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PREVENTION PROGRAMS

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Promoting Safe and Stable Families – (PSSF)

The Promoting Safe and Stable Families Program (PSSF) is a community-based family support and preservation program which provides consultation services to families who are “at risk or in crisis” due to one or a combination of stressors that may lead to child maltreatment.

The consultation process engages and guides parents and their family through a self-assessment tool, supporting the identification of potential and presenting risk factors. The family engages in the completion of a family drive planning process to address their core concerns and needs, identifying formal and informal support systems to successfully accomplish the family established goals increasing the family protective factor in providing safe and stable family environment. DPBHS contracts with First State Community Action Agency (*New Castle, Kent & Sussex County*), Connection in Sussex County and Jewish Family Services of Delaware (*New Castle County*), in order to provide this program within a community-based setting statewide. *Funded by Title IVb, Subpart 2.

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Delaware Fatherhood & Family Coalition – (DFFC)

Delaware Fatherhood & Family Coalition is an extension of the Promoting Safe and Stable Families Program and the Responsible Fatherhood Initiative created specifically to give a voice to fathers and the importance of their involvement for the well-being of their children. The DFFC believes in the power of fatherhood and families where children’s safety is not at risk.

The DFFC is an advocacy coalition with diverse and unified membership. The DFFC infrastructure was created to develop platforms to address social barriers and challenges that prevent fathers from being involved in raising their child (ren). The membership is made up of parents, community leaders, grass-root, service, State, interfaith and community-based organizations. The coalition connects multiple sectors of the community in a comprehensive approach, continuously develops partners, trains and educated to achieve real outcomes. *Funded by Title IVb, Subpart 2.

**For more information contact: admin@dffcads.org or (855) 733-3232*

Child Development Watch – (CDW)

In collaboration with Public Health, PBHS staff assist DFS clients in CDW. This early intervention program is for children ages birth to 3. The program’s mission is to enhance the development of infants and toddlers with disabilities or developmental delays and to enhance the capacity of their families to meet the needs of their young children.

**For more information contact: (Kent & Sussex Counties 302-424-7300; New Castle County (302) 283-7140)*

The Intensive Family Consultation Service – (IFC)

Intensive Family Consultation is an intervention services designed to support families who are experiencing more complex issues in their lives. These multiple complex needs are associated with **parent /child conflict, substance abuse, family instability associated with homelessness, single parent stressor and isolation, blended family stressors, unresolved mental health needs, absence of supports and resources, etc.** IFC Services uses a team approach to assist the family in creating opportunities to acquire competencies that will permit them to mobilize supports necessary to cope, adapt, and grow in response to life's many challenges and empower families by giving them the tools needed to . . .

- Care for and protect their children
- Improve their family functioning
- Build connections to various support networks within their community
- Self-Advocate

IFC Services are provided statewide by the DPBHS staff.

**For more information contact: Regina Johnson (302) 633-2572*

Separating and Divorcing Parent Education Program (SDPE)

On July 18, 1996, Delaware passed a law mandating divorcing parents with children up to age 17 to attend a parenting education course. Additionally, this course will specifically provide information regarding domestic violence, its prevention and effect upon children. For reference, see attached, Senate Bill 288, Title 13, Section 1507 of the Delaware Code, subsection (h) as signed by the Governor Thomas R. Carper. All programs must be certified by the Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families, Division of Prevention and Behavioral Health Services (DPBHS). The law also states that persons with a history of domestic violence must complete a program specifically addressing those issues. The goal of this program is to help educate parents of the effects upon their children of divorce/separation and to help both parties minimize the harmful effects on their children, whenever possible.

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Substance Abuse Block Grant (SABG)

*Supports funding for universal targeted substance abuse prevention services. *Please contact Yvonne Bunch (302) 633-2513 for more information on the SABG.*

Botvin Life Skills

The Botvin Life Skills Training Program is free for Delaware students 8-14 years old. This comprehensive and exciting program facilitated by the University of Delaware provides adolescents and young teens with the confidence and skills necessary to successfully handle challenging situations. Program sessions are delivered statewide at self-identified schools and community centers. Currently there are two participating sites in Kent County, Holy Cross School and the Dover Air Force Base 4H

Club. The Botvin Life Skills Program is always seeking additional sites to deliver this program. Interested schools and community centers can contact, Lindsay Hughes, Cooperative Extension Educator, directly at (302)856-2585 x 523.

