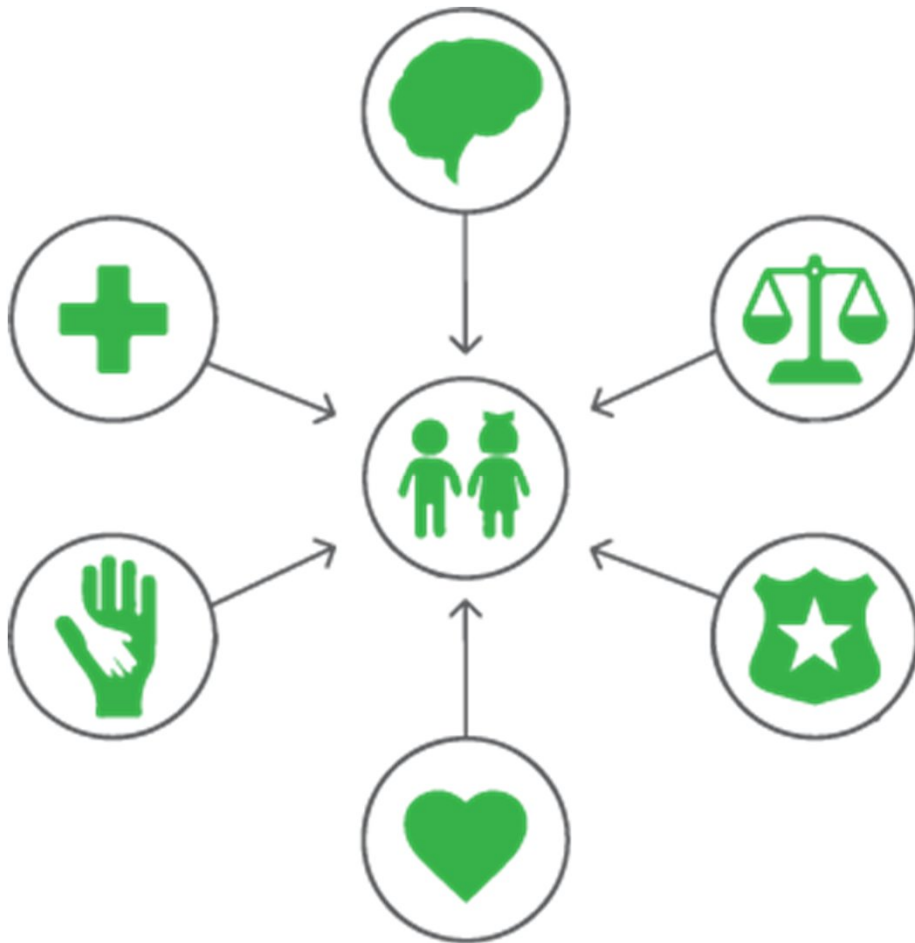




The mission of the Children's Advocacy Center of Collin County is to provide safety, healing and justice to victims of child abuse

OUR MODEL



Co-house our multidisciplinary team to:

- minimize re-victimization to child victims
- provide support and resources to families of victims
- facilitate prosecution of perpetrators through effective and efficient fact-finding collaboration

OUR COUNTY PARTNERS



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OUR CORE SERVICES



FORENSIC
INTERVIEWS



FAMILY
ADVOCACY AND
SUPPORT
SERVICES



THERAPEUTIC
COUNSELING

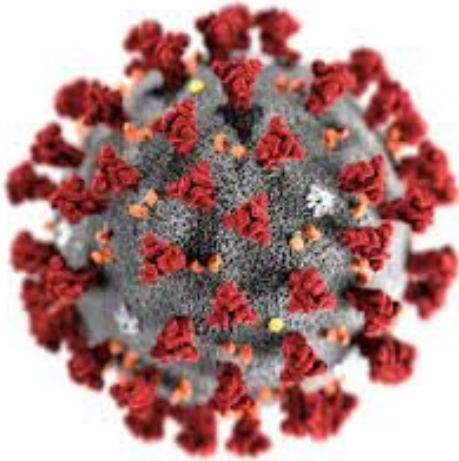


COMMUNITY
EDUCATION



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COVID IMPACT



WE NEVER CLOSED!

