



# Annual Report Highlights



The Children's Trust

# 20 Years Nurturing Greatness

## Stories of Impact



### Helping Our Youth Develop to Their Fullest Potential

Sheyla C., an 11th grader at Booker T. Washington Senior High, first visited the Trust-funded Overtown Youth Center (OYC) while in elementary school and attended after-school and summer programs throughout her childhood. She has also worked in the OYC's youth employment program, where she gained valuable career experience while saving money. Her first summer she saved \$500, and by the summer of 2022, she had saved \$2,000. "Each work experience, I decided to increase my savings goal to see if I could meet or exceed the amount. Attending sessions taught me how to budget and have money for emergencies."



### Giving Parents Tools to Help Raise Their Children

The Alegre family has participated in the Trust-funded enFAMILIA organization's programs for years. Taking part in enFAMILIA's Nurturing Parenting Program, which promotes healthy family relationships by improving communication to build a happier, healthier home life for children, has helped mother Pinita Alegre learn parenting skills that she had never been exposed to. "enFAMILIA has given me so much. They taught me what it really means to be a parent – how to help my children develop morally, educationally and socially," said the mother. "I wouldn't have learned that with anyone else if they were not there for me."

# More than **\$162 million** supported children and families across Miami-Dade County in **2021-2022**



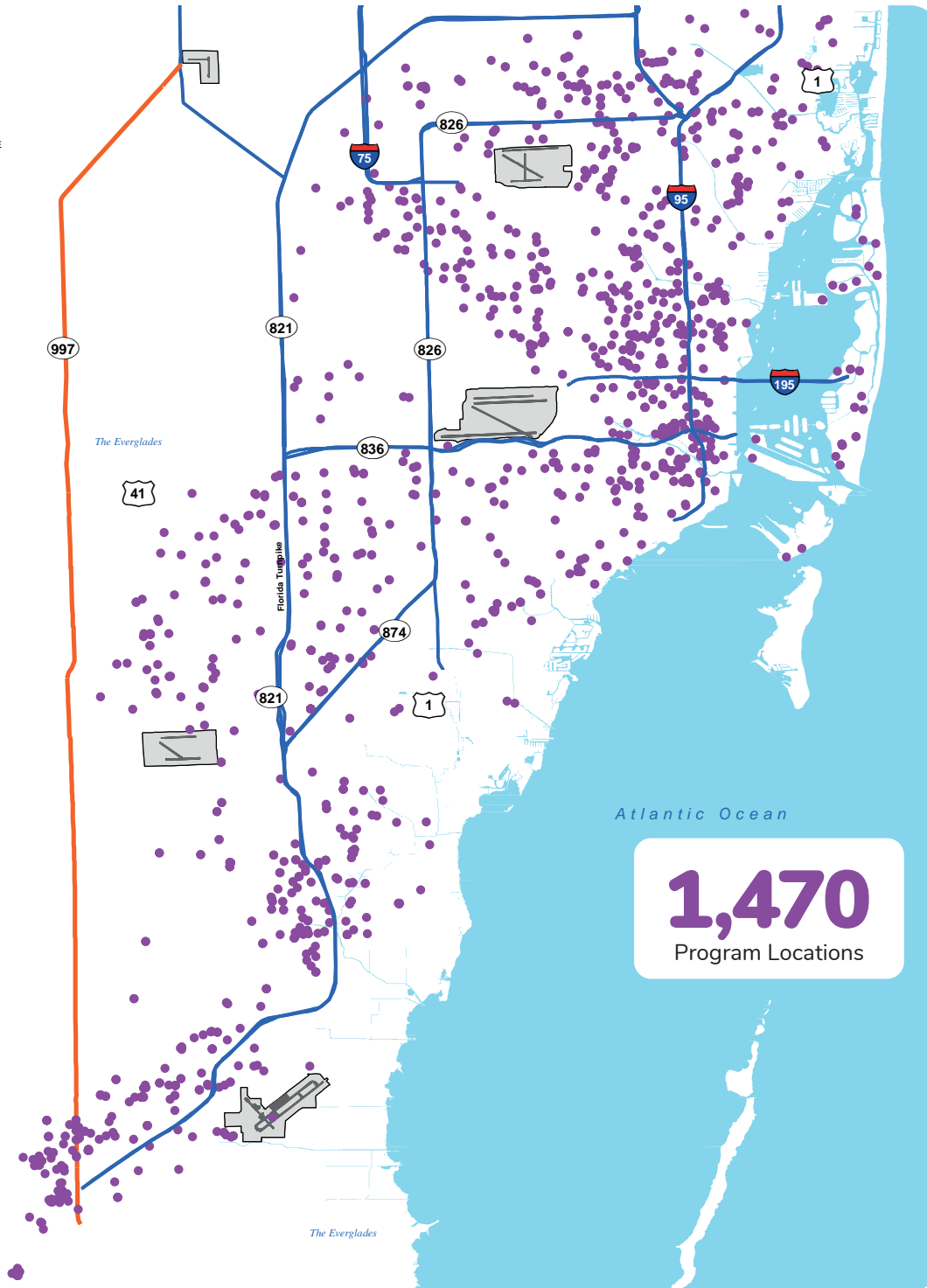
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On September 10, 2002, voters overwhelmingly approved the creation of The Children's Trust by a 2-to-1 vote. As The Trust reaches its 20th Anniversary, it is celebrating the many accomplishments and positive impact it has had, always with a focus on finding additional ways to serve the children and families of Miami-Dade County.