**For more information contact: Yvonne Bunch (302) 633-2513*

Community Assessment and Coalition Capacity Building

The Delaware Prevention Coalition (DPC) is a statewide collaborative group designed to build and strengthen the capacity of community partners to create, safe, healthy drug-free communities. They implement a comprehensive statewide prevention effort to promote wellness and reduce alcohol, tobacco, and other drug abuse in the State of Delaware. Currently, the Greater Dover Boys and Girls Club serve as the Kent County site for DPC activities. Bellevue Community Center serves as the New Castle County site and 1st State Community Action Agency serves as the Sussex site. Local communities and potential partners can contact the DPC coordinator, at West End Neighborhood House directly for more information at (302) 658-4171.

Lunch and Learn Program

The Delaware Prevention Coalition's (DPC) Lunch and Learn Program is held during the scheduled lunch periods within the school's cafeteria. Tables are set up exhibiting and disseminating factual information pertaining to alcohol and other abusive substances. Lunch and Learn is a beneficial program for the schools, as it does not take away from the normal classroom time or having to conduct extracurricular activities that can be costly; it is intended to spread positive prevention messages to the students.

The Lunch and Learn Program is very informative and interactive. The program ensures that information and brochures concerning the effects of alcohol in the body, the mind and the family are distributed. Discussions pertaining to binge drinking, laws, and risky behaviors are just a few of the topics that are mentioned. The Lunch and Learn Program impacts the student body, with the essence of the program to give the student the opportunity to engage in discussions without being embarrassed and a time to change their minds and also convince them that what they have experienced and/or learned from their friends may not be safe or factual. Please contact West End Neighborhood House directly for more information at (302) 658-4171.

Youth Prevention Frontliners Committee

They are increasing involvement and engagement in Youth Prevention Frontliners Committee through leadership activities for the coalition. The

Prevention Frontliners are students encouraged to support adult staff in each school district to lead and promote student advocacy groups. This helps the youth to create something that is theirs and it provides recognition for committee members. It also creates an increase in reception of prevention messaging if they are providing the message to peers through media and at gatherings such as the Annual Teen Summit. Please contact West End Neighborhood House directly for more information at (302) 658-4171.

****For more information contact: Yvonne Bunch (302) 633-2513***

Resource Center (Pamphlets and Brochures)

Universal intervention services are provided through the Division of Prevention and Behavioral Health Resource Center which disseminate thousands of informational pamphlets on topics including, but not limited to: child development, separation and divorce/successful co-parenting strategies, parenting skills/tips, fatherhood, stress, drug and alcohol prevention, skill building, substance abuse, bullying, mental health, coping, budgeting, child abuse, violence prevention, and a host of other topics. These materials are distributed to individuals and organizations across the state free of charge. A resource order form is provided to the individual or organization that desires to receive some materials, typically through email or fax.

The Resource Center reached out to more than 65 agencies in Delaware to assist them in building their resource areas by delivering informational pamphlets. These agencies represent schools, daycares, Head Start and early childhood centers, community centers, hospitals, universities and colleges, faith-based organizations and state organizations. Some of the organization/agency names include: Elsmere Police Department, Boys & Girls Club, Catholic Charities, Family Court, Christiana Care, Big Brothers & Big Sisters, New Beginnings, etc.

The Resource Center continues to contract with the Channing-Bete Company to manage the inventory of booklets and to direct ship materials to individuals and organizations throughout the state. The Resource Center is currently putting forth a stronger effort towards the awareness of alcohol, tobacco, prescription drug, and other drug prevention.

****For more information contact: Christopher Miller (302) 892-6440***

Families and Centers Empowered Together – (FACET)

(FACET) is a family engagement, family support and empowerment program located in six diverse Early Learning Centers. The program is designed to strengthen families through educational and life-enhancing /stress relieving activities, and other support services within the community. These non-threatening, family enhancing activities and support services are chosen by the parents themselves through a parent council designed to promote their involvement and give them control over the program. Through FACET, families of preschool age children are strengthened through activities designed to build community relationships, improve parenting skills, increase self-esteem and a sense of control, and reduce stress. FACET follows the belief that to do the best we can for children; we must

support and strengthen their families and communities. The formula is simple: parents who possess a sense of fulfillment not only feel good about themselves and their family life, but also become better parents.

There are four FACET Providers in New Castle County which include The Kingswood Community Center, The Latin American Community Center, Mary E. Herring Child Care Center, and The Little Futures Learning Academy. Each of these sites are located in the City of Wilmington. In Kent County, the FACET Provider Sites include The Tender Hearts Learning Center, and The Children's First Learning Center.

