



**ANNUAL
REPORT
2018/2019**

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FROM NANCY BLOOMFIELD, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The impact of your generous support of The Family Place can be felt across our community: in homes reached through more than 40,000 miles of traveling this year; in early care and learning settings where we support caregivers to help children succeed; in community spaces where parents meet and learn from each other; and at our bustling campus on the Norwich-Wilder line.

Now, the impact of your support can also be felt in pediatric care settings where we are partnering with medical providers to reach more families, earlier in their children's lives. We look forward to sharing more with you about the impact of these partnerships, as well as how our continued engagement with the Center on the Developing Child at Harvard is changing the way we approach our work.

Your generous support provides hope and help to families and reminds us of the power of community to change lives.

Thank you!



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Board members advocate for children and families, assure our fiscal health and integrity, guide and uphold our strategic vision, plan and support events, spread awareness about our programs, and volunteer on-site. Thank you all for your dedicated service!

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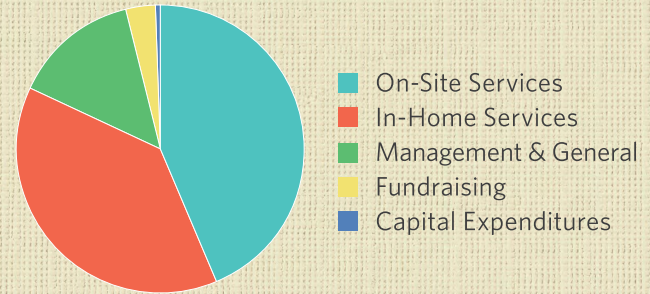
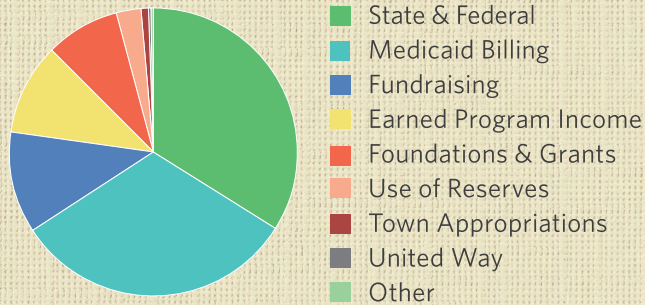
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Meet Our Team! www.familyplacevt.org/who-we-are/

FINANCIALS

FIGURES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2018/2019



INCOME

\$2,308,318

State & Federal	\$786,509
Medicaid Billing	\$734,486
Fundraising	\$267,176
Earned Program Income	\$233,888
Foundations & Grants	\$192,832
Use of Reserves*	\$65,683
Town Appropriations	\$16,400
United Way	\$10,000
Other	\$1,344

EXPENSES

\$2,308,318

On-Site Services	\$1,008,633
In-Home Services	\$884,402
Management & General	\$326,307
Fundraising	\$77,946
Capital Expenditures	\$11,030

**The Family Place used funds from our Operating Reserves to meet expenses this year.*

THE FAMILY PLACE

delivers comprehensive programs designed to strengthen positive relationships, teach essential skills and promote enduring healthy growth for families with young children in the Upper Valley and surrounding communities.

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PROGRAMS

Our programs are designed to promote strong, stable families; safe, healthy children; and active learning for children and parents alike. Our goal is to promote positive outcomes for all young people, regardless of circumstances.

- **Children's Integrated Services (CIS) - Early Intervention**
- **CIS - Family Support**
- **CIS - Nursing Services**
- **CIS - Specialized Child Care**
- **Parent Education and Support**
- **Families Learning Together (FLT)**
- **5 STAR Child Care Center**
- **Child Care Financial Assistance Program**
- **Child Care Referral**
- **Child Advocacy Centers and Special Investigative Unit**
- **Therapy Services**

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SAVE THE DATE



17TH ANNUAL GINGERBREAD FESTIVAL

Saturday, December 7, 2019 from 10 am – 3 pm
Tracy Hall in Norwich, VT

FORCE FOR THE FUTURE LUNCHEON

Tuesday, March 31, 2020 from 12 pm – 2 pm
Hanover Inn in Hanover, NH

COVERED BRIDGES HALF MARATHON

Sunday, June 7, 2020

Join our team for one of the most beautiful races in New England and raise money to help Upper Valley families.

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OUR COMMUNITY IMPACT

LEARN ABOUT THE PLACES WE WORK AND THE RESULTS WE ACHIEVE, THANKS TO SUPPORTERS LIKE YOU

1,361 CHILDREN (1,016 FAMILIES) BENEFITED FROM OUR PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

WE OFFER MEANINGFUL, TAILORED AND TIMELY SUPPORT TO YOUNG CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES IN THEIR HOMES, AT OUR CENTER, OR IN OTHER SETTINGS WHERE FAMILIES ARE, LIKE EARLY CARE SITES OR PEDIATRIC SETTINGS.

