# Learning Recovering Thriving





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We present to you the Early Childhood Learning Center's class of 2017-18! The Center is a nationally accredited preschool with a therapeutic approach that helps children ages 3-5 acquire skills necessary to prepare them for kindergarten and beyond.

## Dear friends,

If you know The Village, you know that we are always looking to the future — to do better, to do more, to embrace best practices and innovation...to help even more people in need.

We strive to achieve more because we know that, even in times of economic growth, families still struggle. We know that a full-time minimum-wage job isn't enough to pay rent, let alone support a family, and that toxic stress can interfere with a family's ability to support their children's social, emotional and academic development. We also know that mental illness can affect anyone at any time.

Our growth is rooted in the needs of our community. Our adult services clinic receives so many referrals that we've outgrown our space, and our new medication assisted treatment program is helping address the growing opioid epidemic. Our Aspire, Connect, Thrive (ACT) Academy at Rawson school in Hartford is demonstrating new ways to support students who have experienced trauma and help them be successful in school. This year, we are expanding our psychiatric residential treatment program for children, following the closing of a similar facility and addressing a critical need as emergency room visits are increasing in hospitals across the state.





Even as The Village grows and innovates, one thread weaves through all we do: **helping children**, adults and families make real and meaningful change.

Because the issues facing our clients are complex, our response is multi-faceted. We provide the service needed in the right place at the right time.

Of course, we can't do it alone. Our partners, volunteers, donors and amazing staff are the driving force behind our success. We are grateful for their — and your — support as we continue this life-changing work.

Andrew G. Baldassarre Board Chair

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Galo A. Rodriguez, MPH
President and CEO



# Learning

When Jasan lost his father, it kind of troubled him in school. The ACT Academy helped me to find answers and resources to help him with his behavior at home and school. ACT helped me become a stronger, more patient parent. It helped Jasan change his behavior he's more respectful now to the teachers and students. If Jasan wasn't a part of ACT, I really wouldn't know what option I would have out there.

Brianna Burnam
Parent of Jasan Begley,
ACT Academy participant

When kids make poor choices in school, it affects their ability to learn, and that of their classmates. Addressing the root cause of the behavior is far more effective than punishing negative behavior. Trauma — from depression or addiction in the home, neighborhood violence or the constant stress of poverty — can limit a child's ability to engage in school. The **ACT (Aspire, Connect, Thrive) Academy** at Rawson STEAM School in Hartford is helping to address trauma school-wide. ACT provides trauma screening and treatment, play therapy and afterschool programming for students. Parents learn how to support their children socially, emotionally and academically. And teachers and administrative staff receive support to build a trauma-informed school environment. The goal is to improve students' resilience, academic performance, healthy behaviors and positive attitude in school and at home.

"When a student's world is in chaos, learning is not that student's priority. It is in our best interest as a community to remove those barriers to student success. What I've seen The Village do with the ACT Academy at Rawson school demonstrates that we can create trauma-informed school systems and environments that allow each student to pursue their highest potential."