****For more information contact: Carmella Giddins-Jones (302) 892-6419***

Project LAUNCH

Delaware Project LAUNCH (Linking Actions for Unmet Needs in Children's Health) aims to promote the wellness of young children from birth to 8 years by addressing the physical, social, emotional, cognitive, and behavioral aspect of their development. The coordination of child-serving systems and the integration of behavioral and physical health services drive this work to ensure children are thriving in safe, supportive environments and entering school ready to learn. Additionally, the work advances Delaware's shared vision for the wellness of young children as outlined in *Sustaining Early Success: Delaware's Strategic Plan for a Comprehensive Early Childhood System*.

Delaware Project LAUNCH focuses on neighborhoods that are feeder patterns for Warner Elementary and Shortlidge Academy. These Communities long identified with multiple environmental risk factors and gaps in services and supports for youth children, birth to 8 years, and their families. These communities are areas of high poverty have experienced high crime and violence and have few, if any high quality early care and education programs.

There are five core prevention and promotion strategies identified by SAMHSA for Project LAUNCH:

- ❖ Screening and assessment in a range of child-serving settings
- ❖ Integration of behavioral health into primary care
- ❖ Mental Health consultation in early care and education
- ❖ Enhanced home visiting with a focus on social and emotional well-being
- ❖ Family strengthening and parent skills training

****For more information contact: Mary Moor (302) 781-3212 or Mindy Webb at (302) 668-5468***

Early Childhood Mental Health Consultation – (ECMHC)

ECMHC is a free service and partnership with providers of early care and education programs that is effective in addressing and supporting young children's social and emotional development in early care and education settings (2-5 years old). All consultants are licensed mental health professionals with experience working in early learning settings.

For more information please contact Mary Moor (302) 781-3212

Youth Suicide Prevention Initiatives

Under the Garret Lee Smith (GLS) grant we are trainings professionals on the Suicide Prevention and Resource Center's (SPRC) curriculum called Assessing and Managing Suicide RISK (AMSR), presenting at workshops to school personnel and the public on suicide, trained family crisis therapists in elementary schools on suicide prevention, working on a campaign to reduce stigma and provide social marketing on texting. This effort integrates suicide screening into primary care medicine practices, and working with the Behavioral Health Consultants in middle schools on risk screening for suicide using a web based tool.

For a Risk Assessment call the **Child Priority Response Hotline: 1-800-969-4357 (HELP) – 24 hours/day, 7 days/week. Or Text DE to 741741**

**For general information, referral and routine intake please call 1-800-722-7710*

Behavioral Health Consultants (BHC's)

The Behavioral Health Services initiative was designed to allow licensed mental health professionals (BHC's) to provide brief mental health services to students in middle schools throughout Delaware. The BHC Program is a 12-Month Program. Services provided by the BHC's include the following:

- Assist with Crisis Referrals
- Complete Risk Assessments
- Complete Brief Mental Health Screenings
- Facilitate Referrals for Mental & Behavioral Health Services
- Provide Brief Individual Counseling Sessions (3-5 sessions)
- Facilitating Group Therapy Sessions
- Providing Family Therapy Sessions
- Conducting Home Visits and Engaging Families
- Collaborating with School Personnel in meeting the Youth's needs.

