Program Overview

May 2017 Update

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The ultimate purpose of Children Matter! Montgomery County is to improve access to care and expand the array of coordinated services and supports to the target population.

- SAMSHA Grant Application Submitted: Spring 2014.
- Grant Approved: 9/30/2014-9/29/2018
- Total Budget- $3,044,394
- Client Criteria
  - Age 5-14
  - Complex Mental Health Diagnoses
  - Involvement in juvenile justice system

Program Start Date- July 1, 2015

Family is not an important thing. It's everything.
Michael J. Fox
Background

What is Children Matter! Montgomery County

Touching key points and times for Children of Montgomery County.

Children Matter! Montgomery County was projected to serve between 200-225 children throughout the lifetime of the project.

- Almost 60% of the children are male and most of them (90%) are between the ages of 10-14.
- Over half (51%) are African American and most of them live in either suburban or urban communities that are designated as low socioeconomic status (87%).
- More than half of the children are diagnosed with Oppositional Defiant Disorder (51%), and the most common reason for their referral into the juvenile justice system is due to unruly behaviors (32%).

*Based on Application for Funding
Within the first two years of Children Matter! Montgomery County, the team has developed and interconnected a diverse story, that touches the minds and hearts of Montgomery Country residents while also fostering an environment of learning for the families inside the program.

**Traditional Communications Materials**
- Brochure/Pamplets were developed and distribued (Over 20,000 Produced)

**Meetings, Site Visits, Talks**
- Over 100+ meetings across Montgomery County, ranging from small one-on-one meetings to auditorum size meetings

**Digital Communications**
- Website - 20,000 vistors in the past 2 years
- Facebook - Over 200 Impressions
- Twitter - Over 150 Likes

**Awards and Achievements**
- 2-Proclamations for Mental Health Awareness
- 3 Large Scale Celebrations, (2 Movies, 1 Museum Visit)
Audiences:

- **CMMC Families**
  - Average Adult age 20-27
  - 2-3 Children
  - Class 2 income
  - Directionally SPH

**Community Partners**

- Identified
  - Juvenile Court System
- NAMI
- Local School District
- South Community
- WSU
- UD
- ADAMHS

**Potential CMMC Families**

- Criteria
  - Montgomery County Resident
  - Children Age 5-14
  - Mental Health Diagnoses
  - Juvenile Justice System Involvement

**The Numbers**

How many people has Children Matter! touched

**PROGRAM REFERALS**

Total Referrals: 235
How many people has Children Matter! touched

New Clients Opened

Total Program so far - 204 Clients
MAY IS
NATIONAL MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH

YOUR FAMILY IS INVITED TO ATTEND A FREE MOVIE

Choose a Free Movie
Saturday, May 13, 2017
9:30 A.M. - 11:45 A.M.
Danbarry South
8300 Lyons Ridge Dr.
Dayton, OH 45458

Seating is Limited
Free Movie & Children's Popcorn

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