

Family Resource Centers Monthly Reports

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County South Family Resource Center October 2025 Board Report

Center Highlights:

CSFRC hosted and organized a free clothing drive in early October with 42 families attending to get winter clothing. Preparation has begun for the Community Christmas Basket Program. Several large cash donations have come in to be used as needed for families in the rural area. The Women's Wellness group and the Parents with HOPE class are meeting weekly and running smoothly. Advocate, Catie Waite is taking her FDC class at CAPCO in Cortland every couple weeks and enjoying it. The Bright Futures group carved pumpkins and had a Halloween party. Families continue to struggle with the high cost of housing.

Upcoming Events:

- Tully Community Christmas Basket Program

Ongoing Site Services:

- Women's Wellness and Support Group – Tuesdays, 6:00-8:30
- Parents with HOPE Parenting class – Thursdays, 6:00-8:00 PM
- Bright Futures Afterschool Group – Monday, Wednesday and Fridays 2:45 PM- 4:15 PM
- FISH Medical Transport – Tuesdays and Thursdays
- Fresh Food Delivery from St. Leo's Food Pantry – First Tuesday of the month
- Regular Food Pantry Delivery – 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month
- Crisis management and Family Development Services as needed

Success Story

A gentleman stopped by the center in October and introduced himself to the Family Advocate. When she called the Coordinator up to meet him, both realized that they knew each other, having grown up together. "Lanky" told us he was a "BOCES Kid" and learned to work with his hands. He built a career from that education and made a lot of money, he said. He did not want to give his money to the government so instead wrote us a check for \$5,000. He also made the same donation at the local food pantry run by Cheryl Paccia, our NAC President. Lanky was very aware of the mission of our agency as his mother, Kay Kinne was the first Coordinator here for PEACE, Inc. in Tully many years ago. His mother would have been very proud of him and we of course were very grateful.

Center Services:

Appointment	1
Baby Items	1



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Before and After School Programs	21
Childcare	5
Crisis Response- Call –in Response	3
Diaper Bank	4
Domestic Violence Support	1
Eligibility Determination	4
Fax/Copies/Computer	3
Field Trip	4
Financial Skills Training	6
FISH	6
Focus Group /Survey	6
Follow Up	23
Food Delivery	46
Form of ID	3
Gas voucher	1
Grocery shopping	6
Guest Speaker	6
Health Insurance Enrollment	1
Home Visit	2
Hygiene Supplies	18
Information / Referral	15
Landlord/Tenant Mediation	1
Laundry Voucher	6
Mediation / Customer Advocacy	7
Parenting Class	27
Prepared Meal on site	34
Proof of income	6
Referred to PEACE Inc.	1
Rides Provided	23
Signed Intake	2
SNAP Enrollment/ Reapplication	5
Stipend/Incentive	6
Supportive Conversations	5
Wellness Education	7
Winter Items	20
Total	336



County West Family Resource Center October 2025 Board Report

Center Highlights:

HEAP assistance throughout the month

Attended Baldwinsville Schools “Community Café” Wednesday October 22nd-topic student’s mental health

NYSCAA Conference October 8 ,9 and 10 at the Syracuse Marriott

PAC-B Baldwinsville visit/tour/interview Friday October 31st

R.A.P.P. lunch –topic of “Self-Care” Thursday October 30

Upcoming Events:

- Southern Glazer’s Wine and Spirits shoe drive pick-up
- Volunteer meeting/lunch Thursday November 6- 11:30A
- Baldwinsville Schools “Socktober” sock drive pick-up, 1st week of November
- Mirror-Mirror’s “ Gownsgiving “ Thanksgiving meal fundraising throughout November
- R.A.P.P. Thanksgiving get-together Tuesday November 25th 12 noon

Ongoing Site Services:

- Food Pantry – Wednesdays, 10-1pm and by need
- Treasure Go Round (clothing & household items)
- Wegmans bread and pastry donations for the community daily: Monday – Thursday
- Diaper Bank – diaper distribution daily
- Hygiene Pantry – requested items distributed to clients
- Job Board/Binder updated weekly

Success Story:

One of our clients, a young man with a disability obtained a full time job here in Baldwinsville with Big C Landscaping and Plow Services. So far, he reports all is going well, his employer has also helped with transportation if needed.

