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LOCAL MANAGEMENT BOARD FUNDED PROGRAMS - FY25

The Talbot Family Network (TFN) [Board of Directors](#) approved funding for these programs for Fiscal Year 2025. As the county's [Local Management Board](#), TFN administers funding from the Community Partnership Agreement of the [Maryland Children's Cabinet](#).

This funding is targeted at providing local resources for strengthening community-based services to children, youth, and families with a focus on increasing childhood well-being, and with intentional efforts to address childhood trauma and Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs), as well as racial and ethnic disparities. Each program responds to one or more of the Governor's [Child Well-Being Results](#).

The LMB Board of Directors review local data and collect public input through community assessments to identify local needs, gaps and priorities. From this process, funding strategies are determined. Program vendors are selected through a bid process.

Afterschool Programming

Building African American Minds, Critchlow Adkins Children's Centers and Talbot Mentors

Safe and supportive out of school programs providing academic enrichment, recreation, and project-based learning. This programming addresses the physical, social and emotional disruption brought on by the COVID-19 pandemic. Students need expanded support to emerge from the pandemic strong, resilient, and hopeful.

RESULT: Families are Economically Stable

INDICATOR: Childhood Poverty

Conversations on Race

Talbot Family Network

This program integrates a Community of Practice strategy with training, tools, and grants aimed at building the capacity of community members, leaders, and organizations as equity practitioners. Through this program, we engage participants along a continuum of readiness helping people and groups move through the stages of awareness, acceptance, accountability, alignment, and action.

RESULT: Families are Economically Stable

INDICATOR: Child Poverty

Healthy Families

Talbot County Health Department

Healthy Families is a prenatal through age 5 home visiting program for high-risk families that supports the development of healthy, stable, economically self-sufficient parents by capitalizing on the worker/parent relationship and leveraging this trust to engage the mothers in self-development and behavior change. The Healthy Families model is a leading family support and evidence-based home visiting program in the U.S.

RESULTS: Families are Economically Stable

INDICATORS: Child Poverty

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Healthy Habits

Chesapeake Multicultural Resource Center

Healthy Habits is an after school hunger and nutrition education program targeting Free and Reduced Meal qualifying students at Easton Elementary School with research-based nutrition education and after school meals.

RESULT: Families are Economically Stable

INDICATOR: Childhood Hunger (local indicator)

Local Care Team

A clinical resource and forum for assisting families of children with intensive needs and promoting interagency discussion and problem solving for individual child, family, and systemic needs. Meeting participation is limited to representatives from local and regional child and family serving agencies and parents/caregivers in order to respect the privacy of the participating children and families.

Healthy Talbot

An on-line and print directory connecting Talbot County families with local events, programs, and resources.