IN A CHILD'S NATURAL SETTING

SUPPORTS ARE PROVIDED IN A CHILD'S NATURAL ENVIRONMENTS, ANY PLACE A CHILD AND FAMILY LIVES, LEARNS, AND PLAYS

284 FAMILIES

RECEIVED SUPPORT AND EDUCATION THROUGH HOME VISITING, ELIMINATING THE TRANSPORTATION BARRIER AND OFFERING SERVICES IN A NATURAL SETTING

91 CHILDREN

IN DCF CUSTODY BENEFITED FROM SPECIALIZED SERVICES AND SUPPORTS

25 CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

RECEIVED NURSING VISITS TO HELP ENSURE A HEALTHY START IN THE EARLY YEARS OF THEIR CHILD'S LIFE

86% OF FAMILIES

REPORTED THAT THEIR INVOLVEMENT WITH THE FAMILY PLACE HAD A POSITIVE IMPACT ON THEIR LIVES

"EVERYONE INVOLVED HAS GIVEN US ALL THE TIPS, TRICKS AND TOOLS NECESSARY TO HELP MY DAUGHTER EXCEL IN HER AREAS OF DELAY."

- PARENT OF CHILD RECEIVING EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES

180 CHILDREN

RECEIVED DEVELOPMENTAL SCREENINGS AND WERE SUPPORTED TO MEET MILESTONES

40,000+ MILES

WERE DRIVEN BY HOME VISITORS, ENABLING CHILDREN ACCESS TO OUR SERVICES



IN PEDIATRIC CLINICS

SINCE OCTOBER 2018, WE HAVE HAD A FAMILY SUPPORT HOME VISITOR EMBEDDED INTO THE PEDIATRIC CLINIC AT DARTMOUTH-HITCHCOCK MEDICAL CENTER THROUGH THEIR **STRONG FAMILIES, STRONG STARTS** INITIATIVE.

WE HAVE AGREED TO PARTNER WITH THE OTTAUQUECHEE HEALTH CENTER TO OFFER **PROJECT DULCE**, AN INNOVATIVE INTERVENTION EMBEDDED WITHIN PEDIATRIC PRIMARY CARE, FOCUSED ON THE WELL-BEING OF NEWBORNS AND THEIR FAMILIES.

WE AIM TO SUPPORT AND ENGAGE WITH MORE PARENTS THROUGH THESE STRATEGIES. THESE COLLABORATIONS WILL ENABLE US TO REACH FAMILIES EARLIER IN THEIR CHILDREN'S LIVES.

44 NEW FAMILIES

RECEIVED SUPPORT AS A RESULT OF OUTREACH THROUGH THE STRONG FAMILIES, STRONG STARTS INITIATIVE AT DARTMOUTH-HITCHCOCK, WHERE SPECIALISTS HAVE BEEN ON-SITE FOR 52 WEEKS

"FAMILIES ARE SEEING THEIR HEALTH CARE LINKED WITH THEIR COMMUNITY AND ARE EMBRACING THIS EXTENSIVE CARE RELATIONSHIP."

- HOLLY GASPAR, DARTMOUTH-HITCHCOCK'S COMMUNITY HEALTH PARTNERSHIP COORDINATOR

AT OUR PARENT CHILD CENTER

535 FAMILIES

WITH YOUNG CHILDREN RECEIVED FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO HELP MEET BASIC NEEDS, INCLUDING CHILD CARE TUITION

"IT WAS HARD TO HAVE MY KIDS AROUND ME. NOW, I JUST LOVE THEM TO PIECES."

- FATHER IN THE FAMILIES LEARNING TOGETHER PROGRAM

166 PARENTS AND CAREGIVERS

PARTICIPATED IN EDUCATION EVENTS, GROUPS, WORKSHOPS, AND PLAYGROUPS

108 CHILDREN AND ADULTS

WHO DISCLOSED SEXUAL ABUSE OR PHYSICAL ABUSE RESULTING IN INJURY WERE SUPPORTED BY A TRAUMA-INFORMED MULTI-DISCIPLINARY RESPONSE

BRAIN LAB

WAS DESIGNED BY STAFF THROUGH OUR WORK WITH THE CENTER ON THE DEVELOPING CHILD AT HARVARD. THIS INTERVENTION SUPPORTS PARENTS IN UNDERSTANDING HOW TO SUPPORT HEALTHY BRAIN DEVELOPMENT IN THEIR BABIES AND TODDLERS

100% OF PARTICIPANTS IN THE FAMILIES LEARNING TOGETHER PROGRAM

AGREED WITH THE STATEMENT IN OUR SURVEY: **"WHEN I AM WORRIED ABOUT MY CHILD, I HAVE SOMEONE I CAN TALK WITH"**

28 CHILDREN AND 25 ADULTS

ENGAGED IN THERAPY SERVICES WITH OUR MENTAL HEALTH CLINICIAN

24 CHILDREN

ATTENDED OUR 5 STAR CHILD CARE CENTER