Dr. Leslie Torres-Rodriguez Superintendent of Schools, Hartford Public Schools





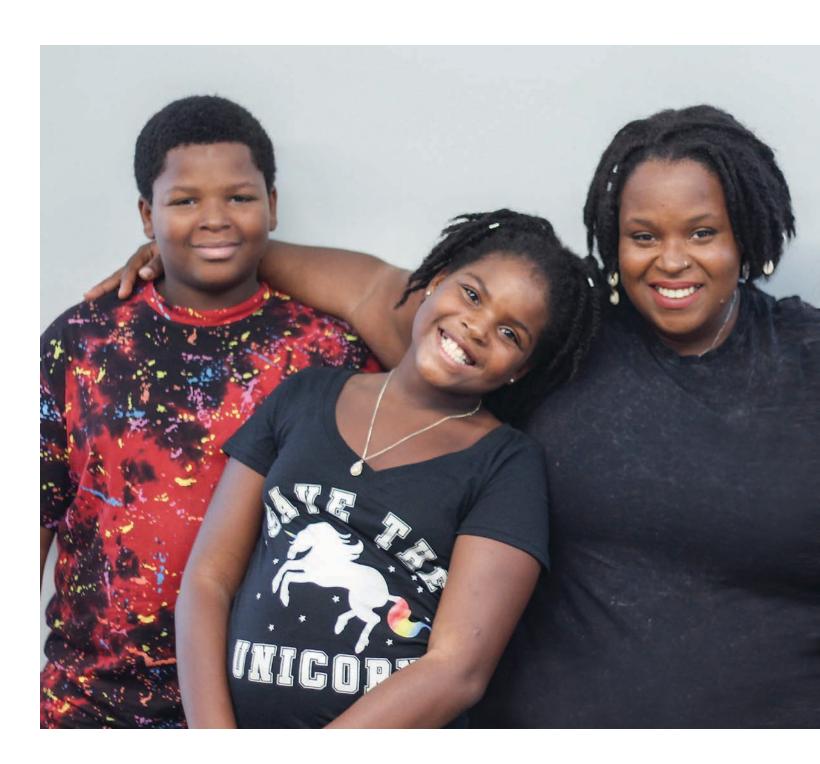
# Recovering

They gave me the tools I needed to change my outlook, and helped me understand my problems so I could make better decisions about my behavior. I could never have done it by myself. Now, I spend my time on positive things, like going to the gym and working on my business. I have a lot more hope about the future and what I can accomplish.

Rattanak Ouk MAT program participant There's no doubt, overcoming addiction is hard. Sometimes, behavioral therapy alone isn't enough. With opioid and heroin addiction on the rise across the country, behavioral health organizations are turning to **medication assisted treatment** (MAT) to improve outcomes for clients and patients facing drug and alcohol addiction. The Village has added a MAT program to its list of services for adults. The program includes prescriptions for medications that reduce cravings and withdrawal symptoms, individual and group therapy, ongoing drug screening, and recovery and employment coaches. The services work in combination to help recovering adults build the resilience they need to overcome addiction and maintain sobriety in the future.

"The Village is uniquely qualified to provide comprehensive MAT services for families, given its service continuum across the lifespan. The Village has proactively connected with many other providers and stakeholders in the greater Hartford community to facilitate referrals and work collaboratively to treat people in need."

Nancy Navarretta, MA, LPC, NCC Deputy Commissioner Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services



My life before KIDSAFE was hectic. I was stressed with anxiety, both my kids were misbehaving at school and I didn't know what to do. I started learning how to be more nurturing to my kids, which was really important to me. I am proud of myself and I'm happy that I get to pass something on to my kids so that they can pass something down to theirs, too. I was willing to change as a parent and learn and it really did help me. I don't know if I would have my kids today if I didn't, to be honest.

