Health and Mental Health Services for School-Aged Children

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A U.S. Department of Education Promise Neighborhood
Development Triangle for Community Schools

- Core Instructional program
- Enrichment—educational & cultural

Removing barriers to learning & development

- Health
- Dental
- Mental Health
- Social Services

The Children’s Aid Society
The Promise Heights Pipeline

Perinatal Programs
Early Childhood Programs
Elementary School Programs
Middle School Programs
High School Programs
College Programs
Workforce Development

Family, Social Service and Health Programs

Community-Building Programs
Customized supports for each student

- Housing
- Career & Finance
- Health
- Parent Education
- Early Childhood
- K—12
- College
- Community School Coordinator
Indicators of Progress

• Decreased infant mortality to same as Roland Park, decreased pre-term and low birth weight babies.

• Parent University I & II: 175 families graduated with a significant increase in responsive parenting behavior.

• School Readiness: All three elementary schools outscored Maryland students demonstrating school readiness: EM (30%); FLT (35%) and HSCT (38%) versus Maryland (20%) SY 16-17

• Out of School Time: 460 students participate from 5 schools.

• Decrease in chronic absenteeism rates.

• Mentoring: 63% of boys enrolled in Seeds of Promise had an average increase of 48% in GPA from SY 14-15 to SY 15-16.

• Health: Through treatment, education, prevention and control of dental caries the percentage of the percentage of screened children who had cavities changed from 51.6% of children screened in October 2016 to 20.5% in June 2017.

• Approximately 500 children followed by the Breathmobile last year. Data showed a 66% decreased Emergency Room visits, 60% decrease in hospitalizations, and 59% decrease in missed school days.

• Financial Education: 2,979 tax returns prepared for free in partnership with Baltimore Cash Campaign, resulting in over $4.25 M in federal and state tax returns to city residents’ tax years 2013 through 2016.