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Mental Health and Prevention Work

Supporting the children of Appalachia Ohio



MISSION

Our mission is to improve the health and well-being of our region's children. Through collective advocacy and strategic investments, we aim for a future where every child has access to the care that they require at home, in school, and in their communities.





Workforce Hub



- **\$530,000+** has been invested into affiliated organizations to impact recruitment/retention/development

- Certification/Licensure prep and exam costs
- Tuition Reimbursement
- Training for Development
- Creation of “Recharge Rooms”
- Recruitment/Retention Bonuses

- Support for High School Students/Adult Education

- Career Coaching Program
- \$1500 per semester (up to 2 semesters)
- Approx. 70 High School Students served
- Approx. 80 adult education support seekers served

- Higher Education Investments

- Investments for collaboration between higher ed institutions
- Investments for innovative education pilots

Prevention



The MAP Forward Project

Pilot project in Athens City Schools

Tammy Baumgartel from Albany Counseling Services

Neurosequential Model of Therapy

Trauma-Informed Tier II Trainings
Beyond the ACES: Next Steps

Integrated into their PBIS System

Brain Mapping support for Tier III children



Developing Support

Utilizing data from ODE and developing survey for Superintendents to get more in-depth information

Increasing Certified Prevention Specialists in schools and region

Having Prevention Education in ALL schools in region

Technical Assistance for starting Youth-Led Prevention

Support for implementing programming





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