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AFTERSCHOOL AND SUMMER PREVENTION PROGRAMS

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AGENCY/PROGRAM NAME	DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAM
<p>Christina Cultural Arts Center The HeArt Under the Hoodie (New Castle County) 705 N. Market St. Wilmington, DE 19801</p> <p>Lynetta Fletcher (302) 607-1866 EXT: 23</p>	<p>"The Heart Under the Hoodie" Youth Violence Prevention Program links Urban Improv-a 14 year old evidence-based school drama program operating in Boston, MA with after school arts and yoga/mindfulness activities. A 27 week interactive drama curriculum integrates youth asset development and the theater arts. Real life practice via drama is critical to skill building focused on decision making, impulse control and conflict resolution. The strategy contains both universal and selective prevention approaches. Targeted afterschool activities will be provided to youth in Bancroft, and in school services will be provided to youth in Bayard during the school day during an open enrollment period.</p>
<p>Duffy's H.O.P.E (New Castle County) 100 W. 10th Street Wilmington, DE 19801</p> <p>Allen "Duffy" Samuels (302) 652-3532</p>	<p>Duffy's Hope provides the Ambassador Mentoring Program, Hope Community Garden & Market Initiative, and the Summer Youth Basketball Leagues. The Ambassador program utilizes the Phoenix Curriculum and the Trauma Awareness Suicide Prevention Program (TASP) to deliver services in a group format. The Phoenix Curriculum is an evidence-based gang prevention program that provides youth with effective life and social skills, important to self-efficacy, emotional intelligence, and problem-solving, fosters resilience to ATOD use/abuse, violence, and other antisocial behaviors. In conjunction with the Phoenix curriculum, Duffy's Hope will partner with Delaware-based Embracing Hope LLC, to utilize the Trauma Awareness and Suicide Prevention program to address risk factors related to youth violence and suicide.</p>
<p>Hilltop Lutheran (New Castle County) 1018 W. 6th Street Wilmington, DE 19805</p> <p>Matthew Johnson (302) 293-3198</p>	<p>Youth Services program that provides summer enrichment and Before/After school program designed to keep children engaged in positive activities and enhance their educational achievements throughout the year. We also have a safe haven program which operates Mon-Fri 6pm-9pm designed to provide positive use of leisure time for youth in the community with various athletic/recreational activities. We offer a media/t.v. production program that introduces the participants to hands-on training in the fields of digital video and sound equipment operation, computerized audio and editing program utilization, music engineering, and visual /graphic enhancement. We have empowerment programs for both young men and women focusing on self-respect, community engagement and drug/alcohol prevention. We also offer a Beauty camp which meets twice a week taught by a licensed professional. This program teaches the basics of cosmetology and self care for young ladies in the community. Our athletic programming consist of Jr. Nba instructional basketball leagues, t-ball, baseball, lacrosse and soccer. We also have a College Bound Program to assist students with SAT preparation and applying for financial assistance. Hilltop also offers a job readiness training programs.</p>
<p>The Kingswood Community Center (New Castle County) 2300 Bowers Street Wilmington, DE 19802</p> <p>Glorita Nunally (302) 764-9022</p>	<p>Youth Literacy and Prevention program will engage students in five key areas of interest 1. Literacy and academic support, 2. Technology, 3. Arts/Culture, 4. Athletics, and 5. Violence Prevention. Non-traditional sports, new cultural experiences, and unique field trips are a part of the composition of the program. We will also host an artist in residence to provide fine arts training and exposure to an arts and culture. The program will also partner with the Delaware Center for Justice to provide the Student Warriors Against Guns and Gangs (SWAGG) a juvenile gun and gang violence prevention program. The combination of SWAGG with our literacy program, provides a well-rounded approach to the entire complement of activities we are offering to our youth.</p>

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<p>Latin American Community Center (Reading is Fundamental) (New Castle County) 403 N. Van Buren Street Wilmington, DE 19805</p> <p>Wanda Burgos-Rincon (302) 655-7338</p>	<p>In partnership with SummerColab, the LACC will offer the Reading is Fundamental (RIF) literacy program to low-income youth attending Summer Day Camp. The LACC will supplement this reading curriculum with one-to-one tutoring. RIF is a national evidence-based program designed to improve reading literacy. RIF's goals are to promote early childhood reading literacy, motivate school children to read, bridge the achievement gap and promote multicultural literacy, and prevent the "summer reading slide," in which children who do not read over the summer can lose two months of reading literacy.</p>
<p>Neighborhood House (Neighborhood House Youth Services)</p> <p>Alison Windle (302) 658-5404</p>	<p>Youth Services Program will provide a summer enrichment program and a before/after school program to keep children engaged in positive activities and increase their chances of staying in school, making healthier life choices and choosing alternatives to crime, violence, drugs and other delinquent behaviors. The Youth Services Program will implement the evidence-based Positive Action program designed to improve youth academics, behavior, and character. The program addresses diverse problems, such as substance use, violence-related behavior, disruptive behavior, and bullying, as well as social-emotional learning, positive youth development, character, and academics.</p>
<p>PAL of Wilmington Life SAVERS Program (New Castle County) 3707 N. Market Street Wilmington, DE 19802</p> <p>Wilbert Miller (302) 764-6170</p>	<p>The LifeSAVERS program will implement evidence-based curriculums and incorporate STEM activities. Botvin's LifeSkills Training (LST), a research-validated substance abuse prevention program proven to reduce the risks of alcohol, tobacco, drug abuse, and violence by targeting the major social and psychological factors that promote the initiation of substance use and other risky behaviors will be implemented. The Second Step Violence Prevention curriculum will be implemented to reduce impulsive and aggressive behavior in children and adolescents by increasing their social competency skills. The Lifelines Suicide Prevention curriculum will be used to educate participants on the facts about suicide, information on where to find suicide prevention resources, and the students' role when faced with a suicidal peer.</p>
<p>The PAL of Delaware Delaware City S.A.V.E. Suicide and Violence Education (New Castle County) 1800 Philadelphia Pike Wilmington, DE 19809</p> <p>Robert Jameson (302) 239-8866</p>	<p>The SAVE program will include evidence-based curriculums from Hazelden Publishing and the Committee for Children regarding violence and suicide prevention. The SAVE Model Programming will also include prevention education, homework support, athletic and mind enriching activities, as well as healthy nutrition, structured classroom activities including STEM, computer instruction, graphic arts, digital photography and film, soft skill development, as well as culturally enriching field trips. SAVE will provide proper nutritional enrichment and education in conjunction with the Food Bank of Delaware, the Colonial School District, and our community garden program.</p>
<p>The PAL of Delaware New Castle S.A.V.E. Suicide and Violence Education (New Castle County) 1800 Philadelphia Pike Wilmington, DE 19809</p> <p>Robert Jameson (302) 239-8866</p>	<p>The SAVE program will include evidence-based curriculums from Hazelden Publishing and the Committee for Children regarding violence and suicide prevention. The SAVE Model Programming will also include prevention education, homework support, athletic and mind enriching activities, as well as healthy nutrition, structured classroom activities including STEM, computer instruction, graphic arts, digital photography and film, soft skill development, as well as culturally enriching field trips. SAVE will provide proper nutritional enrichment and education in conjunction with the Food Bank of Delaware, William Penn High School, and our community garden program.</p>

