -- Financial Assistance Recipient



Top Employment Sectors

39% healthcare

16% financial/banking

14% retail/sales

8% education

Financial Assistance

Families saved approximately

170 families received assistance for29% of their child care costs

178 children

Parent Education @ Work

62 parents of **74** children participated in learning sessions

75% of participants attended
6 out of 10 sessions

Training and Technical Assistance

207 training sessionstotaling 541 training hours

Average **22-point** increase in knowledge on pre- and post-test scores

100% of technical assistance recipients achieved 100% of quality improvement in goals





Early Learning Resource Library and Van

72 programs received visits from the van

7,924 books and materials distributed to 480 patrons



"After attending training at Childcare Resources, I feel confident to go back to the center and implement new ideas in my classroom. I enjoy learning best practices whether it is creative art, positive guidance or how to communicate with parents." -- Preschool Teacher

Financial Information



