Black Family Development, Inc.

Annual Report

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Black Family Development, Inc.

Our Mission

Since 1978

To strengthen and enhance the lives of children, youth, and families through partnerships that support safe, nurturing, vibrant homes and communities."

Our Vision

To be the self-sufficient premier provider of comprehensive family counseling services to children, youth, and families - the pacesetter for quality, innovative services and training with national recognition.

We are Committed to:

- ~ Improving the Well-Being of Children
- ~ Improving Academic Results
- ~ Expanding Positive Youth Development
- ~ Improving Support to Families
- ~ Building Community Capacity
- ~ Improving Neighborhood Safety
- ~ Achieving Promise Neighborhoods Results

Welcome

Welcome to Black Family Development, Inc.'s Annual Meeting. We are pleased to share with you the organization's accomplishments, progress and milestones achieved during our 2014 fiscal year. This was another banner year, as we continued to advance the mission of the organization and implement strategies to advance our commitment to: improving the well-being of children, improving academic results, expanding positive youth development, improving support to families, building community capacity, improving neighborhood safety, and achieving Promise Neighborhoods results. As evident in our annual program evaluation, we continue to improve consumer access to services, increase consumer satisfaction, yield measurable and planned outcomes, and scale up the impact of quality of life indicators.

This was the year of our three-year CARF re-accreditation process for 14 of BFDI's service components. Once again, the organization earned another three-year accreditation . . . the highest ranking of accreditation from CARF. The following represents a synopsis of just a few of the strengths of the organization, as cited by the CARF survey team:

- BFDI has excellent leadership provided by a talented, respected, and visionary CEO who
 reports to a governing body of dedicated individuals.
- The senior leadership team is composed of individuals with lengthy experience in their roles at BFDI, and who are equally dedicated and very mission focused.
- Meeting and exceeding CARF standards are part of the fabric of the organization.
- The leadership and staff are thoroughly knowledgeable, not only of the CARF standards, but the intent behind each of the standards.
- The result is an organization that, by every measure of the standards, is pacesetting in the field.
- The performance information and management system, and the performance improvement system are deserving of special recognition.
- BFDI provides considerable consumer driven service outcomes, which speak well to the willingness to ensure accountability for its performance.

Congratulations to the Board of Directors, consumers, and the entire BFDI team who ensures continuous compliance to not only CARF standards, but the standards of all regulatory bodies. We are making a difference.

Thanks to each of our attendees today and our network of partners who are committed to improving the quality of life for all residents in Detroit and the surrounding region. Once again, welcome to Black Family Development, Inc.'s Annual Meeting.



Dee Dee McKinney Odom Board President





Alice G. Thompson Chief Executive Officer

Consumer Satisfaction

Growing up, it was my mother who raised me with the help of my sister. My mom worked at Henry Ford Hospital, and did home care. My mom always stayed on me. She wanted me to make the right choices. She kept me in extra activities and made sure I went to church every Sunday.

As a teen, I started to hang around the wrong crowd. This crowd was stealing, breaking into homes, fighting, and doing a lot of other things. I knew I shouldn't have been "hanging around" with them.

In 1999, my mother got sick and wasn't able to take care of me and my sister. Unfortunately, my sister started to sell drugs. I started stealing, and doing whatever I needed to do to eat and have clothing. One day my friend and I broke into a garage and stole a BB gun. While playing around with the BB gun, I shot another kid. He was seriously injured, and I ended up going to Juvenile Court. I did 6 months in the Elliot Juvenile Facility. Due to good behavior, I was released early and placed with Black Family Development, Inc. Black Family Development helped open my eyes. They helped me to stay focused; and most of all, they helped to make sure that I didn't go back and follow on the wrong path.

I learned from my past. I wanted to do better for myself. I didn't want to work for anybody, so I thought of owning my own business. I wanted a career that would be fun; where I could make great money, and do something that people would always need. I always had an artistic mind, and a love for doing hair.

I "googled" hair schools, and ended up enrolling at Virginia Farrell. In a year and a half, I graduated. I found my career in the beauty industry. I founded and opened my business, **Salon Gorgeous You Are,** and have successfully operated it for the past 3 years.

Thank you, Black Family Development, Inc. Brandon

> "I have learned that success is to be measured not so much by the position that one has reached in life as by the obstacles which he has had to overcome while trying to succeed." Booker T. Washington

Consumer Satisfaction

In 2014, BFDI received input from 1,613 consumers who voluntarily participated in BFDI's Satisfaction Survey. Of these participants, 98% reported satisfaction with BFDI services.