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<p>Pathways (Youth Empowerment Program)</p> <p>Coley Harris (302) 573-5073</p>	<p>The Youth Empowerment Program (YEP) is a community-based violence and suicide prevention program. The program core principles are: resiliency and strength-based approaches, restorative practices, physically and emotionally safe environments, trauma-informed care and coordinated care. YEP utilizes Youth Empowerment Solutions (YES) which is an evidence-based community-level violence prevention program that empowers youth to make positive changes in their communities and to work with adults to support their efforts; and Coaching Boys Into Men, an evidence-based curriculum, which is incorporated into sports. In addition, YEP will use Gang Prevention tools from the Phoenix Gang Catalogue (Gang Prevention DVD series and GG MI the Motivational Interviewing Gang Intervention Resource) an OJJDP recommended evidence-based program for gang prevention, intervention, and suppression.</p>
<p>Peter Spencer Family Life Foundation (CDF Freedom Schools) 812 N. Franklin Street Wilmington, DE 19806</p> <p>Frances Livingston (302) 652-9937</p>	<p>The Peter Spencer Family Life Foundation will implement the Children's Defense Fund Freedom Schools program. The program is built upon the Children's Defense Fund Freedom School concept, a "best practice" approach to improving educational outcomes for children. The Freedom Schools have five (5) essential components: high quality academic enrichment, parent and family involvement, social action and civic engagement, intergenerational servant leadership and development, and nutrition, health and mental health.</p>
<p>Reeds Refuge Center (Living with Literacy Summer Reading Program)</p> <p>Frederick Reed (302) 883-7770</p>	<p>The Voyager Passport, a research-based strategic reading intervention for K-5 students reading below grade level through a blended approach of print and technology will be implemented. Voyager Passport accelerates student achievement by targeting the priority skills and strategies learners need to be fluent, on level readers. This program will include teacher-led instruction, student-centered, integrated technology, and offers implementation support services. This literacy program will highlight five major components of reading which is phonics, vocabulary, comprehension, fluency, and phonemic awareness.</p>
<p>Reeds Refuge Center (Creating Safe Spaces for Student to Use their Voices against Violence)</p> <p>Frederick Reed (302) 883-7770</p>	<p>Reed's Summer and Afterschool program will implement the evidence-based Positive Action program designed to improve youth academics, behavior, and character. The program addresses diverse problems, such as substance use, violence-related behavior, disruptive behavior, and bullying, as well as social-emotional learning, positive youth development, character, and academics. Parent engagement will be the primary focus of utilizing this evidence-based program, Positive Action, to increase positive attitudes towards conflict resolution and increase the perception of physical and emotional harm violence causes. An incentive for parents participating in the program will be Parents Night Out where parents are able to receive free childcare until midnight on the predetermined date. The youth will be engaged in recreation and healthy refreshments as their parents have the night off. Centers once a month evening program, of which the parents are able to receive free childcare until midnight on the predetermined date. The youth will be engaged in recreation and healthy refreshments as their parents have the night off.</p>
<p>Rose Hill Community Center</p> <p>Sheila Berkel (302) 656-8513</p>	<p>Rose Hill Community Center will implement the evidence-based Ripple Effects Whole Spectrum Intervention System program. Ripple Effects is an interactive, software-based adaptive intervention for students that is designed to enhance social-emotional competencies and ultimately improve outcomes related to school achievement and failure, delinquency, substance abuse, and mental health. Youth will also hear from guest speaker on topics that will help them make informed decisions and choose healthy lifestyles. Fitness classes will be offered to the students, along with educational, cultural and recreational field trips.</p>