Shanthal Nichols
KIDSAFE Parenting Support
Services participant

WATCH: www.thevillage.org/thriving

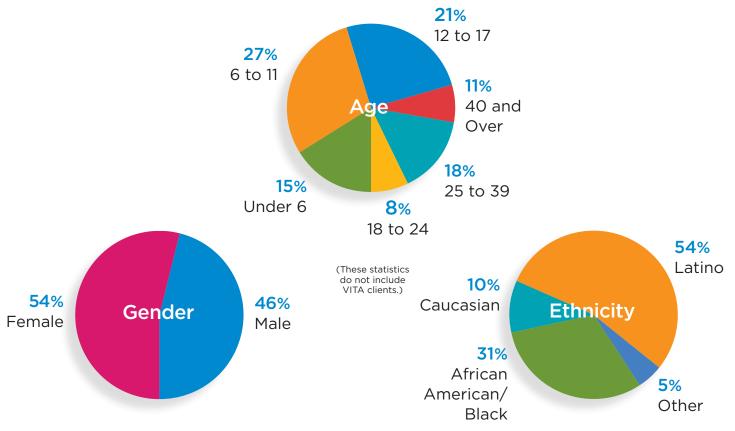
# Thriving

It's been said that parenting is the hardest job in the world. As fulfilling as it is, it's also stressful. When kids misbehave, refuse to listen to their parents or have angry outbursts, parents can feel at a loss. One way to support parents is to help them better understand the meaning behind their children's behaviors so they can respond with empathy and positive interventions. **Parenting Support**Services, a weekly in-home program of KIDSAFE CT, an affiliate of The Village in Vernon, does just that. Staff provide parents with strategies to manage problem behaviors, enhance parent-child relationships and create a safe and nurturing environment where their children can thrive. Parents gain the skills they need to address future challenges and help their children grow stronger and more independent.

"KIDSAFE is our partner in strengthening parents and family relationships. This directly and positively impacts the well-being of children in our community, which is critical to the success and sustainability of our Town."

Daniel A. Champagne Mayor, Town of Vernon





Our programs address all levels of need — from prevention to crisis intervention and everything in between. Here are just a few of the outcomes achieved by the children, families and adults we serve.

91% of the youth attending our enrichment after-school programs attended school 90% or more of the time.

of the families served by our Words
Count program, which uses innovative tools and data to increase parent-child bonds and literacy development, demonstrated improved parenting skills.

Participants in our
Financial Center, which
helps individuals and
families achieve financial
stability, decreased their
debt by an average of
\$1,54.3.

99% of the children attending our Extended Day Treatment therapeutic after school programs did not require further hospitalization, intensive treatment or out-of-home placement while in the program.

75% of children receiving services from our outpatient Enhanced Care Clinic demonstrated decreased problem severity.

Of the clients successfully completing substance abuse treatment,

70% were competitively employed.

82% of the children served by our Eagle House psychiatric residential treatment program went to a less restrictive environment upon leaving the program.

83% of the children in our foster care programs remained stable in just one foster home over 12 months.

88% of the youth receiving intensive psychiatric services, which help children and youth stabilize at home and decrease time spent in hospitals, did not require psychiatric hospitalization while in the program.

# Client Satisfaction

Client feedback and input is key to our ability to continue to provide quality, effective services. While we're always looking for ways to improve, we are pleased with the results of this year's surveys.

Program	Overall Satisfaction	Access to Services	Cultural Competency	Engaged in Treatment Planning	Improved Social Support
Extended Day Treatment	95%	98%	98%	91%	95%
Enhanced Care Clinic	99%	95%	99%	99%	97%
Intensive In-Home Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Services (IICAPS)	93%	96%	98%	97%	95%
Multidimensional Family Therapy Program (MDFT)	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Child First	100%	100%	100%	93%	86%
Reunification and Therapeutic Family Time	96%	95%	95%	95%	96%
Community Support for Families	100%	99%	100%	100%	NA
Overall	97%	97%	98%	97%	96%

The Village helps bring the family together in support of the child.

They care. They listen to us. They help with all the things we need.

Clients in our intensive psychiatric services program, which helps children and vouth stabilize at home and decrease the amount of time spent in hospitals

# Financial Report





If you have any questions about our financials, please feel free to contact Martin Morrissey, Chief Financial Officer, at mmorrissey@thevillage.org.

# A Passion for Cars and Helping Kids

On a rainy Monday morning, Jerry Bundy stopped by his office at Bundy Motors in Tolland before heading out to pick up a car from a longtime friend and customer. Jerry doesn't own the shop anymore — he's retired after 38 years there and 60 in the automotive industry. But now he combines his two passions: cars and raising money for child abuse prevention 

After raising a

child abuse prevention programs.

