

CHILDHOOD PROSPERITY LAB

ADVANCING SOCIAL INNOVATIONS THAT SUPPORT CHILDREN, FAMILIES,
AND COMMUNITIES.



Founded in 2015, Connecticut Children's Childhood Prosperity Lab advances social innovations that support the optimal health, development and well-being of children and families where they live, learn, work, play, and pray.

WHAT MAKES THE CHILDHOOD PROSPERITY LAB UNIQUE IS OUR APPROACH TO:

- Co-designing solutions in partnership with children, families, and communities using human-centered design.
- Strengthening family and community protective factors to support child health and well-being.
- Advancing systems change to help children and families thrive in all areas of life.

Collaboration is key to our work. We partner with practitioners, service providers, families, and changemakers across Connecticut and beyond to improve child health outcomes. Our multidisciplinary team at Connecticut Children's brings expertise in family sciences, child development, public health, and more to drive impactful change.

YOU CAN COLLABORATE WITH THE LAB THROUGH:

- Mastermind Sessions
- Technical Assistance and Practice Change
- Training Opportunities



of children's health is affected by a combination of social, environmental, behavioral, and genetic factors.

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THE NUMBERS BEHIND OUR WORK

- 72 Mastermind Sessions that leveraged 65 advisors from across Connecticut Children's.
- 2 National Learning Communities and 2 National Communities of Practice in collaboration with Help Me Grow National Center.
- 9 Strengthening Families Protective Factors Framework Introductory Trainings and 1 Community of Practice in collaboration with North Hartford Ascend.
- 98% of Strengthening Families Protective Factors Framework Introductory Training participants agreed or strongly agreed they understand the framework's importance.

HEAR FROM OUR PARTNERS

"Think-aloud testing (human-centered design method) was a fantastic way to get feedback on this project. We learned a lot from users' comments, questions, and ideas as they explored the tool and (we) learned from watching the way they interact with the tool's interface. The insights gained from this process will definitely make our project a more effective resource."

1:1 Technical Assistance Recipient

"This was such a valuable experience. It helped us realize we are on the right track and also gave us action steps we can take to enhance the app and our outreach efforts. We are so thankful so many wonderful people joined together to brainstorm and give feedback."

Mastermind Participant



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