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<p>University of Delaware Cooperative Extension (4-H Kirk Middle)</p> <p>Susan Thompkins (302) 831-8002</p>	<p>4-H Cooperative Extension and Kirk Middle School will operate a afterschool program and summer academic and enrichment program. The main program strategy is to provide daily homework help, prevention skill building and hands-on enrichment activities afterschool and during STEAM theme summer program to continue school engagement efforts and prevent summer learning loss. Youth will participate in high interest topics applying technology skills in a fun, real life context that introduces them to their future adult capacity. Within the structured program, participants will gain skills in physical, social, and emotional development using a positive youth development approach of learning with the guidance of caring adult staff and volunteers. Additional support for social development and decision-making skills is provided using the Botvins Life Skills curriculum. The Botvins is a model program that engages youth in prevention discussions and skills practice to reduce the risks of alcohol, tobacco, drug abuse and violence by targeting the major social and psychological factors that promote the initiation of substance abuse and other risky behaviors.</p>
<p>West End Neighborhood House (Summer Reading/Literacy Programming)</p> <p>Wesley Davis (302) 658-4171</p>	<p>West End will provide an evidence-based summer reading program Reading is Fundamental Read for Success Curriculum. This evidence-based program is designed to improve reading proficiency and combat summer learning loss. Read for Success is centered around motivating children to read by providing access to high-quality classroom book collections, summer books for students to choose and own, enriching science, technology, engineering, the arts and mathematics-themed classroom activities, professional development for teachers and parent engagement. West End's Summer Camp currently works with the Summer Learning Collab to help identify and serve youth in need of more intensive literacy support. Using the Let's Go Learn research-based diagnostic assessment each participant's level of mastery is gauged, and the lowest-scoring 20% are provided more intensive, one-on-one assistance by leveraging the expertise of the Summer Learning Collab. Let's Go Learn also provides post-tests that measure gains in literacy achieved during the program, the results of which will be provided to West End staff for outcomes reporting purposes. The extra assistance from the Summer Learning Collab will be provided as an add-on support, in addition to the Reading is Fundamental Read for Success curriculum to help ensure those with the greatest need receive the extra attention to put them on an equal footing with their peers.</p>
<p>YMCA of Delaware Walnut Street YMCA (Walnut Street Teen's Afterschool and Summer Program)</p> <p>Nicole Freedman (302) 571-6927</p>	<p>The Walnut Street YMCA will utilize an evidence-based peer mentoring program, Cross-Age Mentoring Program (CAMP) for Children with Adolescent Mentors. This peer mentoring program benefits both the mentor and the mentee through enhancing connectedness to school, peers, family, and community. CAMP improves academic achievement for the younger participants and increases civic mindedness, self-efficacy, confidence, and self-esteem for the older students. Furthermore, CAMP increases the mentee's ability to effectively manage peer pressure and prevent or reduce violent and delinquent behavior. The program is proven to foster social, emotional, and cognitive development.</p>
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<p>Delaware Multicultural and Civic Organization (DEMCO) Reading Instruction Program 403 W. Division Street Dover, DE 19904</p> <p>Dr. Michael Casson (302) 346-5308</p>	<p>DEMCO will implement an evidence-based reading program that will provide individualized and small group learning opportunities to students. The core instructional materials and programs utilized by DEMCO are aligned with the State of Delaware's materials and standards. Students will enroll in mandatory core activities and then choose their elective such as Botvin's Life Skills and Cultural Health Ambassadors that focuses on positive youth development by strengthening youths' social/emotional and behavioral competencies or enhancing family functioning or other supportive relationships. Reading is a core course and students will be placed in the reading course based on pretesting, consultation with parents/guardians, school teachers and administrators.</p>