After raising a million dollars for KIDSAFE CT, an affiliate of The Village, through the KARS for KIDS program, Jerry is now "on his second Arter raising a million dollars for KIDSAFE through KARS for KIDS, Jerry is now "on his second million."

million." He accepts donated cars, boats, campers and motorcycles and does whatever is needed to make them safe and sellable — with all of the profits supporting programs provided by KIDSAFE. He'll pick up or tow a car to the shop if needed, the shop mechanics do a full safety check and fix what's needed (brakes, lights, etc.), then Jerry sells it.

It all started in 1981 when he joined the Exchange Club of Rockville and learned about plans for a new program for children and families called KIDSAFE.

The Exchange Club president asked for a volunteer to help lead the effort and Jerry found himself raising his hand. He called upon his many friends, colleagues and business connections to help get the new organization up and running.

KIDSAFE is now a thriving community-based organization dedicated to early intervention, prevention, and treatment of child abuse and neglect. Its mission is to "partner with the community to educate and empower families and promote the well-being of young people."

Jerry stayed involved all these years because of the "stories he heard about the parents who were helped" by KIDSAFE and "how appreciative they were." A lifelong car enthusiast, Jerry was often attending — and winning — awards at car shows across the country. At a car show in Boca Raton, he learned that they made \$9 million in one weekend. He said to his friend, Gordon, shop manager of Bundy Motors and another



person dedicated to KIDSAFE (as most of Jerry's friends are), "If they can make \$9 million, we can make \$9,000 — for KIDSAFE." So they came home and pitched the idea to their friends. Long story short, they organized the first Car Show for KIDSAFE and raised \$9,000. And held it every year since (for eight years), raising nearly \$100,000.

Jerry's life is about cars, friends, family and KIDSAFE. And there is little that separates them. The result is that more children and families in the community have the help they need to be safe, stable and healthy.

WATCH: www.thevillage.org/jerry

# Leadership Giving (2017-18)

**Support** means many things here at The Village. Caregivers **support** their families financially, socially and emotionally. We **support** children, adults and families as they work to make real and meaningful change in their lives. Individuals, organizations, corporations, foundations and governmental agencies **support** our work by donating their time, talent and treasure. To each of you, we say **THANK YOU!** It means so much to the staff — and to the children and families we serve — to know that you are there to support us.

# Federal, State and Municipal Agencies

Advanced Behavioral Health
City of Hartford
Connecticut Department of Children and
Families

Connecticut Department of Education Connecticut Department of Housing Connecticut Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services Connecticut Department of Social Services

Connecticut Judicial Branch - Court Support Services Division Connecticut Office of Early Childhood Connecticut Office of Policy and Management

Hartford Public Schools
Internal Revenue Service
U.S. Department of Health a

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services U.S. Department of Justice

The Hartford supports The Village in so many ways — one of them being providing gifts to our annual Holiday Giving Tree toy drive for the children and families we serve. Pictured are Donna Jolly, The Village vice president for advancement, and Diane Cantello, The Hartford vice president of corporate sustainability.

# Virginia Thrall Society \$100.000+

## **ORGANIZATIONS**

Glastonbury Auxiliary of The Village
The Hartford
Hartford Foundation for Public Giving
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Connecticut

# Augusta Williams/Gray Lodge Society \$50,000+

## **ORGANIZATIONS**

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## Alison Gill Lodge Society \$25.000+

## **INDIVIDUALS**

Donald and Jane Richter\*

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Ensworth Charitable Foundation
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There's something so special about families helping families! This year, Judy Kissane launched the Kissane Family Emergency Assistance Fund, which provides direct aid to families who receive services from The Village. Pictured are Judy Kissane (center) and two of her three sons, Bill and Chris, along with Galo Rodriguez, president and CEO of The Village.

