Family economic security contributes to childhood developmental outcomes

$1.3 BILLION
in public funding is spent annually on children 0-5 in Fresno County in eight key service areas

$13,927
average per child age 0-5 spent annually in 8 areas of public funding in Fresno County

$12,238
average per child age 6-18 spent annually in just 2 areas, education and MediCal

AFFORDABLE HOUSING
is a major issue for families

ONLY 5.2%
of those who apply for housing vouchers to assist with rent receive them

ONLY 58%
of those were able to find housing (2017)

Our children are highly diverse, urban and rural, and primarily of color

Children Living Below Poverty Level by Race/Ethnicity

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<th>Ethnicity</th>
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<td>Am. Indian or Alaskan</td>
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<td>Hawaiian or Pac. Island.</td>
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<td>White (non-Hispanic)</td>
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Our children ages 0 - 5 (2018)

93,340

51,208
55%
children from working families

41,530
44.5%
children 0 - 5 living in poverty

282,393
all children ages 0 - 18

55%

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Fresno County Landscape
A call to do more and better for our youngest and most vulnerable children
Parents cite affordable CHILD CARE with hours that meet their schedule as their top need.

16,327 subsidized child care spaces now available from public sources (2017)

1,679 infant/toddler subsidized spaces are available (5% of the total 0-2 population)

25,000-50,000 is the estimated shortage of spaces for 0-5 age child care and early learning sites

Early Head Start and Home Visitation

2.4% of children eligible for Early Head Start are enrolled in Fresno County (8% in CA)

2,402 age 0-5 children/families are served by all home visiting programs in Fresno County

The annual cost of child care in either a family care home or a licensed care center in 2014 was more than today’s tuition at Fresno State

$12,094
$7,858
$8,220
$7,229
$6,687

annual cost
Infant care licensed center
Infant care in-home
Preschool licensed center
Preschool in-home
Fresno State full-time tuition (2019)
### HEALTH BRIGHT SPOTS

- **Health insurance enrollment**: 97% (2016)
- **Immunization rates**: 96% (2017)

### Other health issues remain...

| FOOD SECURITY | 26.2% of all children are food insecure | 56% of parents in Q4 2018 cited lack of affordable access to nutritious food |

| PRETERM BIRTHS | 10.5% is the leading cause of poor health, disabilities, and death for infants |
| Preterm Birth Rate Fresno County (2015) | 8.5% CA |
| African-American babies are 2 times higher than white babies |

| MATERNAL EDUCATION | 23.9% of females have no high school diploma or have less than a 9th grade education |

| MATERNAL MENTAL HEALTH | Research shows 1 in 5 of all new mothers and as many as half of those living in poverty could experience maternal depression |
| It is possible that 4,372 Fresno County mothers living in poverty could benefit from mental health care annually |

| ASHTMA | For children 0 - 4 age, the number of emergency room visits and hospitalizations is double the number for California |

### ASHTMA

- Number of emergency room visits and hospitalizations is double for children 0 - 4 age, compared to California.
Early Childhood Development Affects Later Outcomes

2017 - 2018 Outcomes

- 47% 3RD GRADE Proficiency in English Language Arts
- 30% 8TH GRADE Proficiency in Math
- 47% Obtain ASSOCIATES DEGREE/Certificate or transfer to a 4-year school within 5 years
- 9% PRETERM BIRTHS
- 81.5% GRADUATE HIGH SCHOOL
- 54% Obtain BA/BA DEGREE within 6 years

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