Like the children served over the past two decades, The Children's Trust has grown over its first 20 years. Its development has been shaped by learning, growth, challenges and successes that have led to a direct impact on millions of lives.

Visit [www.TheChildrensTrust.org/20Anniversary](http://www.TheChildrensTrust.org/20Anniversary) to learn more about the work in its first 20 years.



**THRIVE  
BY**

**5**

**294** programs in the early  
childhood quality  
improvement system  
served **25,159**  
children



**4,680**

children accessed  
high-quality early child  
care and education

**4,944**

children under **5** received  
**7,343** developmental  
screenings, assessments  
and early interventions



**Youth  
development**

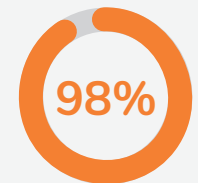
**2,729**

youth completed paid  
summer internships.

**30,783**

children and youth served  
in **505** after-school,  
summer camp and youth  
enrichment sites

Nearly **20%**  
report living with  
disabilities



reported being  
satisfied with  
the experience



# 11,071

children and youth accessed health, vision and dental care, and injury prevention education through mobile unit service delivery

**70,085**  
students made

**235,885**  
visits to school health clinics

# 1,478

children and parents were helped to access

# \$1.5 million

in federal funds leveraged by The Trust's \$600,000 helped provide

# \$778,503

in tax credit, home energy assistance, SNAP and unemployment benefits

# 476,858

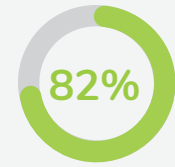
meals and snacks in youth programs



Parenting

# 6,808

families received ongoing parenting supports and behavioral health services from 47 programs



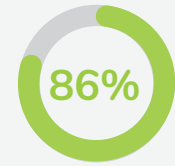
82% of families increased positive parent-child interactions

# 10,061

parents attended one-time workshops through the Parent Club

# 36%

of families report having at least one child with a disability



86% of children improved or maintained appropriate behavior



Family Supports

# 47,408

calls to the 211 Helpline

# 43,799

active Book Club members at year's end

# 2,356

families with **4,343** children experiencing significant life challenges received individualized care coordination from 14 partnerships

Top 5 needs of 211 Helpline callers



# 603,750

books distributed through multiple efforts





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