

Governor's Emergency Education Relief (GEER II)

Project Summary

In partnership with the Governor's Office, CHFS's Division of FRYSC funded **150** centers with the ability to coordinate specific services and assistance related to student and family needs in one or more of the following areas: family crisis/mental health counseling, early childhood education and/or childcare.

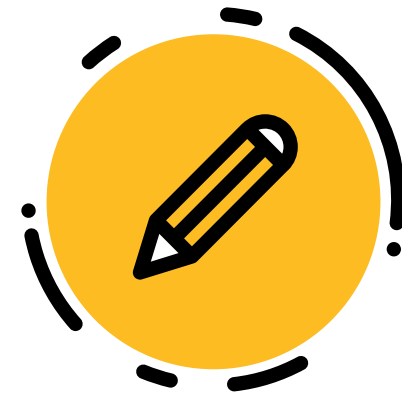
Family Crisis/Mental Health Counseling



205,137

Parents, students, children, teachers, and staff have benefited.

Early Childhood Education



16,085

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Childcare

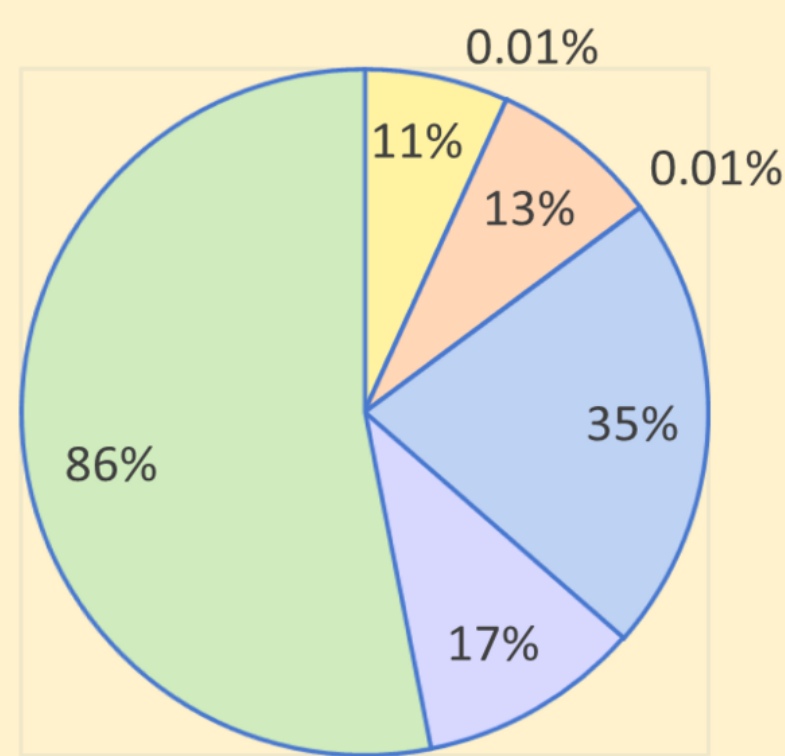


2,383

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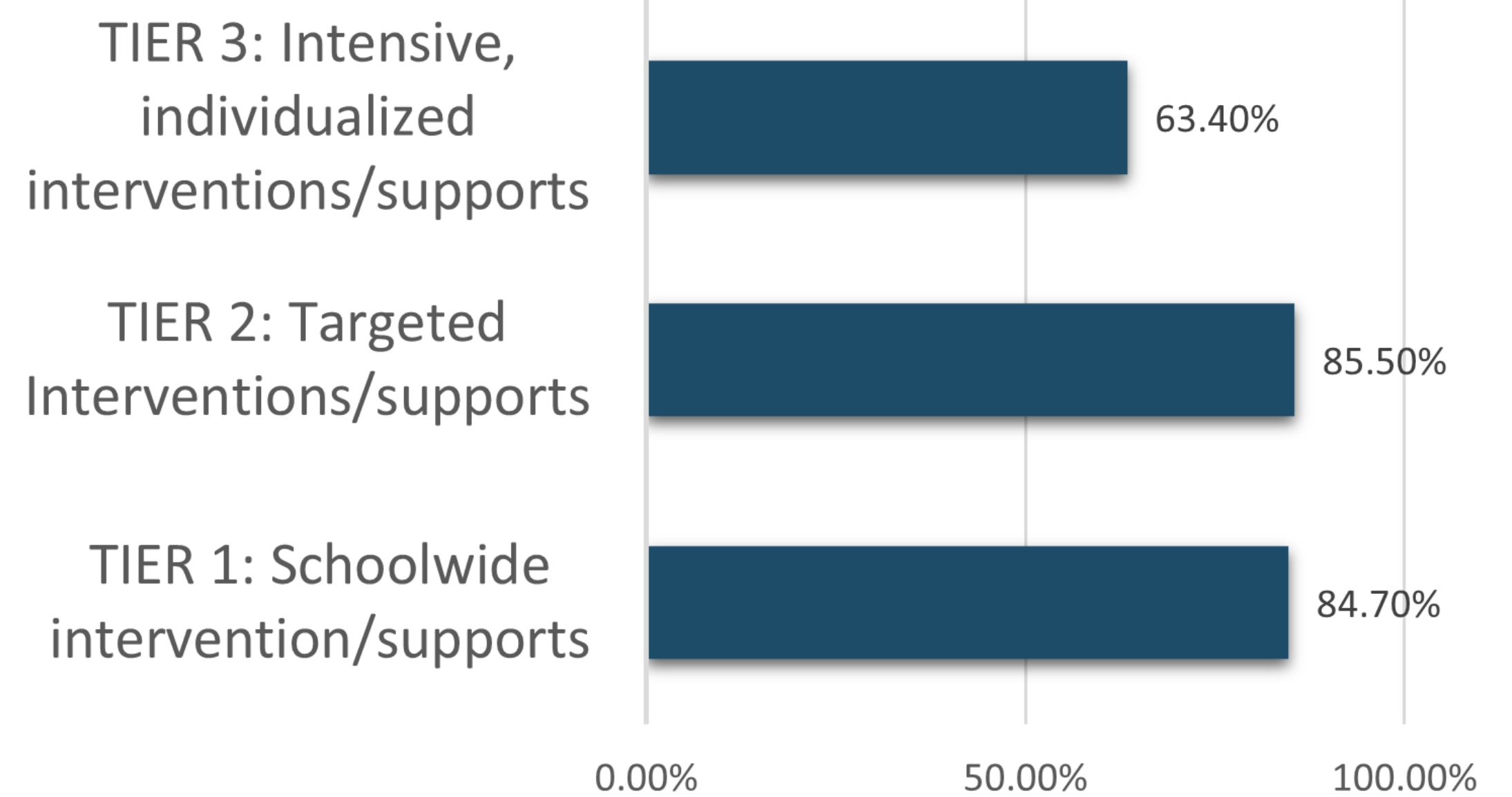
Data as of September 30, 2023

GEER II Components Addressed



- All 3 Components
- Early Childhood & Child Care
- Family Crisis/MH
- Early Childhood Education
- Child Care
- Early Childhood & Family Crisis/MH
- Child Care & Family Crisis/MH

Family Crisis/Mental Health Areas of Focus



Family Crisis/Mental Health Counseling

“The Resilience Factor” Bi-Monthly Family Strengthening and Resiliency Support Group (Barren Co. YSC - pg.59)

- (n=7) By the end of FY23, one participant's GPA rose to 2.5, a 2.0 increase from the year prior; 100% of the 7 participant's GPA's were raised.
