

TWO-GEN
APPROACH
PILOT PROGRAM

YEAR 4, QUARTER 3 REPORT
APRIL-JUNE 2024

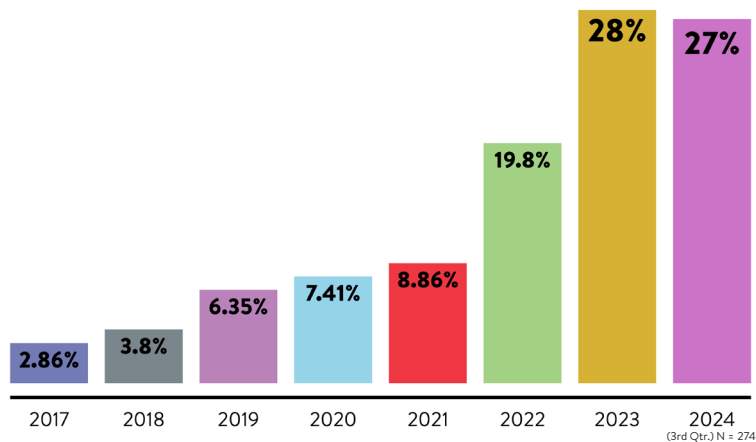


QUARTER 3 REPORT

Agape Child & Family Services (Agape) collaborates with various stakeholders to increase economic security for under- and unemployed Memphians. Partnering with the Tennessee Department of Human Services, Agape expanded the Powerlines Community Network (PCN) to enhance services for TANF-eligible Memphis families, focusing on Frayser, Hickory Hill/Southeast Memphis, and Whitehaven. **The 2Gen model aims to improve education, economic mobility, health, and social capital.**

A PROVEN METHOD FOR REDUCING POVERTY

The available poverty rate data (N=274) reveals that 27% of clients served for over a year are above the federal poverty level (FPL), reflecting their most recent poverty status. During quarter 3, Agape achieved all five key indicators: empowering parents as primary teachers; increasing education and job training participation; boosting earned income; and **providing services to 2,924 families and 4,984 individuals**. Agape delivered **direct case management and indirect support to 1,846 community members within 715 families**.



ACTIVITIES THIS QUARTER:

Key activities undertaken during the third quarter of the fourth DHS-funded year of program expansion:



In FY24, Q3, Agape served
715 FAMILIES and
832 INDIVIDUALS

PROGRAMS & SERVICES

EDUCATION

Early Childhood Language, Social, Emotional, and Cognitive Development

Our objective: Providing early childhood, K-12 and post-secondary opportunities to increase family economic mobility.

ACTIVITIES THIS QUARTER:

Early Childhood:



By June 2024, Thrive by Five served

20 FAMILIES with
30 CHILDREN in K-Ready

K-12:



Frayser Stars connectors hosted

HOSTED WORKSHOPS

- Boys & Girls program for character-building
- at end-of-year to reflect on students' progress



Hickory Hill hosted the

5TH ANNUAL POETRY SLAM

enhancing literacy and creativity



Agape is involved with the

“MORE FOR MEMPHIS”

effort led by Seeding Success

ECONOMIC MOBILITY

Our objective: Improve how much families earn over time by helping parents develop a vision for their future and increasing employment skills, job opportunities, stable housing, and financial education.

ACTIVITIES THIS QUARTER:



In May, TeamWorks organized a clinic/career expo for

312 ATTENDEES involving record expungements, job applications, & job interviews

PROGRAMS & SERVICES

SOCIAL CAPITAL

Our objective: Building networks to improve economic security and civic engagement.

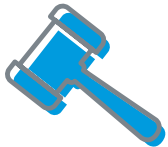
ACTIVITIES THIS QUARTER:



Hickory Hill family connectors hosted a well-attended **FIRST-TIME HOME BUYERS WORKSHOP** plus a follow-up workshop



Agape began engaging and aligning with **NEW BALLET, STAND FOR CHILDREN, & WHOLE CHILD** to determine ways to positively impact Memphians



Agape is collaborating with **MICAH & OTHER COMMUNITY PARTNERS** to address justice & equity matters



The 3rd citywide Faith Family Festival attracted **MORE THAN 2,500 ATTENDEES** to Shelby Farms Park on June 29

HEALTH & WELL-BEING

Our objective: Promoting preventive health practices, mental health support, and access to health insurance while providing support to build strong parent-child relationships and family planning.

ACTIVITIES THIS QUARTER:



Focused on healthy living, Hickory Hill hosted a **COMMUNITY HEALTH & RESOURCE FAIR** in collaboration with Greater Harvest Church



At the April Becoming ONE conference, **20 ENGLISH-SPEAKING** and **14 LATINO COUPLES** attended



For the first time in Agape's history, our **SCHOOL CHAPLAINS BEGAN SERVING** at MLK High and Westside Middle



During quarter 3, families continued to **PAY THEIR RENT ON TIME**

PERFORMANCE OVERVIEW

EDUCATION

Measure early childhood and K-12 experiences in the 2Gen program. Most metrics are on track, with early childhood metrics advanced via Family Connectors.

ACTIVITIES THIS QUARTER:

Caseload:



The Stars program served
860 STUDENTS
in the 2023-2024 school year



Of **STUDENTS** in the Stars program,
89% attended school regularly and
84% had no behavioral infractions



95% of STARS PARENTS
were engaged in their children's education

Early Childhood:



ALL 149 PRE-SCHOOL-AGED CHILDREN took part in quality early childhood experiences, including the Thrive by Five program

ECONOMIC MOBILITY

Economic metrics include parental education, training, and other professional and career development along with taking part in financial literacy programming and meeting savings and credit score goals.

ACTIVITIES THIS QUARTER:

Addressing Barriers:



47 of 61 ADULTS actively worked on goals to address employment barriers,
EXCEEDING the 50% TARGET

SOCIAL CAPITAL

Including nurturing parenting training, improved interpersonal relationships, expanded family networks, and volunteer involvement in PCN communities.

ACTIVITIES THIS QUARTER:

Volunteers:



267 VOLUNTEERS
were engaged in quarter 3