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<p>Delaware Multicultural and Civic Organization (DEMCO) Afterschool Summer Prevention Program</p> <p>Dr. Michael Casson (302) 346-5308</p>	<p>DEMCO will provide two programming tracks. Central Middle School program will include the Books and Basketball program and the 21st Century Program. The Books and Basketball Program is a spinoff of the AAU basketball and prevention program. The evidence-based Botvin's LifeSkills and Athletes Training and Learning to Avoid Steroids (ATLAS) will be implemented. ATLAS is designed for male athletes to deter drug use and promote healthy nutrition and exercise as alternatives to drugs. Life Skills is designed to promote healthy decision making.</p>
<p>Inner City Cultural League, Inc. Sankofa After School Program 39 South West Street Dover, DE 19904</p> <p>Reuben Salters (302) 883-2180</p>	<p>The Sankofa Afterschool program is designed to influence positive decision making while enhancing life skills, develop coping skills and skills to resist risky behaviors. The ability to utilize refusal skills and gain strategies to deal with daily life situations that are a direct result of this targeted high-risk community. Inner City Cultural League will implement Botvin LifeSkills Training (LST), a research-validated substance abuse prevention program proven to reduce the risks of alcohol, tobacco, drug abuse, and violence by targeting the major social and psychological factors that promote the initiation of substance use and other risky behaviors. The Sankofa Afterschool program has collaborated with Planned Parenthood to provide an evidence based curriculum Making Proud choices to reduce the risk of teen pregnancy, sexual transmitted disease and HIV. The program will connect with Delaware State University to provide nutrition and physical activity. Youth will also participate in a choir, along with the African dance and drumming company.</p>
<p>YMCA of Delaware - (Dover YMCA Girls in Fitness Together)</p> <p>Fiona Mulligan (302) 655-0039, EXT. 234</p>	<p>The Dover YMCA After School and Summer Camp program, Girls in Fitness Together (GIFT), provides positive opportunities for females. The program is designed to reduce violence, suicide and behaviors by working to improve self-esteem. Utilizing an evidence-based program called SPORT, participants will establish and achieve fitness goals while increasing positive peer and adult relationships. Youth will build confidence and self-efficiency through positive reinforcement, physical activity, leadership and prevention workshops. The leadership and prevention workshops address topics including nutrition, stress management, the power of goal-setting, healthy relationships, substance abuse prevention and finding balance in school, friends, sports and life. Nutrition coaching, small group fitness training, swimming, group exercise classes, bully prevention, stretching and relaxation are covered throughout the weekly sessions. A healthy meal and time to socialize provides opportunities to build interpersonal skills and make lasting friendships.</p>
SUSSEX COUNTY	
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<p>Woodbridge School District</p> <p>Angela Parana (302) 349-4539</p>	<p>The Woodbridge School District After-School Program will have a primary focus of social-emotional learning. Our program will utilize the Second Step Social-Emotional Learning Program as our primary, evidence-based curriculum. This curriculum covers the following units; Empathy and Skills for Learning, Emotion Management, and Problem Solving. The middle school level program also includes units on Goal Setting, Bullying Prevention and Substance Abuse Prevention.</p>
<p>YMCA of Delaware-Sussex</p> <p>Nicole Freedman (302) 571-6927</p>	<p>The Sussex YMCA will Utilizing an evidence-based program called SPORT, participants establish and achieve fitness goals while increasing positive peer and adult relationships. Youth build confidence and self-efficiency through positive reinforcement, physical activity, leadership and prevention workshops. The leadership and prevention workshops address topics including nutrition, stress management for youth, the power of goal-setting, healthy relationships, substance abuse prevention and finding balance in school, friends, sports and life. Nutrition coaching, small group training, swimming, group exercise classes, bully prevention, stretching and relaxation will be covered throughout the weekly sessions. During the summer months, participants will give back to the community through service learning projects.</p>