Center Services:

Clothing Closet	65
Diaper Bank	2
Fax/Copies/Computer	10
Food Delivery	2



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Food Pantry	22
Grocery Shopping	1
Health Insurance Enrollment	1
Housewares/Furniture	60
Hygiene/Toiletries	1
Information/Referral	7
Laundry Voucher	1
Parenting Support	3
Rides Provided	2
School Supplies	15
Signed Intake	2
SNAP Enrollment/Reapplication	2
Supportive Conversations	13
Table Give-Away (non-Food Bank)	59
Winter Items	55
Total	299



Eastside Family Resource Center September 2025 Board Report

Center Highlights:

The Golden Age Social Club enjoyed a lovely fall outing to Tim's Pumpkin Patch in Marietta, NY. On a cool, sunny morning, members explored the festive farm, admired the pumpkin fields, and watched families enjoy the animal area, corn maze, and games. The group picked eight pumpkins to bring back to the center and treated themselves to cookies and candy. Afterward, they shared a lunch and movie, wrapping up a day filled with laughter, friendship, and the simple joys of autumn.

The Girls Circle Group gathered at Luv Handlz Frozen Yogurt Shop for a time of fellowship and fun, sharing frozen yogurt, pizza, and other tasty treats

Attendance for center programs. GASC 21 seniors, OPWDD 4 students. Girls Circle 14 girls.

This month, we welcomed 8 new clients for the pantry.

Upcoming Events:

- 11/4/25 Fall Cozy closet Giveaway 11am – 1pm
- 11/20/25 Holiday Luncheon 12-2pm

Ongoing Site Services:

- Golden Age Social Club – (Senior Program) Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10-2pm
- Food Pantry – Mondays, 9-12pm
- Diaper Pantry – Wednesdays, 9-4pm
- Fresh food giveaway – every day, 9-4pm
- Fatherhood Wednesdays, 5-7pm
- National Grid – Tuesdays, 10am-1pm
- OPWDD Afterschool Program – Monday-Thursdays, 9am- 2pm
- Girls Circle Mondays and Thursdays
- Let Me Be Great Summer Program - Monday-Thursdays, 9am- 2pm

Success Story:

In addition to the generous monthly donations of clothing and toys, we were especially grateful to receive a new refrigerator, made possible by funds raised by the daughter of one of our GASC participants at her workplace, Auburn Correctional Facility.



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Center Services:

Clothing	144
Diaper Bank	14
Employment	0
Fax/Copy Machine/Phone/Computer	128
Food Pantry	45
Hygiene/Toiletries	25
Information/Referral	1
Intake	13
OPWDD: Prepared Meal (on-site)	62
OPWDD: Rides Provided	62
SCSD: Prepared Meal (on-site)	58
SCSD: Rides Provided Field Trips	0
Rides Provided	9
Golden Age Social Club Services: Rides Provided	26
Golden Age Social Club Services: Meal (on-site)	58
Table Giveaway (non-Food Bank)	280
Book bag Giveaway	0
Total	925



Southside Family Resource Center October 2025 Board Report

Center Highlights:

The food pantry and fresh food giveaway continue to be vital resources provided to the Southside community.

The SSFRC continues to be open for limited hours while we continue to evaluate the community needs, as well as what resources are needed to maintain the center.

Upcoming Events:

- Helio Recovery Outreach – During Fresh Food Giveaway

Ongoing Site Services:

- Food Pantry, Wednesdays 10:00am-1:00pm
- Fresh Food Giveaway, second and fourth Thursdays 12:00-2:00pm

Success Story:

We have exhausted our HPNAP funding, but thanks to ongoing monetary donations from the Food Bank, we are able to keep our shelves stocked and provide for our families.

Center Services:

Fax/Copies/Computer	3
Follow up	4
Food Pantry	24
Fresh Food	26
Hygiene/Toiletries	15
Total	72



Westside Family Resource Center October 2025 Board Report

Center Highlights:

A Halloween Event was held in collaboration with Mundy Branch Library. We had various community partners at this event, including Take Back The Streets, Onondaga Health Department, Peaceful Schools, ACR Health, Hillside, and The Environmental Action Lab. We had activities for the kids, such as face painting and glitter tattoos. We gave out candy, a variety of snacks, and beverages. We also provided each child with a toothbrush and toothpaste.

Upcoming Events:

- Thanksgiving giveaway

Ongoing Site Services:

- Spanish breastfeeding support group, every third Friday of the month from 10am to 11am
- Diaper Pantry – Tuesdays, 10 am to 1 pm
- Food Pantry – Third Thursday of the month, 10 am to 1 pm
- Mobile Unit Ultrasound New Hope Families Second Tuesday of every month from 10 am to 1 pm
- Clothing Closet by appointment

Success Story:

We are working with a grandmother who had to take emergency custody of her grandchildren. We began working immediately in collaboration with the DSS department. The DSS department provided a voucher to purchase clothing for the children. We were able to provide new beds for both kids thanks to a partnership with Ashley Furniture. We also provided winter clothing, food, transportation, and other needs, and we continue working with the family on whatever is necessary, since Grandma doesn't speak English.

