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ONNECTING YOUTH WITH Family, School, Values, Animals and Nature

2020 Impact Report



Helping • Inspiring • Equipping • Improving • Teaching

PROGRAMS

Home & Family

- Connections Build Resilience
- Supervised Visitation

Values & Ethics

- Specialized Mentoring

Animals & Nature

- Animal-Assisted Therapy
- Thunderbird Ranch

School & Education

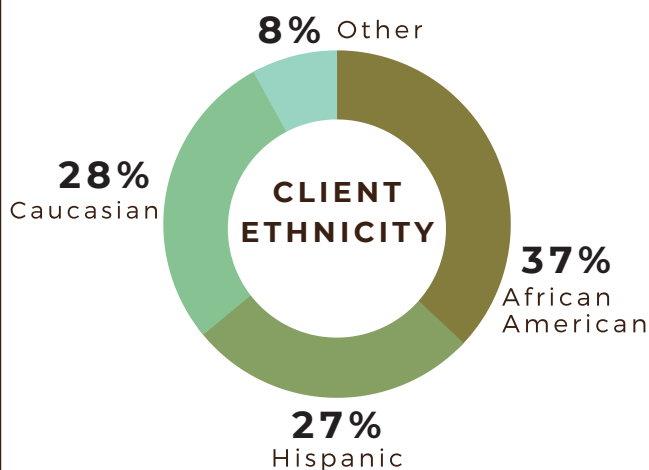
- Competency Outpatient Restoration Education

Community Voices

- Advocacy and Resource Navigation

OUR PURPOSE

CBR YouthConnect serves, helps, assists, and inspires youth and families to become hopeful and productive citizens.



IMPACT & REACH

 **19** COUNTIES

7 JUDICIAL DISTRICTS 

 **4** PARTNER AGENCIES

OVER **78,000** 
youth and family
members served
SINCE **1959**

REASONS FOR REFERRAL:

Abuse & Neglect • Prevention • Adoption Support • Truancy
Special Health Care Needs • Judicial Involvement

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THE BENEFITS AND IMPACT OF OUR PROGRAMS

"People call me crazy for how much I care. I just say, you don't know what it feels like to care."

- Kevin, age 15

Being a teenager in foster care is never easy. Kevin entered our **Specialized Mentoring** program 3 years ago during a very rough time in his life. He had lost his dad at a young age, his adoptive parents had relinquished their rights after parenting him for several years, and he had entered foster care once again. He had cut off all ties with his family and was feeling lost and alone. He was shy, quiet, and stayed in his room most of the day.

Through the encouragement of his mentor and the prosocial activities they did during sessions, Kevin slowly learned to open up and pursue his own interests. He has learned that he loves to make other people laugh and that he is a really caring person.

Check out CBR YouthConnect's YouTube Channel to hear Kevin's story.



WHAT YOUTH HAVE TO SAY:

"I've learned that even with my past, I'm still able to create strong bonds with adults."

- Haylie, age 14
Specialized Mentoring

"As soon as I met Sully, I knew we had a connection. Now, he's my best friend."

- Seth, age 16
Animal Assisted Therapy

"I think I like therapy now."

- Dominic, age 8
Connections Build Resilience



19% of ALL program costs are covered by **DONATIONS**



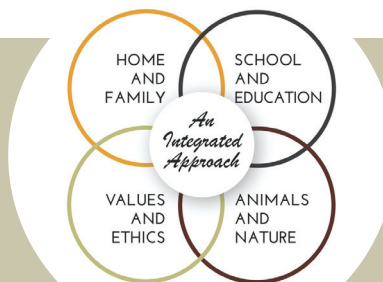
OVER 60 YEARS
of providing service to youth and families

2,000 LIVES
touched annually

CREATING CONNECTIONS THAT INSPIRE CHANGE

OUR MISSION

To connect children, youth and families with the resources and inspiration to become hopeful and productive citizens.



OUR AWARDS

Samaritan Institute-Colorado Ethics in Business Award for Non-Profits

Two time recipient of the El Pomar Outstanding Youth Organization Award

CONTINUING OUR LEGACY: COLORADO BOYS RANCH FOUNDATION

Registered 501(c)(3) Nonprofit Organization