Staff Satisfaction

Having worked for nonprofit agencies for the past 20 years, I was laid off unexpectedly in the Spring of 2012. Really dedicated to working in the community, I was at a low point and concerned about not only my future, but the future of my former agency. Not long after that, one night I was at the Roostertail for a Kick-Off Event, and the "Spirit" whispered in my ear to go ask Alice Thompson if she had any positions open. I was obedient to that inner voice, and Ms. Thompson told me to submit my resume. I was called for an interview; and shortly after, I was hired to work in the Promise Neighborhoods Department. Prior to the interview, I read up on BFDI, starting with the agency's mission . . . "To strengthen and enhance the lives of children, youth, and families through partnerships that support safe, nurturing, vibrant homes and communities." BFDI's mission spoke straight to the "heart of faith, service, collaboration, caring, sharing, repairing, healing, helping, and building", all the tenets of which I believe. My first day of orientation was as impressive as I've ever seen in its thoroughness and professionalism. I quickly saw a level of commitment and genuine caring among the

staff that was warm and welcoming, not only to the consumers and clients, but also among their fellow colleagues. I knew right away I wanted to be a part of that culture. The depth and breadth of an organization can be measured by what the population it serves thinks of it. One of my first field assignments was to go door to door building a database and a map of Promise Neighborhoods. One day while canvassing, I came across a young teenage male on his front porch, and from the sidewalk I stated I was from Black Family Development distributing family resource information and asked if his parents were home. The young brother went inside to deliver the message and came back saying his mother said she was not interested. I proceeded next door announcing my arrival from the sidewalk, "Black Family Development, distributing Family Educational Resource Information" to which the resident came on the porch to greet me. While exchanging information, the mother from the previous house came on the porch to observe what I and her neighbor were discussing. After our conversation was concluded, she called me to come back to her house and this is what she said: "Mister, my son didn't tell me you were from Black Family Development. I had a good experience with them a few years ago. I'm interested in hearing what you have to say because I trust your agency. They really help people!" That spoke volumes to me. BFDI's brand has the respect of the community. Trust does not come easy! I have found a home.

After now being with the Agency 3 and ½ years, one thing that is crystal clear to me about this BFDI experience; "we are on a spiritual journey, empowering and impacting lives". BFDI lives and breathes its Mission. Positive cliché's have their place in life, especially when they aptly describe something or someone truly deserving of accolades. "To save the people, you must first serve the people..... to lead the people, you must love the people". BFDI does both extremely well . . . serve and save, lead and love; as these qualities are engrained in its organizational DNA. BFDI values the populations it serves, through quality, professional, and courteous work practices. From the moment you enter its doors, through the tenure of your stay or service, the BFDI Mission lives through each and every BFDI experience! I found a home and it although it might be a cliché, "there is no place like HOME!"

To GOD Be the GLORY! Derek Blackmon, Director Neighborhood Safey Initiative

Community Champion Award Recipient

In keeping with Black Family Development, Inc.'s commitment to *Improving Academic Results, Improving the Well-Being of Children, and Expanding Positive Youth Development,* we proudly salute DAPCEP (Detroit Area Pre-College Engineering Program)

DAPCEP's Mission is to increase the number of historically underrepresented students who are motivated and prepared academically to pursue degrees leading to careers in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) related fields through K-12 supplemental educational programming. DAPCEP's vision is: *Metropolitan Detroit is a global hub of STEM industry with a highly skilled local workforce. Every Michigan student in grades PK-12 has access to quality STEM educational program and professional exposure that ensures successful completion of college and local career placement.*

DAPCEP is the organization of choice for maximizing the potential of Michigan youth for success. Kenneth Hill founded DAPCEP in 1976. The initiative began in partnership with the University of Michigan and Michigan State University to provide engineering-focused programs to Detroit Public Schools students. Over the course of 38 years, DAPCEP has grown to serve 4,000 youth annually in partnership with eight Michigan universities and numerous corporations and community-based organizations.

We teach

- Nanotechnology
- Renewable energy
 - Robotics
 - Computer programming Chemical engineering
- Mechanical engineering
- Algebra, Calculus, Geometry
- Video game design
- ACT preparation
- Entrepreneurship and much more to metropolitan-Detroit youth!

Children and teens work in science and engineering laboratories on college campuses, and have opportunities to meet engineers, doctors, scientists, college students, and other role models. A variety of program formats are offered. During the fall and spring, students attend courses that take place over 5 consecutive Saturdays on university, professional, and community campuses. In the summer, students attend commuter or residential camps at Michigan universities, gaining exciting exposure to college life! In-school programming at select schools is also offered.