# **Brainard-Goodwin Society** \$5,000+

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# **Trumbull-Robinson Society** \$1,000+

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Mr. Jim Carroll



At our annual Girl Within Luncheon, our sponsors and (nearly 500!) attendees helped us raise over \$170,000 to support The Village's life-changing programs for at-risk girls and young women. Pictured are Galo Rodriguez, president and CEO of The Village; Alana Farnsworth, guest speaker; Jeanmarie Cooper, board member and event chair; Regina Louise, author and keynote speaker; Irene O'Connor, news anchor and event emcee; Francine Christiansen, 2018 Woman of the Year; and Sarah Morin of The Hartford, presenting sponsor.

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Stefanie Diaz and Karen Tiroletto (to the right) of XL Catlin have chaired an annual Easter Basket Drive to benefit the children of The Village since 2012.



Shari Fiveash from the Connecticut Conference of Municipalities, presents The Village's board of directors with a generous donation, representing a third of the profits from their first annual CT Charity Triple Crown.



Not only did Prudential donate over \$600 to our annual uniform drive, they also went above and beyond by donating 160 backpacks filled with school supplies for the children we serve. Thanks to their generous support, many students were able to start the school year off on the right foot.



Mark Montalvo (second from right) shared how programs at The Village helped him at The Village's 8th annual Foursomes for Fatherhood golf tournament. Several sponsors and 114 golfers helped raise more than \$90,000 for fatherhood and family support programs of The Village. Also pictured are Galo Rodriguez, The Village president & CEO; Edwin Castro, family support specialist, and Brian Reilly, board member and event chair.

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We were lucky enough to have a dedicated group of volunteers from KPMG work with our preschool children on different activities and crafts. The smiles on the children's faces truly say it all — we are grateful for KPMG's continued support!



We were thrilled to celebrate the grand opening of The Financial Center, where families can access budget coaching, career counseling, tax preparation and more at no cost. We are grateful to our partners, United Way of Central and Northeastern Connecticut and Women United for United Way®, and all of our many supporters, including Bank of America, which provided the first grant for the program in 2011. On hand to cut the ribbon were: Galo Rodriguez, The Village president & CEO: Paula Gilberto. United Way president & CEO; Vittoria Pace, chair of Women United®: Hartford Mayor Luke Bronin; and Joseph Gianni, market president - Hartford region, Bank of America.

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Skylar Sylvester and Araya Muska of Windsor Locks organized three "more than lemonade" stands to raise money for The Village. They combined what they raised with some of their own money to purchase things they thought new mothers who access our services might need.

## **ENDOWMENT GIFTS**

A strong endowment is a critical component of an institution's financial strength. Funds established in support of The Village's endowment provide program support for the families we serve today and for future generations. They also generate steady and predictable income for daily operations. We are grateful to the donors who established these lasting gifts.

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Assistance Fund

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The Village Legacy Society is a devoted group of donors who have named The Village as a beneficiary in their estate plans. Their generous bequests will enrich, sustain and preserve our services, establishing an enduring legacy of caring, protection and support for the children, families and adults we serve. We are honored to be the guardian of these meaningful contributions.

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Ms. Jennifer R. Walkwitz
Mrs. Louise M. Wilder

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This year's recipients of the Abbott-Carlson Scholarship gathered with Linda Carlson (the scholarship's creator) and their mentors. The scholarships help young women who have accessed The Village's programs attend college and become financially self-reliant.

The volunteer-run Auxiliaries of The Village have been supporting programs that help transform the lives of children and families for over 60 years.

This year, the
Glastonbury,
Simsbury and
Suffield Auxiliaries
contributed more
than \$279,000
to The Village. Since
their creation, the
three Auxiliaries have
contributed a total of
more than \$5.5 million
to our organization.

Top to bottom: Suffield Auxiliary, Simsbury Auxiliary and Glastonbury Auxiliary





# About The Village

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An affiliate of The Village, KIDSAFE CT is dedicated to the early intervention, prevention, and treatment of child abuse and neglect. Its mission is to "partner with the community to educate and empower families and promote the well-being of young people."

