

Children's Home & Aid is a leading child and family service agency in Illinois, partnering with children, youth and families whose potential is at risk to create hope, opportunity and bright futures.

We go where children and families need us and where the work has proven to be most effective — at home, in the classroom, in the neighborhood, and in the course of daily life.



children's home & aid
Every Child. Every Family. Thriving.

Children, Youth & Families served by Children's Home & Aid:

27,750

In FY2020, we provided ongoing services in three program areas:



CHILD
WELFARE
4,963

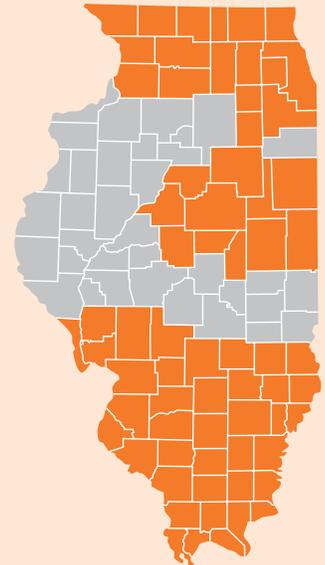


EARLY
EDUCATION
1,408



FAMILY & COMMUNITY
SERVICES
5,889

67
Counties Served



1,408 children received high-quality early care and education at one of our five child and family centers.



Last year, **939** youth whose potential is at risk received coaching, advocacy and trauma-informed therapy to improve their success at home, in school and in their communities.

The positive difference made by our Choose to Change program in Chicago remains long after the program ends. Eighteen months after leaving the program, youth have **38%** fewer violent-crime arrests than their peers who didn't participate.



Provided emergency child care for **297** children from **174** families in crisis.

886

adults and children received behavioral health services.



2,026 children avoided entering foster care and remained with their families through dedicated services.

40 youth in foster care with severe emotional and mental health needs received therapeutic residential treatment at the Daniel F. and Ada L. Rice Child & Family Center.

75% of the youth discharged from the Rice Center went to a home-based setting.



Home visitors coached **506** young and first-time families striving to do well by their children.

1,208 youth who experienced neglect or abuse received foster care services.

175 children and youth returned to their families or other loving, permanent homes.