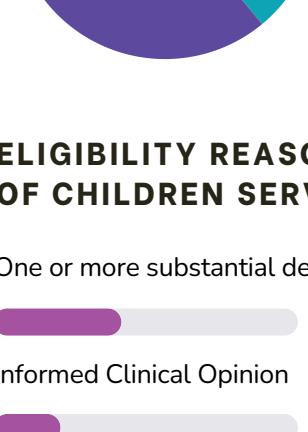




Bright Beginnings supports families during the crucial early years of a child's life to help children grow, learn, and develop to their fullest potential.

PROVIDING SERVICES ACROSS CUYAHOGA COUNTY: EARLY INTERVENTION (EI)

Bright Beginnings provides Service Coordination and Social Work Services, and partners with Cleveland Hearing and Speech Center, Cleveland Sight Center, Cuyahoga County Board of Developmental Disabilities, Hopewell Health Center and other Department Contracted Providers to deliver Individualized Family Service Plan (IFSP) services.

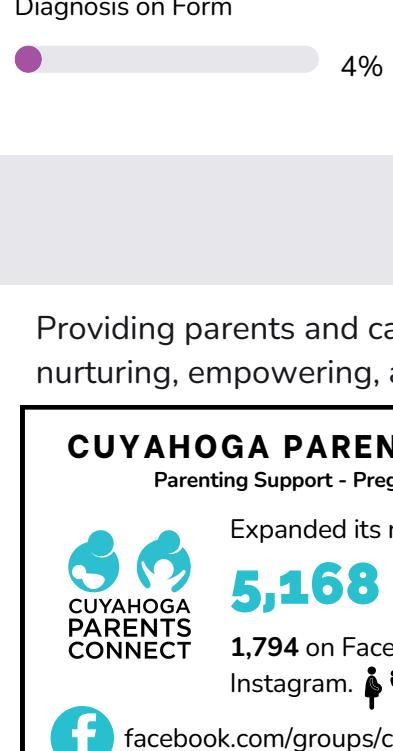


REFERRAL SOURCES

- Hospital
- Family or Caregiver
- Children and Family Services
- Physician
- All Other Sources

4,389 REFERRALS

ELIGIBILITY REASONS OF CHILDREN SERVED



GROWING TOGETHER:

Impact at a glance:

3,195

children were served by EI in SFY25.



PARENT PERSPECTIVE:

“ We have seen such amazing growth in our little guy. He's better prepared for life because of the help he received. **”**



SERVICES ON IFSPS



PARENT SUPPORT DEPARTMENT

Providing parents and caregivers with the knowledge, support, and resources essential for nurturing, empowering, and enriching their children, thereby paving the path to lifelong success.

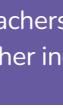
CUYAHOGA PARENTS CONNECT

Parenting Support - Pregnancy to Kindergarten



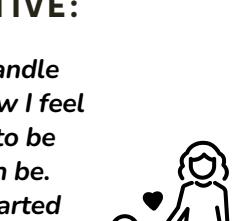
Expanded its reach to over **5,168** local parents and caregivers, including 1,794 on Facebook and 3,374 on Instagram.

facebook.com/groups/cuyahogaparentsconnect



@cuyahogaparentsconnect

TRIPLE P POSITIVE PARENTING PROGRAM



Met the unique needs of **333** parents throughout the county by way of:



51 Discussion Group Sessions (serving 169 Unduplicated Parents) **and**



609 Individual Consultation Sessions (serving 168 Unduplicated Parents)

PARENT SUPPORT LEAD PROGRAM

Served a diverse group of parents. About one-third primarily spoke English; other languages included Pashto (35%), Swahili (13%), Dari (8%), Kinyarwanda (8%), and other languages (4%).



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Results from the Triple P Nurturing Attachment section of the Protective Factors Survey showed statistically significant improvements in all areas:

- ↑ 44% increase in positive child behavior
- ↓ 36% decrease in parent/child conflicts
- ↑ 33% increase in consistent positive parenting practices

PARENT PERSPECTIVE:

“ I was stressed about how to handle things as they came up and now I feel like I have such a good toolkit to be the absolute best momma I can be. During our sessions, my son started preschool and has been thriving.



“ I know that this program helped support me in a way that allowed me to support during a time that was such a big transition for him. **”**

PARENTS AS TEACHERS



Earned a Blue Ribbon Affiliate endorsement from Parents as Teachers for delivering high-quality services to children and families.



PARENTS AS TEACHERS
156 children served with 1,104 home visits

Total Parents as Teachers (PAT) visits with father included:

294



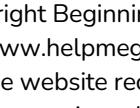
FATHERHOOD RESOURCES



Served families by increasing father participation in PAT home visiting, particularly among dads living in the home or in a positive relationship with mom, responding to the shared desire of both parents for dad's involvement.



PROVIDING SERVICES ACROSS THE STATE OF OHIO: HELP ME GROW EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTRAL INTAKE AND REFERRAL SYSTEM



Department of
Children & Youth

Help Me Grow

Expanded services, new programs and massive growth powered Help Me Grow (HMG) in SFY25!



NEW FAMILY CONNECTS OHIO

NEW FOR SFY25! Help Me Grow worked with the Department of Children and Youth to launch Family Connects Ohio, an evidence-based newborn home visiting model connecting families with nurses who promote newborn health during this major transition.

- 11 counties implemented Family Connects Ohio
- 384 Families accepting a Family Connects Ohio visit



16,157 ASQ screenings were completed



563 children then connected to Early Intervention, Home Visiting, and/or Preschool Special Education

ASQ DEVELOPMENTAL SCREENING PROGRAM | SPARKLER APP

Help Me Grow expanded the ASQ developmental screening program to serve families with children through age 5, up from age 3.

HMG also launched the Sparkler Play for Parenting app for Ohio families, providing them with mobile ASQ screenings and access to over 2,000 play activities.

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COMMUNITY RESOURCE DIRECTORIES

Help Me Grow continued to strengthen community access to essential resources and supports through our Community Resource Directories, a catalog of family support services throughout Ohio.

- 18,859 visitors in SFY25
- Top keyword searches: diapers, housing, speech, preschool, lead

BY THE NUMBERS

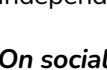
100,000+ incoming referrals



8,900+ outreach activities



HOME VISITING



12,548 Families accepting HMG Home Visiting

358 Families referred to Early Head Start

1,114 Families referred to Pathways HUB



31,448 Children assigned to Early Intervention



Bright Beginnings maintains the www.helpmegrow.org website. During SFY25, the website received 2,744,419 visits, a 26% increase in website traffic from SFY24!

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