Gov. Abbott designated CAC's as essential

Increased communication with staff and partners

On-site vs. work from home

Efforts to keep everyone safe



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COVID IMPACT

DFPS STATE-WIDE INTAKE REPORTS DECREASED
Major Increase in March and April 2021

TYPES OF CASES

More serious cases

147% increase in internet crimes against children

STAFF RESPONSE



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PROGRAM ADJUSTMENTS



TELE-HEALTH



VIRTUAL FORENSIC INTERVIEWS



VIRTUAL COURT TESTIMONY



TECHNOLOGY ADJUSTMENTS



BALANCE STAFF NEEDS AND CLIENT'S NEEDS



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Children's Mental Health During COVID

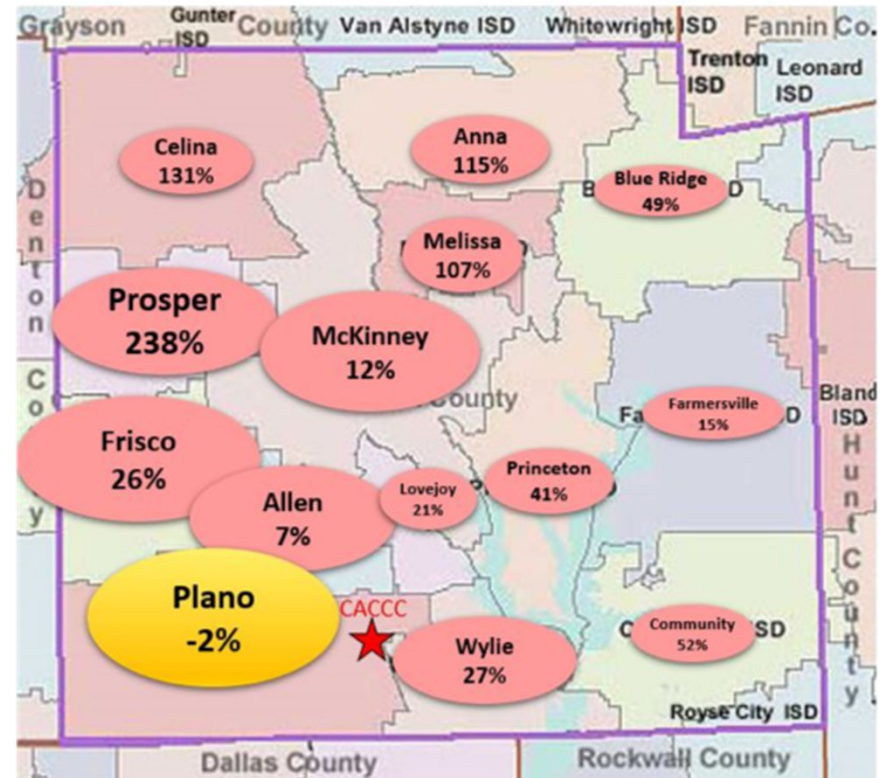
- ✓ 1 in 5 adolescents report high levels of anxiety
1 in 4 adolescents report high levels of depression
- ✓ Jan- April of 2021 mental health ER visits rose 72% compared to the last 2 years
- ✓ CAC had a 51% increase in suicide assessments last year
- ✓ All of this ON TOP of the trauma of being abused



Today, Collin County's population is just over one million residents. By 2050, Collin County's population is expected to surpass 2.4 million.



Population growth based on area school district projections (2018).



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BUILDING PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS

New facility will house all members of the Multi-Disciplinary Team and will serve Northern Collin County

Capital Campaign was launched in January 2018 to raise \$10M, the estimated cost for the project at that time

Land at 380 and Central was made available by Independent Financial at a deeply discounted price

KDC is providing Project Management services on a pro-bono basis

The Capital Campaign was completed successfully in fall of 2020, with 100% participation by Board, Advisory Council and CACCC staff members

Construction began July 1, 2021, and the new facility will be fully operational by late summer 2022

When we open, our operating budget will increase by \$650,000 per year



THE SPEESE CAMPUS



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The Speese Campus
McKinney, Texas
April 23, 2021



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