- By the end of FY23, one participant's unexcused absences were only 2 days, a decrease from 15.5 days from the year prior; 100% of the 7 participants saw a decrease in the number of unexcused absences.
- By the end of FY23, one participant's behavior incidents dropped to zero from seven in the year prior; 100% of the 7 participants saw a decrease in the number of behavior incidents.

Early Childhood Education

Cradle School: Early Intervention (Cecilia Valley FRC, Creekside Elementary FRC, North Park FRC, Lakewood FRC, p.23)

- (n = 216) Children ages 0–5 engaged in at least one of the 400 opportunities provided for family engagement education.
- Kindergarten readiness services increased from 8 weeks per year to 40 weeks per year due to GEER II funding.
- Between 3 elementary schools, Brigrance scores increased by 45% overall when compared to the year prior.

Childcare

Childcare for 2-3-year-olds who meet low-income or disability/developmental delay thresholds (Nelson Co. FRYSC's, p.32)

- 260 children were given the opportunity for childcare.
- Prior to GEER II funding, kindergarten readiness was at 46% (Brigrance data, 19–20 school year). For the 21–22 school year, kindergarten readiness for students increased to 51% (Brigrance data, 21–22 school year).
- 97% of preschool families now attend community table meetings

See full GEER II Impact Spotlight Report here.