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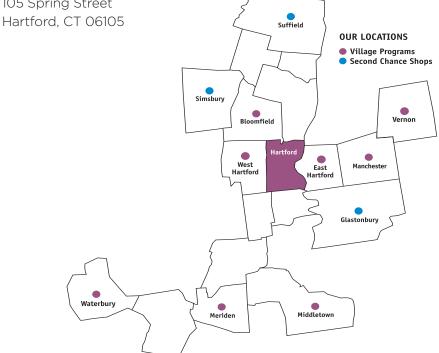
1680 Albany Avenue Hartford, CT 06105

## THE VILLAGE SOUTH

331 Wethersfield Avenue Hartford. CT 06114

# THE VILLAGE CENTER FOR FAMILY LIFE AT GRAY LODGE

(including RAMBUH Family Center) 105 Spring Street



## THE VILLAGE MATERNAL, INFANT, AND EARLY CHILDHOOD HOME VISITING PROGRAM

One Regency Drive Bloomfield, CT 06002

## **KIDSAFE CT**

An affiliate of The Village
19 Elm St., Vernon, CT 06066

# **Extended Day Treatment Locations**

The Village Main Campus

300 Parker Street Manchester, CT 06042

282 Main St Ext. Middletown, CT 06457

210 Pomeroy Ave Meriden, CT 06541

## **Group Home**

Alison Gill Lodge Manchester, CT

## **Integrated Pediatric Clinics**

A partnership with Connecticut Children's Medical Center

800 Connecticut Blvd., 1st Floor East Hartford, CT 06108

65 Kane Street, 2nd Floor West Hartford, CT 06119

## **Foster Care Recruitment Office**

15 Boyden Street Waterbury, CT 06074

# The Village provides services in these Hartford schools:

- Alfred E. Burr Elementary School
- Asian Studies Academy at Bellizzi
- Bulkeley High School Teacher Preparation and Humanities Academies
- Burns Latino Studies Academy
- Dr. Michael D. Fox Elementary School
- Hartford Public High School
- Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Elementary School
- Milner Elementary School
- Museum Academy at Wish
- OPPortunity High School
- Sarah J. Rawson Elementary School
- S.A.N.D. School
- Thirman Milner School
- West Middle School

## **COMMITTEE OF THE AUXILIARIES**

The Village and the children and families we serve are fortunate to have the support of more than 500 volunteer Auxilians. Among many other things, the Auxilians run our Second Chance Shops, thrift boutiques that sell new and gently used

clothing and household items. All proceeds from the Shops support The Village.

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#### LICENSURE & ACCREDITATION

# Department of Children and Families Licenses

Child Care Facility to provide
Group Home Services
Child Care Facility to provide
Temporary Shelter Services
Child Placing Agency and
Foster Care and Adoption
Services
Extended Day Treatment
Outpatient Psychiatric Clinic for
Children
Residential Treatment

# Department of Public Health Licenses

Adults
Facility for the Care or
Treatment of Substance
Abusive or Dependent
Persons

Psychiatric Outpatient Clinic for

## Office of Early Childhood

Child Day Care Center for Preschool Services

## State Department of Education

Approved Private Special Education Program

## **Accrediting Bodies**

American Psychological
Association
The Joint Commission
National Association for the
Education of Young Children
(NAEYC)

# ASSOCIATIONS & MEMBERSHIPS

Alliance for Children & Families
Association of Psychology
Postdoctoral and Internship
Centers
Asylum Hill Neighborhood
Association
Blue Hills Civic Association

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With The Village's help, I was able to advocate and receive important school resources for my daughter. They were helpful, knowledgeable and willing to go the extra mile to be sure we found success.

 Client in our Child First program, which helps reduce the impact toxic stress can have on a child's development by strengthening parent-child relationships and addressing families' basic needs

## They are a family they love my child.

~ Parent of a child participating in our Early Childhood Learning Center



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to build a community of strong, healthy families who protect and nurture children

