



# ORANGE COUNTY



## The Reality

A report of child abuse is made every **10** seconds

**5** children die every day from abuse and neglect

**33%** of reported child abuse cases involve children under age 5



## How We Prevent Child Abuse

### Strengthen Families & Communities



#### Prevention

- Family Resource Centers**  
Family friendly, community-based collaboratives with the capacity to provide on-site access to comprehensive prevention and treatment services
- Focus on Families with children birth to five years**  
Child development, parent education, home visitation, healthy eating, infant health, parents' and children's support groups
- Family Support**  
Address the specific needs of refugee children, immigrant families, fathers, relative caregivers, childcare, youth after school and linkage to local community resources

#### Mental Health Services

Targets young children, adolescents and their families with the goal of eliminating psychiatric conditions that impair the child's functioning

- Individual and Family Therapy, Parent Education via Outpatient Services, Wraparound and Day Treatment Program**

#### Family Foster Care & Adoption

- Foster Care and Foster-Adopt**
- Private Adoption Home Study Program**
- Resource Parent Recruitment and Training**



### Help Other Organizations

#### Technical Assistance

- Strategies TA** - supporting community-driven networks throughout California • [strategiesca.org](http://strategiesca.org)

### Transform Communities & Systems

Develop best practices to transform systems within and among organizations that improve community outcomes that are scalable and sustainable

- Network Anaheim**
- Public Policy and Advocacy**

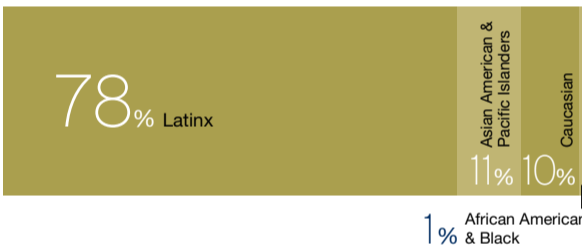
### Parents Who Participate in Our Programs:

- GAIN** confidence in themselves and their ability to parent.
  - DEVELOP** strong social connections and relationships with others in the community.
  - BUILD** a network of support and increase each other's potential that benefits their families and neighborhoods.
- These factors help reduce the likelihood of abuse and neglect.*

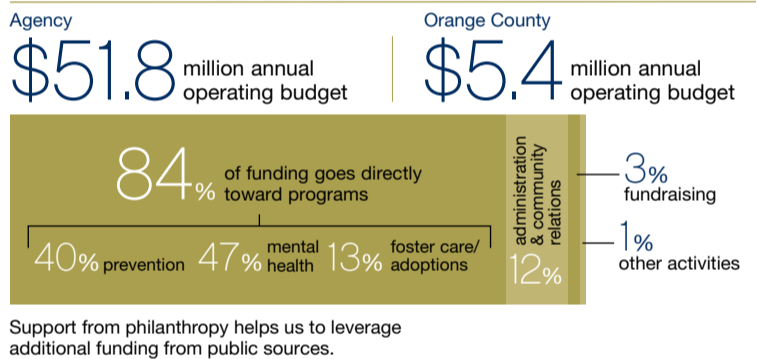
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### Client Profile

**77** percent of families are low income



### Financial Overview



### Children's Bureau is...

- One of the largest investors in child abuse prevention in the country.
- A credible and innovative child welfare leader.
- Leveraging comprehensive strategies to revolutionize the way child abuse and neglect are addressed.
- Strengthening the capacity of an entire area to build protective and supportive communities where children thrive.
- Offering a return on investment that saves money and lives.

### A Proud History

- Founded in **1904**
- Vital partner in starting the Community Chest, now the United Way
- Key role in establishing the USC School of Social Work

### Children and Families Reached

More than **7,500** children and parents helped each year in Orange County

Serving children birth through age 21, with special emphasis on children **birth to 5**

### Volunteers and Staff

- 16** Agency Board of Directors members
- 7** Orange County Trustees
- 1** Auxiliaries and Support Groups
- 66** Employee Positions



**vision**  
Children thriving in strong families and communities

**mission**  
Protecting vulnerable children through prevention, treatment, and advocacy

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Community sites in Antelope Valley, Metro Los Angeles and Orange County.

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