Community Champion Award Recipient

A Michigan Works! Agency

Black Family Development, Inc. is committed to *Improving Support to Families* and is proud to recognize Detroit Employment Solutions Corporation.

Detroit Employment Solutions Corporation is the fiscal and administrative agent of the Detroit Workforce Development Board (DWDB), a body appointed by the Mayor. The DWDB is accountable to the Mayor's office for the successful delivery of workforce programs across the city of Detroit, and is comprised of a group of dedicated professionals who generously provide their services free of charge. More importantly, DWDB members bring a wealth of skills and experience from both the public and private sectors, including manufacturing, economic development, law, retailing, labor, government and higher education.

Detroit Employment Solutions Corporation (DESC) takes an active interest not just in adult job seekers, but also in the next generation of Detroit talent. From the time they enter high-school up to age 21, DESC engages with Detroit youth across a wide range of areas, from additional education or training opportunities, to career advice and coaching, to work-readiness programs and credentials.



The Detroit Employment Solutions Year-Round Youth Program improves the long term employment prospects of young people by providing:

- Case management
- Basic and work readiness skills training
- Occupational training
- Paid work experiences
- Follow-up and supportive services to eligible in-school and out-of-school City of Detroit youth ages 14-21.

DESC is responsible for assisting Detroit employers find employees, and jobseekers find jobs. Of course, there's a lot more to it than that, but those are DESC's primary functions.

2014 Logic Model Outcome Data

Improving the Well-Being of Children

BFDI is uniquely positioned to advance our work in improving the well-being of children, youth, families and the community. We offer a continuum of child welfare, juvenile justice programs and services that are designed to support our consumers' needs.

Programs include:

- Care Management Organization (CMO)
- Integrated Services Program (ISP)
- Intensive Family Services (IFS)
- Wraparound
- Youth Assistance Program (YAP)
- Utilization Review (UR)

Juvenile Justice Case Management Services for Adjudicated Youth and Families

- 90.85% of juveniles remained free of felony convictions while enrolled in BFDI's program.
- 87.61% of juveniles remained free of a felony conviction after 2 years completion of BFDI programs, and living in the community.

Juvenile Justice Treatment Services for Adjudicated and Probation Youth and their families.

- 95.83% of youth on probation (ISP) did not experience an increase in their level of care.
- 87.61% of juvenile offenders with special needs (i.e., medical, mental health) were successfully placed. Youth began treatment within 30 days of acceptance into BFDI programs.
- 94% of Wraparound consumers reported service satisfaction and daily functioning improvements.
- 83% of youth served in Wraparound participated in community resources such as Community Mental Health resources.

2014 Logic Model Outcome Data

Improving Support to Families

The essential partner to developing strong and viable neighborhoods of promise is the family. Black Family Development, Inc. (BFDI) provides essential services to aid in the effective functioning and stability of the family unit. Family preservation has been and remains a cornerstone of BFDI's work. Retaining and strengthening the bond of family is the ultimate goal of BFDI. Nurturing, caring and supportive families result in communities that reflect those values.

Programs include:

- •Family Preservation Treatment Services/
- •BFDI Families First of Michigan Program (FFM)
- •Central Intake
- •Drug Court (*Mental Health Court Relapse Prevention Services*)

BFDI Families First of Michigan Program (FFM)

- 99% of families remained intact during FFM participation.
- 83% of families have reported avoiding placement
- 79% of families have reported avoiding placement six (6) months after FFM discharge

Central Intake

 Central Intake responded to and assisted 1,215 persons in 2014

Of the 1,215 requests:

- 77 consumers requested Holiday assistance in 2014
- 73 requests for food were made
- 195 requests for housing assistance

Drug Court/Mental Health Court Relapse Prevention Services

- 81 persons received Drug Court/ Mental Health Court Relapse Prevention Services.
- 75% of consumers successfully completed the program.
- BFDI Staff facilitated 104 Relapse Prevention groups and provided 52 weeks of individual case management

Board of Directors

Officers

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Alice G. Thompson, Chief Executive Officer Kenyatta Stephens, Chief Operating Officer Jane Fernanders, Chief Financial Officer Heaster Wheeler, Chief Innovation Officer

Annual Meeting Program Thursday, June 25, 2015

Welcome Alice G. Thompson, CEO Black Family Development, Inc.			
Invocation			
Breakfast Served			
CEO RemarksAlice G. Thompson			
Business Meeting Dee Dee McKinney Odom, President BFDI Board of Directors			
Community Champion Awards			
Alice G. Thompson			
Presented to: DAPCEP (Detroit Area Pre-College Engineering Program) & Detroit Employment Solutions Corporation (DESC)			
Consumer Remarks			
Staff Remarks			
Staff Recognition			
Closing Remarks Alice G. Thompson			
Benediction			

Building Community Capacity



Neighborhoods can significantly influence the vision of who one is and what they may hope to become.

