Parent Child Centers

SAPCC is one of 15 Parent Child Centers in the state of Vermont making up the VT Parent Child Center Network. We serve southern Windsor and northern Windham counties, We are a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization governed by a volunteer board of directors and believe that healthy families are the cornerstone of our community.

Our Mission

SAPCC builds bridges of support for children, families and caregivers by:

- Fostering relationships;
- Establishing a culture of learning;
- And engaging in community collaborations

...to shape opportunities for the world around us.







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PARENT CHILD CENTER

Building Bridges of Support for Children, Families & Caregivers



Our History

SAPCC was incorporated in 1992 to address the increasing demands on families in the greater Springfield, Vermont region. Since then we have grown from a small space with just a few employees, to our current large campus on Main Street in North Springfield where we employ **over 35 staff members who build bridges of support for over 3000 individuals each year.**

Our Team

Our team of professionals consists of developmental educators, social workers, therapists, clinicians, nurses, teachers and more. SAPCC has a positive, family-oriented environment that honors work-life balance by providing flexibility, competitive compensation, and a comprehensive benefits package. If you are interested in becoming part of our team, you can find our job postings on indeed.com.



Programs & Services

HOME VISITS

Home visits are available through Children's Integrated Services for families who have:

- A child with medical conditions or developmental delays.
- A need for family or parenting support, mental health, or preventative nursing services.

PARENT EDUCATION & SUPPORT

Parenting classes using evidenced-based and evidence informed curriculums, support groups, resources and information available both online and in-person.

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

PlayWorks Child Center provides quality childcare and preschool in a nurturing environment to children ages 6 weeks to 6 years.

WELCOME BABY & DIAPER BANK

Any parent or guardian with a baby living in our service region can access free diapers and wipes from our diaper bank, as well as receive a free Welcome Baby Bag filled with gifts and resources.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Working with schools, parents, community members and other agencies, SAPCC helps develop programming and events that meet the needs of families with young children in our community. We also provide several meeting spaces free of charge to community groups – call to reserve a space.

PLAYGROUPS

Free playgroups offer parents and children opportunities to socialize, learn and have fun in a safe environment.

CHILD CARE SUPPORT SERVICES

Referral and financial assistance for childcare, summer camp and before/after school care.

FAMILY SUPPORTIVE HOUSING

The FSH program engages homeless and atrisk families in case management to address obstacles regarding housing needs, acquire housing, and provide up to 24 months of support and services.

DULCE

Developmental Understanding and Legal Collaboration for Everyone (DULCE) is a sixmonth program for parents of newborns receiving care at Mount Ascutney Pediatrics. DULCE provides information, support, and connects families to existing community resources available to them.

OUTREACH, INFO & REFERRAL

SAPCC provides a welcoming environment with professional staff who are ready to address the immediate needs and/or contribute to the long-term well-being of families. We serve as a first-contact for parents and caregivers; providing information as well as connecting families with local or statewide resources.