MULTIPLE COUNTIES

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<p>Big Brothers Big Sisters Afterschool Mentoring Services (All Counties) 6 Larch Avenue Wilmington, DE 19804</p> <p>Mary P. Fox (302) 998-3577</p>	<p>Big Brother Big Sisters will implement its evidence-based, one to one developmental mentoring model to foster the development of youth. One to one mentoring services for at-risk youth. Group mentoring for LGBT youth through Gay, Straight Alliances partnerships. Recreational/cultural educational activities for youth, their families and mentors. Afterschool Social events for LGBTQ teens.</p>
<p>Boys & Girls Clubs of Delaware - T.I.T.A.N (Teens Inspired To Act Now) Program (Current)</p> <p>Suchi Hiraesave (302) 674-3313</p>	<p>Friday night Teen Inspired to Act Now (TITAN) programming will occur at 5 sites. Programming includes Positive Action, a systematic educational evidence based program that promotes intrinsic interest in learning and encourages cooperation among students. It works by teaching and reinforcing the intuitive philosophy that you feel good about yourself when you do positive actions. The effects of the program range from increased academic achievement to dramatic reductions in problem behaviors. Just (Ice) In Time training seminars for teenagers and young adult males of color that utilizes real life situations and role play. Keystone Clubs for teens to gain leadership and service experience. Teen Town Halls will be held to know what it takes to bring teens to the clubs. Teen Scene Events with celebrity speakers and prevention messages and field trips will be planned.</p>
<p>Boys & Girls Club - Reading is Fundamental (RIF)</p> <p>Suchi Hiraesave (302) 674-3313</p>	<p>Reading is Fundamental is an evidence-based literacy program. It provides access to high quality books, evidence-based activities that reinforce the content of the books and encourages parent involvement. The books and curriculum guide are age appropriate and address culturally competency through stories, language used, concepts and subject addressed.</p>
<p>The Summer Learning Collaborative, Inc.</p> <p>Laura Sindoni (484) 362-7534</p>	<p>The Summer Learning Collaborative will implement a summer literacy program and expand their reading intervention program. In partnership with local community-based agencies, high-quality literacy opportunities for kids will be provided. The literacy programming combines a Response to Intervention (RTI) model with other evidence-based practices to best meet campers' precise and unique needs. RTI is a multi-tier approach to the early identification and support of students with learning and behavior needs. In the traditional school model, Tier I students are identified as those who do not require additional support outside of the regular classroom/learning environment. Tier II students are those not making adequate progress in the regular learning environment, who receive targeted interventions through small group setting. Tier III receive individualized, intensive interventions that target the students' skill deficits. Tier III students who do not achieve the desired level of progress in response to these targeted interventions are then referred for a comprehensive evaluation and considered for eligibility for special education services.</p>
<p>YWCA Delaware Inc. (Youth Program)</p> <p>Nicole Freedman (302) 571-6927</p>	<p>YWCA will provide evidence-based practices to reduce youth violence and increase positive opportunities for girls in the form of building self-esteem and respect. This will be implemented in the form of workshops during class time, lunch and afterschool. Our primary evidence-based curriculum will be Girls Circle, a specific tract of One Circle is a structures support group that integrates relational theory, resiliency practices, and skills training designs to increase positive connection, personal and collective strength and competence in girls.</p>

Wilmington Extended Hours Summer Programs 2018
Extended Hours will start June, 2018 and will end by September 30, 2018

Provider	Location	Contact	Hours offered
Wilmington Pal	3707 Market Street Wilmington DE 19805	Tawana Ricks (302)764-6170 Tawana.ricks@palw.org	Tuesday 8pm-10pm Thursday 8pm-10pm Saturday 8pm-10pm
Kingswood Community Center	2300 Bowers Street Wilmington, DE 19802	Shardae White (302) 764-9022 swhite@KGWCC.org	Tuesday Open till 11:00pm Wednesday Open till 9:00pm Friday Open till 9:00pm
H. Fletcher Brown Boys and Girls Club Michael Crumble, Director	1601 N. Spruce Street Wilmington, DE 19802	Kerry Johnson (302) 656-1386 kjohnson@BGClubs.org	Tuesday thru Friday 6:30pm to 9:30pm
Walnut Street YMCA	1000 N. Walnut Street Wilmington, DE 19801	Kristina Woznicki (302) 472-9622, ext. 115 Anesha Truesdale atruesdale@ymcade.org kwoznicki@ymcade.org	Tuesday 7:00pm to 9:00pm Thursday 7:00pm to 9:00pm Saturday 9:30am to 9:00pm
Neighborhood House	1218 B Street Wilmington, DE 19801	Cynthia Williams (302) 658-5404 cwilliams@neighborhoodhse.org	Monday 6:30p.m. to 8:30p.m. Fridays 6:30p.m. to 8:30p.m. Saturday 6:30p.m. to 8:30p.m.
Latin American Community Center	403 N. Van Buren Street Wilmington, DE 19805	Wanda Burgos-Rincon (302) 655-7338 Wburgos-rincon@thelatincenter.org	Wednesday Thursday Friday 5:30pm to 8:30pm
William Hicks Anderson Community Center	501 N. Madison Street Wilmington, DE 19801	Corey Wallace (302) 494-2147 cdwallace@wilmingtonde.gov	Friday 8-10pm Saturday Noon-4pm Sunday 11am-3pm
Hilltop Lutheran Neighborhood Center	1018 West 6 th Street Wilmington DE 19802	Matthew Johnson (302) 656-3224 Matthew.johnson@hilltoplnc.org	Tuesday thru Friday 5:30pm-9:00pm
Frain's Boys & Girls Club	669 S. Union Street Wilmington DE 19805	Rachel Kane Amanda Bottom, Teen Director (302) 655-4591 rkane@bgclubs.org abottom@bgclubs.org	Tuesday thru Friday 6:30pm to 9:30pm
West End Neighborhood House	710 N. Lincoln Street Wilmington, DE 19805	Kenyetta McCurdy-Byrd Lynn Gallimore (302) 658-4171 kmccurdybyrd@westendnh.org lgallimore@westendnh.org	Thursday 5:30pm to 10:30pm Friday 5:30pm to 10:30pm Saturday 4:00pm to 6:00pm

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