

Head Start's Impact in Florida FY2024



HEAD START PROVIDES NO-COST COMPREHENSIVE SERVICES TO WOMEN AND CHILDREN BIRTH TO FIVE

Pregnancy Services

We connect families with community resources that provide support with accessing food, housing, mental health services, and other resources

Nutrition Services

We provide healthy meals for children and access to nutrition supports for families



Parenting Support & Engagement

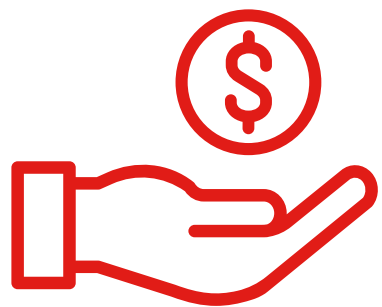
We partner with families to help them reach their own self-sufficiency goals, and we provide parenting support based on an evidence-based curriculum

Early Care & Education

We provide free, full-day* preschool and early education for children from birth to age 5
**at least six hours per day*

Health & Wellness

We provide health screenings for children (including medical, dental, hearing, and vision) and support families with establishing ongoing medical and dental homes

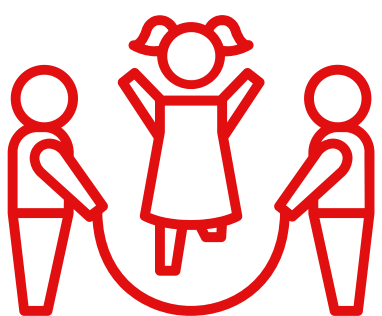


\$544,968,565 MILLION IN FEDERAL FUNDING ADDED TO FLORIDA'S ECONOMY



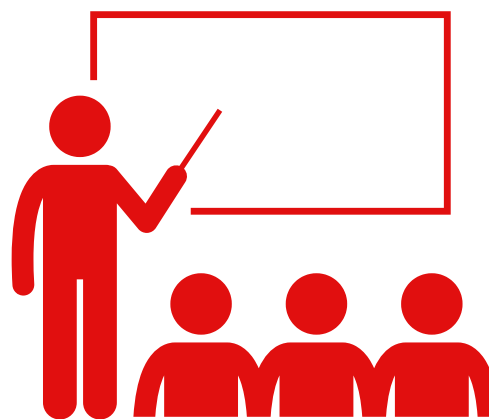
SUPPORTING JOBS IN FLORIDA

- 11,670 total HS/EHS staff
- 28,297 HS/EHS parents employed, in school or in job training



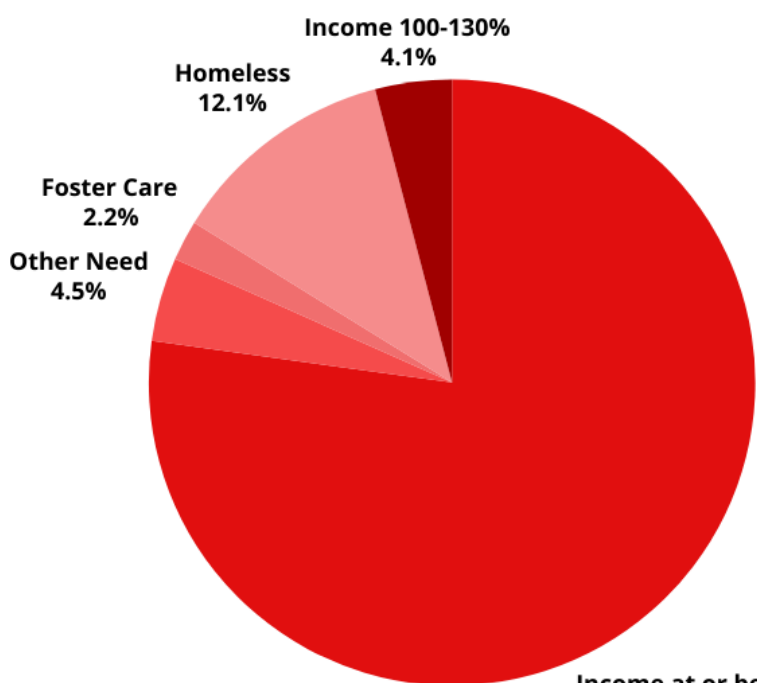
CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

- 45,543 cumulative children and 41,587 families served
- 34,793 families received services promoting outcomes
- 119,642 home visits conducted
- 38,645 children received equal or greater than 1,020 classroom hrs



MEETING FAMILIES' NEEDS IN VARIOUS SETTINGS

Providing services in center-based, home-based, family child care and collaborative public school settings



Head Start Eligibility FY 2024

INCOME - 17,437 Income at or below 100%
OTHER NEED - 1,011 Another need - other category
FOSTER CARE - 486 Child is in foster care
HOMELESS - 2,729 Family experiencing homelessness
INCOME - 923 Income between 100-130%

Primary Type

HEAD START BY THE NUMBERS

- 2,531 homeless families served
- Over 7,498 fathers were involved in their child's educational experiences
- 2,780 classrooms across Florida
- 5,039 children served with a disability
- 33,819 children were up to date on preventative and primary health care according to EPSDT schedule

Head Start welcomes the opportunity to collaborate with school districts; braiding state and federal funds to provide high quality preschool with comprehensive services to more eligible children in the state of Florida.