

Help Me Grow of Cuyahoga County

(Name changed to Bright Beginnings as of July 1, 2017)

Annual Report

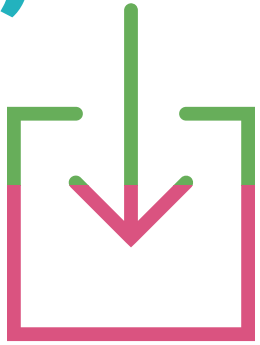
SFY17: July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017

Our Mission

Supporting families in helping their young children grow, learn, and develop to their fullest potential.

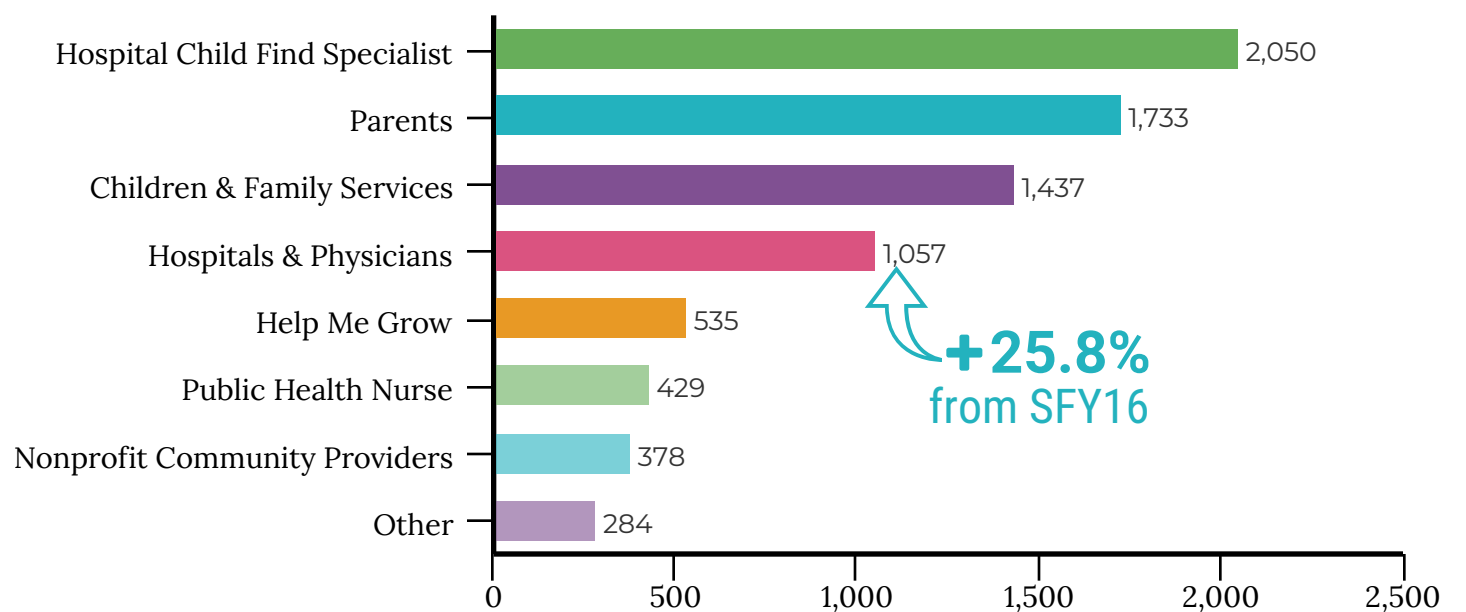
Central Coordination

7,903



Referrals to
Central Coordination

Referral Sources



CHILDREN
REFERRED

6,037

5,179
Referrals Out

69%
Early Intervention

31%
Family Support
Programs

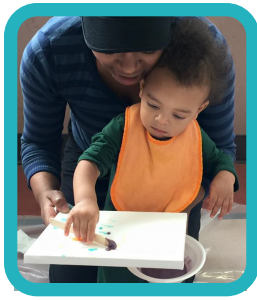
Services are made possible through generous funding and in-kind contributions from:

- Cuyahoga County Board of Developmental Disabilities
- Cuyahoga County Family and Children Council
- Educational Service Center of Cuyahoga County
- Giving Back Gang (a Cleveland Foundation donor-advised fund)
- Invest in Children of Cuyahoga County
- Ohio General Revenue Funds and United States Federal IDEA Funds
- Private donations via United Way
- Private donations made by advocates for early intervention services



Bright Beginnings

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SERVED

542 Families & **734** Children

Parents Connect!
Online Parenting Group

255 Families Participated
4x more likely to attend in-person groups & receive an average of **35%** more home visits than those that do not participate.



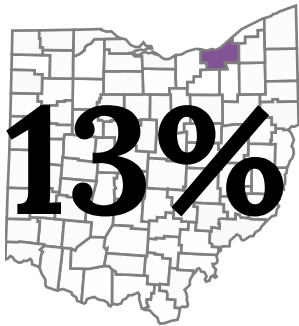
6,217 Home Visits

Of those families exited in SFY17,
✧ Average # of Visits: 19.5
✧ Average Length of Stay: 15.2 months

“ They showed me how to be more understanding to my child's needs and how to use my knowledge to better help him with learning... ~ Janeen, Cleveland mom of 2 year old son ”

Early Intervention

Cuyahoga County received



of Ohio's Referrals!

“ Before Early Intervention, our daughter could not speak more than 10 words clearly at two years old. In months, the Early Intervention staff was able to help our daughter not only speak words more clearly but also four word sentences! We are so grateful for the tremendous impact Early Intervention has had on our daughter and family. ”

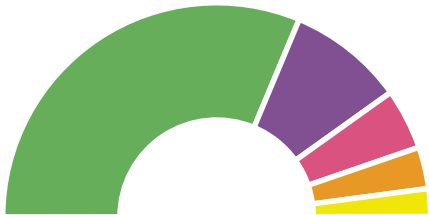


~ Gabrielle, Shaker Heights mom of 2 year old daughter

2,436 Children Served

1,358 Initial IFSPs

Services on Initial IFSPs



Initial Eligibility Reason

- One or More Substantial Delay(s): 1,526, 63%
- One or More Mild Delay(s): 429, 18%
- Diagnosis on the Form: 225, 9%
- Informed Clinical Opinion: 154, 6%
- Diagnosis on the List: 102, 4%



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Call **216-698-7500** for
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Connect with us!



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