In 2014

352 Block Clubs in Osborn and Cody Rouge are being sustained and connected to their respective neighborhood associations and youth development opportunities.

3800 (duplicated count) Osborn and Cody residents were provided with a variety of Leadership Trainings through community luncheons in 2014 (13,752 in both neighborhoods cumulatively).



Monthly community luncheons are convened in the Osborn and Cody Rouge areas to share information and celebrate accomplishments. In Cody Rouge an average of 150 community residents attend, and in Osborn an average of 200 community members participate.

Improving Neighborhood Safety

Restorative Practices In 2014

6000

1092 persons were trained in the International Institute for Restorative Practices model; (2,993 persons cumulatively trained to-date.)

- Detroit Public Schools
- Detroit Police Department
- Community OrganizationsYouth Groups

Restorative Practices Handbook for Teachers, Disciplinarians and Administrators

by Bob Costello, Joshua Wachtel and Ted Wachtel

Black Family Development, Inc. is an affiliate of the International Institute for Restorative Practices, an accredited graduate school. Introduced in 2011, the Restorative Practices approach to conflict resolution builds, repairs and strengthens relationships to encourage positive pro-active rather than reactive behaviors. While the approach is essential to positive community development, it is critical to supporting positive youth development initiatives by preventing and intercepting program problems.

Achieving Promise Neighborhoods Results

<u>In 2014</u>

Black Family Development, Inc.'s Promise Neighborhoods (PN) initiative is a multifaceted approach to improving educational outcomes for children and support to families in two Detroit neighborhoods; Clark Park and Osborn. Strategic collaborations and partnerships-that deliver sustainable positive outcomes-define success for the Promise Neighborhoods initiative. BFDI's Promise Neighborhoods work, in the absence of federal funding, was met with the reward of collaborating with invested partners to move the work of Promise Neighborhoods on behalf of our city's most vulnerable youth and families. That challenge resulted in hall-mark achievements that are paving the pathway for 2015 activities:

Pi	romise Neighborhoods 2014 Accomplishments	Date
and Clar	t Schools Detroit partnered with BFDI to engage PN Osborn k Park residents in training and performance evaluation site Vayne County public and charter schools.	January – March 2014
dissemii educatio	or America students designed, compiled, trained on, and nated contents of 100 back packs filled with early childhood on games, learning tools, crayons, and fine motor skill ment instruments for PN families in Osborn and Clark Park.	January 2014-August 2014
implemo Neighbo Detroit	d consensus by Education Work Group members to ent a common philosophical approach within the 7 Promise orhood schoolsRestorative Practices (RP). PN partner, Public Schools consents to use of District Professional oment Day to train principals, teachers, and staff in the RP	March 14, 2014
Osborn Center (Wayne. educatio complet	entation of an Early Childhood Pilot with PN partners: residents, Above and Beyond Early Childhood Learning ABLC), Leaps and Bounds, and Great Start Collaborative – 21 families consented to participate in early childhood on and consultation. Ages and Stages Questionnaires were ted by families. Over 80% of ABLC children scored within normal ranges for age-appropriate functioning for ages 6 months to 4.5 years old.	April 2013-April 2014
	There were nine children whose ASQ-SE scores resulted in concerns that may lead to further monitoring and assessment. Parents received referral information for further evaluation through Early On.	

Detroit Clark Park/Osborn Promise Neighborhoods Vision:

"All Children in the Detroit Clark Park/Osborn Promise Neighborhoods will have access to excellent schools, positive youth development opportunities, graduate from high school on time and be prepared for college without the need for remediation courses. Families will have all the support and resources they need to make their children successful in life."

• Above and Beyond Early Childhood Learning Center accomplishes the first Quality Rating Implementation Scale (QRIS) state- certification and designation in the Osborn community.	June 2014
 National – level public relations/media promotion by Promise Neighborhoods Institute for Detroit's Progress. 	June – July 2014
 Awarded \$25,000 grant from PN partner, DAPCEP, to implement Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics, and Medicine (STEMM) training to youth. 	September 2014- March 2015
• Excellent Schools Detroit partnered with the University of Chicago and BFDI to incorporate a modified Promise Neighborhoods medical home question into the 5 Essentials Survey being administered in January 2015 to Detroit Public Schools students and their families.	September – December 2014
 Follow-up / Re-engagement with Wayne State University regarding PN evaluation. 	December 2014
 Implementation of the Master Data Sharing Agreement exemplified by the receipt of batch Detroit Public Schools data, as well as Great Start Collaborative – Wayne data. 	Throughout 2014



