



“IMPACT SPOTLIGHT”

Fiscal Year 2021

6,620 participants were served and **19,838** were impacted by UCAN

95% of participants report overall satisfaction with UCAN and the services they received

95% of participants say UCAN gave me the opportunity to improve my future

YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

164 youth participated in youth development groups

85 youth graduated the Diermeier Future Leaders Now program

91% of youth say UCAN has helped them develop leadership skills

“I learned a lot about becoming a better leader in my own life and in the life of others.”
(Youth in Diermeier Future Leaders Now)

VIOLENCE INTERVENTION AND PREVENTION SERVICES

94% youth and adults were not charged with a violent crime

425 youth and adults completed a work-based learning program

97% youth state that because of UCAN, they or the children in their care have made progress toward academic and/or career goals

MENTAL HEALTH

531 youth and families served by UCAN received mental health services

92% of counseling participants made progress in treatment

97% of youth say UCAN staff cares about them

95% of youth say they feel comfortable to be/express themselves

“UCAN uplifted and helped me rise my family after being in a domestic violence environment for many years. I have been given the tools to believe in myself, to be a better parent and individual. (Participant in Counseling)”

ALUMNI SERVICES

36 alumni were involved in activities and supports

49 alumni were active as mentors/volunteers for UCAN

96% of youth said UCAN has given them the opportunity to improve their future

"Everyone I've met and worked with has my best interest at heart and always provided me with resources I need or don't even know I need to better myself. They look out for me.

(UCAN Alumni)

CHILD WELFARE

Foster Care:

92% of youth in specialized foster care maintained the same placement for at least 12 months

86% of UCAN Foster Parents reported that UCAN has connected them and/or the children in their care to supportive, caring adults who help them achieve their goals

"I like the team concept and ability to contact staff all the way up the chain if assistance is needed" (UCAN Foster Parent)

Residential:

91% of youth made progress in treatment

"I think in my opinion staff are cool and if I ever say I need help they will try to help me if it is possible" (Youth residing in Residential)

Transitional Teen Services:

"I'm able to save money while also preparing for adulthood" (Youth in Transitional Teen Services)

NORTH LAWNSDALE

271 Community mediations took place

106 Workplace Learning completions for North Lawnsdale youth and adults

84 North Lawnsdale residents worked at UCAN's Fillmore Campus