Regina Coeli Child Development Center

Annual Report





Who we are..

Regina Coeli was started in 1969. We serve children and families in Southeast Louisiana. RCCDC serves Tangipahoa, Washington, St. Tammany, St, Helena, and Livingston Parishes. We are funded to serve 1,158 Head Start children, 440 Early Head Start children, and 28 pregnant women. RCCDC employs over 400 employees across five parishes.

Mission Statement:

The mission of Regina Coeli is to provide the highest quality of service to children and families through a community team effort based on the question: "Is it good for children?"

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FORWARD

Instruction & Learning
On November 14, 2023, Louisiana Department of Education (LDOE) released the 2023 Performance profiles for each site. I am pleased to announce that all of our centers are either ranked as Proficient or Above Proficient. Nine of our centers scored excellent in emotional support and classroom organization or behavior support! We are proud of the work that our classroom staff continue to demonstrate on a daily basis. Special shoutout to FRANKLINTON HEAD START for having the highest score overall and ST. HELENA HEAD START & EARLY HEAD START for scoring EXCELLENT on both the Head Start and Early Head Start side in the areas of classroom organization AND behavioral support!

2023 SITE PERFORMANCE PROFILES



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Comprehensive Services

Is it good for children?

Regina Coeli provides comprehensive services. Children receive nutritious meals. Staff work with families to ensure children receive required physicals, dental screenings, and mental health services as needed. Families are afforded the opportunity to engage in Policy Council, School Readiness Committees, and Nutrition and Health Services Advisory Committee. Parents also engage with their children during center activities such as fall festivals, literacy and cultural events, male involvement activities, and other community events.



Head Start Children Served	Pregnant Women Served	Early Head Start Children Served
978	28	518





PHYSICALS

Head Start: 99% Early Head Start: 93% Pregnant Women: 86%

DENTALS

Head Start:	89%
Early Head Start:	82%
Pregnant Women:	29%

Funding & Budget

	HEAD START	EARLY HEAD START	T & TA HEAD START	T & TA EARLY HEAD START	CACFP	Nonfederal	TOTAL BUDGET
Award Amount 2022-2023	10,965,312	6,912,436	132,827	116,127	938,371	4,408,225	23,473,298

Operating Budget Category	Budget
Personnel	12,245,212
Fringe Benefits	2,009,139
Occupancy	1,097,148
Child Travel	109,697
Insurance-Commercial	420,148
Supplies	593,161
Other Costs	500,261
Staff Travel	133,935
Child Services	21,931
Parent Services	54,271
Training and TA	248,954
Food costs transfers	528,249
One time funds	676,257
TOTAL	\$19,065,073



Regina Coeli Child Development Center receives grants from the Administration for Children and Families of 80% required to operate the program. The remaining 20% is generated through the donation of time, services, goods, and funds from the community. Due to COVID, RCCDC was not able to meet the non-federal match. The Office of Head Start granted fiscal flexibility which allowed RCCDC to receive a waiver for the unmet portion.

Non-Federal Funding Match	Required	\$ 4,408,225
	Generated	\$ 1,269,103

The final opinion from Poslethwaite & Neterville, A Professional Accounting Corporation states that Regina Coeli Child Development Center has complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements as listed by the uniform guidance that could have a direct and material effect on the major federal program for the year ended May 31, 2023.