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Consolidated Statement of Activities Year Ended December 31, 2014

		Special Events Other
		Events, Other
Public Support and Povonuo:		Substance Educational In-Kind &
Public Support and Revenue:		Abuse Services Interest Family
Public Support		Treatment 11% Income 8% Preservation & 1% Support 7%
One sight Frankt		170
Special Events	\$ 212,881	Prevention
[Net of expenses]		10%
Revenue		
Interest Income	\$ 165	
Other	242,979	
In-Kind Services *	945,262	Juvenile
Family Preservation & Support	1,365,919	Justice
Juvenile Justice Services	12,152,260	Services
Prevention	2,016,794	63%
Substance Abuse Treatment	117,458	Public
Educational Services	2,189,681	
Total Public Support & Revenue	\$ 19,243,399	Support
••	. , ,	and
		Revenue 2014
Expenses:		
Program Services		Management Family & General, & Preservation &
Family Preservation & Support	1,031,921	Educational Other
Juvenile Justice Services	12,175,351	Support
Prevention	2,016,794	Services 11% 7% 6%
Substance Abuse Treatment	117,458	Substance
Educational Services	2,189,681	Abuse
Total	\$ 17,531,205	Treatment
	φ 17,331,203	1%
Supporting Services		Juvenile
Management & General	1,177,694	Justice
(Includes In-Kind) *	1,177,094	Prevention
Total Expenses	\$ 18.708.899	10% 65%
¹ Changes In Net Assets	\$ 18,708,899 \$ 534,500	Expenses 2014
Net Assets Beginning of Year		
	722,761	
Net Assets End of Year	\$ 1,257,261	
¹ See also notes 6, and 11 in the A	Audited	
Financial Statements		
or the year ended December 2014,	the	
alue of In-Kind Donations were as follows:		Completed 2014 Financial Statements, were audited by:
onated Services *	\$ 945,262	Gregory Terrell & Company - Certified Public Accountants
	,, 	535 Griswold - Suite 2000
		Detroit MI 48226

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Statement of Activities - Growth Indicators for years 2003 through 2014

Revenue				
Year	Revenue		Growth Rate	
	[in :	millions]	From	
			Previous Yr.	
2003	\$	24.2	4%	
2004	\$	22.9	-5%	
2005	\$	21.1	-7.9%	
2006	\$	26.6	26.1%	
2007	\$	29.2	9.8%	
2008	\$	28.9	-1.0%	
2009	\$	26.1	-9.7%	
2010	\$	22.5	-13.8%	
2011	\$	18.7	-16.9%	
2012	\$	18.6	-0.5%	
2013	\$	17.7	-4.8%	
2014	\$	19.2	8.5%	
	*Average Annual Growth			
BFDI	20	03-2014	-1%	
*Service Industry Norms 2%				
*Counseling Agencies with 200 or less staff				
*Bureau of Labor Statistics				

Client Population Base

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Year	Total	Consumers	Families	
03	16,195	10633	5562	
04	16,233	10644	5589	
05	15,035	9580	5456	
06	14,293	8813	5480	
07	12,873	8108	4765	
08	9,071	6081	2990	
09	7,193	4561	2632	
10	5,346	3601	1745	
11	13,348	10225	3123	
12	10,879	8180	2699	
13	8,704	6544	2160	
14	8,617	6479	2138	
	*Average An]		
BFDI	2003-2014	1%]	
*Service Industry Norms 2%]	
*Counseling				
*Bureau of La				







Staff

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Year	Total Staff	Direct	Admin.		
03	158	128	30		
04	158	130	28		
05	119	97	22		
06	125	103	22		
07	136	110	26		
08	134	108	26		
09	111	94	17		
10	95	75	20		
11	82	68	14		
12	100	83	17		
13	91	74	17		
14	129	108	21		
	*Average Anr				
BFDI	2003-2014	3%]		
*Service In]				
*Counseling					
*Bureau of La					

BFDI Educational Services

Reginald Kirkland, Chief Operating Officer Dr. Ronald Williams, Superintendent Patricia Davis, Interim Principal

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HOPE ACADEMY "Where Children Are Our Priority."

Hope Academy Mission: "To provide a positive nurturing and collaborative educational environment where we ensure the intellectual, social, and physical development of every student."





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Thursday, November 12, 2015 2015 Annual Presidents' Dinner MGM Grand Detroit