First Children's Finance

Theory of Change

Multi-level Approach

address that need, and the longwith our programs and services. change. It's a visual map of our business support for child care term change we seek to effect understanding of the need for businesses, how we plan to organization's theory of This picture depicts our

business needs of child care

Recommend responsive

policy and programs Build public-private Advocate for sustainable

partnerships

unding mechanisms

Align and leverage existing

systems Level

Our theory of change is a tool that cost and accessibility of child care the factors impacting the quality, child care. It is evolving based on supporting the business side of and multi-layered approach to helps communicate a complex in communities.

More children served in their own that the children served in the children of supply of quality child sustainability and care businesses Increase the Assist systems to address the

Community Level

Analyze supply of child care and identify factors contributing to shortages
Identify opportunities for innovation across sectors
Empower communities to innovation across sectors
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For more than 27 years, First Children's Finance (FCF) has worked to create, support and expand affordable, high-quality child care options for communities.

We make loans to child care and early education businesses to finance new programs or support expansion of existing ones.

Why Partner?

FCF understands the cost and complexity of the child care industry. As an FCF partner, you will have access to our industry knowledge and resources. FCF offers:

- Needs Assessment and Feasibility Studies
- Cost Modeling and Fiscal Analysis
- Gap Financing
- Loan Partnership = Risk Mitigation
- Opportunities to Finance Businesses That Provide Vital Community Services

Benefits To Borrowers

FCF offers FREE in-person and over the phone business support to clients for the life of the loan!

Services include:

- Strategic Business Review
- Operational Analysis
- One on One Consultations
- Financial Management
- Marketing and Branding Analysis
- Policy and Procedure Review, and more

Our Impact



340

Loans Closed



\$11,733,402

in Loans Disbursed



12,635

Childcare Slots
Created/Retained



1,791

Jobs Created/ Retained

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