

We provide the citizens of Chambers County, Alabama the following services:

Parenting Services:

Great Expectations & Special Deliveries

These two monthly home visitation programs offer parents the opportunity to learn about how to better care for their children during each developmental stage.

Small Wonders & Gift of Life

This program is offered to Medicaid eligible mothers as a way to educate and provide support to them during their pregnancy.

Parent Project

The Parent Project is a nationally recognized program that has proven to be effective for parents with ages five through eighteen.



School-Based Services:

Abstinence Education / Positive Youth Development

Our SmHeart Choices program works primarily with seventh and eighth grade students. This program encourages youth to remain sexually abstinent until marriage.

Parenting Education

Through our Great Expectations / Special Deliveries programs we provide classes to high school students that focus on parenting skills needed to raise a baby in a safe and stable home.

Relationship Skills

Our Marriage Education Project offers classes in middle and high schools that promote positive relationship skills designed to increase the number of healthy marriages as the students become adults.

At-Risk Youth Presentations

The SkillBuilders Program offers schools various presentations dealing with: violence prevention, anger management, conflict resolution, and substance abuse / tobacco prevention.

Pediculosis Prevention

Recognizing that head lice has negatively affected school attendance, we have formed a collaborative partnership with schools to provide education and resources about head lice prevention and treatment.

Adult Services:

G.E.D. Classes and Work Keys Certification

We offer services such as preparation for the G.E.D. exam and certification in Work Keys to assist adults in maximizing their earning potential. Through these opportunities adults gain computer literacy skills and other employability skills. G.E.D. classes are offered in partnership with Southern Union Community College.

Employment Preparation Services

Working with the Department of Human Resources we are able to provide an employability skills training program to TANF eligible consumers along with job development services.

Marriage Enrichment

Through the Alabama Community Healthy Marriage Initiative we are excited to be able to offer several different series of classes to improve the quality of marriages and relationships.

Tobacco Prevention

Both the financial and health consequences of tobacco use is tremendous. We offer community presentations, displays, and cessation information to interested individuals.

Community Presentations

We provide presentations highlighting all of our programs, and always place an emphasis on child safety, to churches, civic clubs and organizations.

Case Management:

A Case Manager is available to discuss your situation individually and confidentially. If the Center is unable to meet your need the Case Manager can discuss with you other options through our community partners. We provide food referrals to Interfaith Food Closet and the Christian Service Center along with applications for Food Stamps, All Kids Health Insurance, FEMA, information about possible assistance with utilities and shelter, medication assistance information, health care transportation (the Care Van) and other information about our partner agencies.



Our Vision

The Circle of Care Center for Families aspires to help make Chambers County a place where children are protected and loved, individuals are respected, families are empowered, and community is valued.

Our Mission

The Circle of Care Center for Families offers programs and services designed to strengthen and support families while improving the quality of life and promoting the safety and well-being of children in Chambers County.

Our Values

We believe that all families and individuals can build upon their strengths and increase their self-sufficiency and self worth through empowerment, skill building, information, encouragement and direction. We are committed to equipping families with the knowledge and resources they need to nurture and rear their children in a safe, stable home environment by demonstrating dignity, compassion and respect for the families we serve; integrity in all that we do; and accountability in the management of our resources.

Our Staff

Gloria Hull, Kathy McWhorter, Nancy Poole, Adrian Carpenter, Shannon Boyd, Kea Costley, Laurie Yates, Joanne Kehoe, Donna Sauvigne, Jackie Davis, Jonathan Herston, Stephanie Thomas, Florence Yates, John Branch, and Denise Haskins

Our Board of Directors

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