



Grand Beginnings

Advocacy/Policy, Early Childhood Council, Early Learning & Development, Family Support and Parent Education Services, Other Nonprofit Organization

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Grand and Jackson Early Childhood Council

Description:

Grand Beginnings was appointed by the county commissioners of Grand and Jackson Counties to convene and coordinate the Grand and Jackson Early Childhood Council in February 2017. The Grand and Jackson Early Childhood Council works to convene community stakeholder to take a cross-sector approach to ensuring a high quality early childhood system that promotes quality, accessibility, capacity, and affordability of services and programs that address family support and education, health and well-being, and learning and development.

Primary Role of Program in Early Childhood Systems:

System Coordination

Service Area(s):

Grand, Jackson

Population(s) Served:

Prenatal, Newborn, Infants, Toddlers, Preschoolers, Kindergartners, 1st Graders, 2nd Graders

Services This Program Provides that Advance the *Early Childhood Colorado Framework*:



Health & Well-Being

All health care providers, including mental health, deliver coordinated, family focused care



Health & Well-Being

Settings and practices promote strong relationships, social and emotional development, appropriate nutrition and physical activity



Health & Well-Being

All environments are safe, free of toxins, have affordable foods and offer physical activity



Learning & Development

All children are ready for school and achieving by 3rd grade regardless of ability, race, place, income, language and culture