Center Services:

Appointment	19
Baby Items	1
Birth Certificate	3
Clothing Closet	49
Diaper Bank	70
Eligibility Determination	6
Fax/Copies/Computer	23
Follow up	16
Food Delivery	12

Food Pantry	106
Form of ID	7
Housewares/Furniture	3
Hygiene/Toiletries	81
Language Translation	65
Mediation/Customer Advocacy	1
National Grid Budget Plan	7
Proof of Current Address	4
Proof of Income	5
Referred to PEACE, Inc.	7
Rides Provided	6
Signed Intake	7
SNAP Enrollment/Reapplication	1
Supportive Conversations	3
Table Giveaway (non-Food Bank)	6
Walk-in	3
Total:	511



Early Childhood Career Pathway Program (ECCPP) October 2025 Board Report

Center Highlights:

The program caseload currently stands at 51, with 3 Family Daycares in process, 25 Family Daycares who are licensed and receive wrap-around services, and 23 Child Development Associate Credentials in process.

Upcoming Events:

- Mental Health First Aid Training
- Trauma Informed Response in a Hyper-connected World Training
- Turkey giveaway for Providers

Ongoing Site Services:

- Grant administration, coaching and technical assistance, wraparound services, support and advocacy for Family Daycares.
- Navigate Child Development Associate Credential candidates through training and credentialing process. Assist clients in applying for the EIP scholarship program to cover the cost of CDA training.

Success Stories:

Shakira T. was licensed on 10/10/2025 as a NYS Registered Family Daycare and is located on the North Side.

Lakeva W. opened her Group Family Daycare on 10/6/2025. She originally opened her Family Daycare in June 2023 and expanded into Group, doubling her capacity.

Elsa S. renewed her Child Development Associate Credential (CDA) on 10/27/25. Elsa works at Merrick Head Start.

Michelle S. received a \$250 scholarship to pay for her CDA renewal and is employed at Merrick Head Start.

Tim G. received a \$250 scholarship to pay for his CDA renewal and is employed at Genesee Head Start.

Takeisha K., owner of Our Beautiful Blessing Daycare reached her 1-year anniversary.



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Center Services:

Intake	5
Follow Up: Registered Family Daycare	15
Follow Up: Childhood Development Associate Credential	18
Diaper Bank	1
Translation	1
United Way Food/Diaper Delivery	21
Scholarship Assistance	8
Kept job for 180 days: Registered Family Daycare	2
CDA Portfolio Development	2
Recognition Pack	2
Information and Referral	2
Food Delivery	1
Total	78

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Shakira Tucker is now the proud owner of her own Family Daycare on the North Side of Syracuse called Kira Care!



Family Re-Entry Program

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Center Highlights:

Continued partnerships with GLYF, the Salvation Army, Helio Health, and Mark Dubey of SCSD/OCJC – connecting more than five new clients to the Re-Entry program.

Attended community and partnership meetings through the Greater Syracuse Works Direct Services and the Trinity Review Sessions.

Van inspection complete through PEACE, Inc. Transportation Department.

Upcoming Events:

- Monthly Trinity Review Session
- Continued biweekly meetings with the Good Life Foundation (GLYF)

Ongoing Site Services:

- Rides provided
- Family development
- Job placement
- Employment equipment or supplies

Success Story:

Marvin now has all documents needed to apply for employment. He has begun attending Fatherhood classes each week at Sumner Head Start. We hope completion of this class will help him regain custody of his two children.

Center Services:

Birth certificate	2
Clothing closet	1
Diaper bank	1
Follow up	21
Food delivery	2
Home visit	1
Intake and informational	4
Job referral	1
Job search coaching	1
Mentoring	1
Professional clothing	2
Recidivism event	1
Rides provided	8
Total	46

SENIOR SUPPORTS ~ EISEP
Offices at County West FRC
Board Report – October 2025 Recap

Expanded In-Home Services for the Elderly Program

Case Manager ~ Jackie Gayle

Client Activity:

- 40 clients
 - 1 new clients
 - 1 client discharged
 - 33 clients served – 40 contacts
 - 66.00 units of service

Meetings & Events:

- 10/2/25 - Monthly Case Managers Meeting with County

